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Edmonds PD announces the promotion of Corporal Ken Ploeger to the rank of Sergeant.

The Edmonds Police Department is proud to announce that Corporal Ken Ploeger was promoted to the rank of Sergeant effective January 16, 2011. Sergeant Ploeger's promotion follows the recent retirement of Sergeant Mike Drinkwine.

Ken Ploeger joined the ranks of the Edmonds Police Department on February 1, 1991 as a Patrol Officer, Second Class. During his time with the Edmonds PD Ken has served as a Patrol Officer, Dive Team member, Property Crimes Detective, Street Crimes Officer, Narcotics Detective, SWAT team member and a department Firearms Instructor. Ken was promoted to the rank of Corporal in January of 2002 and has served as a Patrol Corporal and Detective Corporal since that date. Sergeant Ploeger will be supervising a squad of patrol officers assigned to dayshift.

Sergeant Ploeger will be officially recognized and sworn in to the rank of Sergeant during the City Council meeting to be held in the Edmonds Council Chambers at 5:00 pm on January 25, 2011. Members of the public and media are welcome to attend.

A photo of Sergeant Ploeger is attached to the Email accompanying this press release.

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