

# Placerville Police News Release



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## REDESIGNED SHOULDER PATCH FOR PLACERVILLE POLICE

### NEWS RELEASE

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**Placerville, CA** – The Placerville Police Department has updated the look of the uniform shoulder patches.

You may have noticed something a little different about the look of the Placerville Police uniforms. Starting the first of August, the Placerville Police Department changed the shoulder patch from the traditional gold miner in the creek patch to a design which has incorporated the historic Bell Tower and old City Hall, or the “Confidence Hall” building on Main Street. The patch has not seen major changes since 1962.

Vince Hill, owner of Image Factory, worked with police department staff over the last year to come up with a design that brought in the rich history of the city and modernized its look. “We are very happy with the new design”, stated James Ortega, Placerville Police Chief. “This patch symbolizes the city where our officers are proud to serve. We look forward to this patch representing the Placerville Police Department for decades to come.”

For those who collect patches, the police department does not give out our patches for security reasons.

