



POLICE DEPARTMENT

To: Illinois Law Enforcement Training & Standards Board

Illinois Governor's Office

Illinois General Assembly

From: Deputy Chief Bryan Meents, Northbrook Police Department

Date: 04/24/2026

Re: Annual Body Worn Camera Report (50 ILCS 706/10-1)

Please see the below and attached information pertaining to Body Worn Camera and In Car Camera use by the Northbrook Police Department.

Department Make-up

The Northbrook Police Department has 66 sworn officers and implemented Body Worn Cameras (BWC) in May of 2024. All sworn personnel are issued their own Axon BWC and all vehicles in our Fleet that are utilized by patrol officers are equipped with Axon Fleet 3 in car camera systems. The department has a total of 70 BWCs, four of which are kept in reserve in case of problems with any cameras that are assigned to officers.

Technical Issues

The Northbrook Police Department has experienced some connectivity issues with the Axon Fleet 3 camera system that is believed to be temperature related. The issues were promptly relayed to Axon and their technicians worked with the Village of Northbrook Public Works Department to fix the problems.

Review

All videos that contain any use of force or are subject to a citizen complaint are reviewed by our command staff. Other videos are reviewed at random by Sergeants and/or Commanders to ensure proper use of the camera systems in accordance with Illinois State Law and the Northbrook Police Department's policies.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'B Meents' with a date '4/24/26' written to the right.

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