



Madison Police and Fire Commission Monthly Report

Stephanie Drescher, Captain of Police

February 2026

Promotions and Probationary Status

PFC Approval—Interim Approval for Promoted Positions (Step 1)

Name, Promoted Rank	Prior Rank	Effective Date
None		

PFC Approval—File Review and Candidate Discussion (Step 2/Step 3)

Name, Promoted Rank	Current Rank	Effective Date
Lisa Wedekind, Detective	Officer	02/01/2026

PFC Approval—Completion of Probationary Period (Step 4)

Name, Promoted Rank	Off Probation Date
Angela Kamoske, Assistant Chief	03/02/2026
Kipp Hartman, Captain	03/02/2026

Probationary Status Extension

Name, Rank	Revised Off Probation Date
Ennis Montgomery, Office	05/26/2026

PFC Notice of Acting Promotion

Name, Promoted Rank - Acting	Prior Rank
None	

Retirements and Resignations

Name, Rank	MPD Start	Effective Date
Miles Wolfe, Officer	05/2018	01/24/2026
Jordan Lines, Probationary Police Officer	05/2025	02/02/2026

2025-2026 Hiring Process Updates

- Re-hiring Officer Fabiola Ortiz

2025-2026 Promotional Process Updates

- None

2025 & 2026 Pre-Service Academy Update

- None

PSIA Report/Discipline Attachments and Notices

- Professional Standards Open Case Memo
- No suspensions requiring notification to the PFC

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Jenna Rousseau, Counsel for PFC
Andy Schauer, Assistant City Attorney
John Patterson, Chief of Police



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INTER-DEPARTMENTAL CORRESPONDENCE

Date: January 7, 2026

To: Police and Fire Commission
From: John Patterson, Chief of Police
Subject: **Promotion Probationary Status Extension Notice**

Police Officer Grace Favor was promoted to Detective in November of 2024 with an expected start date of February 2, 2025. Detective Favor's start date was delayed as she was out/off on extended leave. Detective Favor began in her detective role on July 9, 2025. Her updated off-probation date in her promoted rank will be July 9, 2026.



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INTER-DEPARTMENTAL CORRESPONDENCE

Date: February 2, 2026

To: Police and Fire Commission
From: John Patterson, Chief of Police
Subject: **Final Promotional Approvals**

The below-listed personnel have successfully performed their duties in their ranks listed during the interim promotional periods. I recommend each of them for final appointment at their ranks as of the dates provided.

Employee Name	Rank	Off Probation Date
Angela Kamoske	Assistant Chief	March 2, 2026
Kipp Hartman	Captain	March 2, 2026



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INTER-DEPARTMENTAL CORRESPONDENCE

Date: February 2, 2026

To: Police and Fire Commission
From: John Patterson, Chief of Police
Subject: **Probationary Status Extension**

I am extending the probationary period for Probationary Police Officer Ennis Montgomery III.

Probationary Police Officer Montgomery's probationary period was originally scheduled to be completed on November 26, 2025. He was extended to February 26, 2026, due to an open professional standards and internal affairs investigation. He has since gone out on FMLA and will not return before his probationary period ends. I am extending his probationary period to May 26, 2026, so that additional evaluation and training can be provided.