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### **Carolina Beach Police Department Recognized for Excellence in Policy Management and Training**

**Carolina Beach, NC May 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024:** The Carolina Beach Police Department is honored to announce that it has been recognized for excellence in policy management and training in 2023 by Lexipol, the nation's leading provider of policy, training and wellness support for first responders and public servants.

The Lexipol Connect program tracks the department's performance on five metrics proven to measure success in policy management. CBPD achieved Gold, the highest level of recognition offered, for consistent and effective policy dissemination to personnel, timely policy updates as laws change, and officer training on policies.

"Policies are the foundation of police operations; having and regularly training on good policies are essential in our service to the community. We are proud to be recognized by Lexipol Connect for our dedication to continuous improvement, professionalism, and safety," says CBPD Chief of Police Vic Ward.

CBPD's excellence in policy and policy training enhances community safety by ensuring consistent, effective response based on state and federal law and nationally recognized best practices.

"By leveraging Lexipol policies and adopting best practices, our police department delivers the highest level of service," said Town of Carolina Beach Manager Bruce Oakley. "We're proud that our CBPD exhibits a commitment to excellence through their policy management efforts that reduce risk for personnel and community members."

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