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This morning, Ashland's Town Manager, Anthony Schiavi, oversaw the swearing in by Ashland's Town Clerk Tara Ward of former Framingham Deputy Chief of Police Craig W. Davis as Ashland's next Police Chief.

The swearing in of Chief Davis culminates a 6 month effort that started with the selection of Badgequest as the Town's search consultant which resulted in 41 applicants, completion of an Assessment Center, and final interviews which resulted in Chief Davis being nominated and selected for the position.

Town Manager Schiavi met the new Chief at the Ashland Police Station at 7:00 AM this morning to welcome him along with other members of the department's uniformed division and civilian staff. "Chief Davis arrived looking sharp and ready to hit the ground running" Schiavi said. Schiavi said he and the Chief will meet later this afternoon to start developing both near and midterm objectives to include a budget update, personnel hiring status, and other departmental issues.

Mr. Schiavi said that a public ceremony is in the planning stages within the next several weeks and the public will be kept informed and encouraged to attend.