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### **Captain Sorensen Graduates from Southern Police Institute**

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Owatonna Police Chief Jeff Mundale is proud to announce the graduation and return of Captain Joshua Sorensen, who has successfully completed the 12-week Administrative Officer Course at the Southern Police Institute, located on the campus of the University of Louisville, Kentucky.

Chief Mundale expressed great pride in Captain Sorensen's dedication, commitment, and academic achievement, and extended appreciation to Captain Sorensen's family and the members of the Owatonna Police Department for their support during his absence.

The Southern Police Institute is recognized nationally for its academic excellence and for providing one of the most rigorous and comprehensive executive-level training programs available to senior law enforcement officers. The curriculum emphasizes leadership development, self-reflection, strategic management, and contemporary practices in public safety administration.

Chief Mundale stated,

"Captain Sorensen's successful completion of this demanding program reflects his commitment to an on-going regiment of learning and excellence. His achievement strengthens our department's leadership capacity and enhances our continued efforts to provide the highest quality of service to the citizens of Owatonna."

The Owatonna Police Department remains dedicated to the ongoing professional development of its personnel and to fostering strong leadership that advances the department's mission and promotes the safety and well-being of our community.

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