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New Faces for Waco Public Safety



Waco Police Chief
Sheryl D. Victorian, Ph.D.

Chief Sheryl Victorian is a native Texan and a 28-year police professional. She was sworn in as Waco Police Chief on March 15, 2021, after retiring as an Assistant Chief from the Houston Police Department. As an Assistant Chief, she led the Patrol Region 2 Command consisting of five Patrol Divisions, and Vehicular Crimes Division. Her law enforcement career also includes assignments in the Major Offenders, Homicide, Special Victims, Internal Affairs, Training, and Patrol.

As the Chief of Police for the City of Waco, Chief Victorian oversees the largest police department in Central Texas, with 24/7, 365 days a year responsibilities. Her agency is comprised

of 266 sworn police officers and just under 100 civilian support staff.

Chief Victorian has earned many awards and commendations for her service and dedication as a police professional. She was recognized as the 100 Club of Houston's "Rookie Officer of the Year" in 1995, and earned a Life Saving Award, an Award of Excellence, Chief Unit Citations, and many Citizen and Chief of Police commendations. She holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Administration of Justice from Texas Southern University, a Master of Science Degree in Criminal Justice from the University of Houston – Downtown, and a Doctor of Philosophy Degree in Administration of Justice from Texas Southern University.

Help Us Message Our Mission

As members of our 100 Club and as readers of this newsletter, help our Club get the message of our mission out to others in our Heart of Texas community. Our Club exists to support our police and fire first responders and their families in the case of a line of duty death and we do that with financial support, connecting with area resources, and helping with other needs as identified by the families and the involved agency. Your membership donation is vital for our services and for these families.

If you are not a member, please consider joining and help us carry our mission and our message out to others. Joining is easy and our message is clear.

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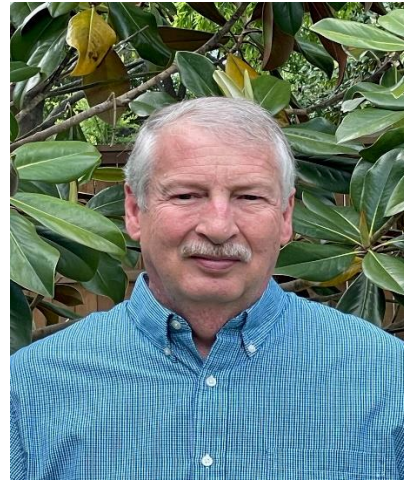
Waco Fire Chief
Gregory Summers

Chief Gregory Summers was confirmed on March 17, 2020, as Fire Chief of Waco Fire & Rescue-Waco, Texas, and begin serving March 30, 2020, managing a workforce of 204 Civil Service employees and 6 civilians. He retired from the Little Rock Fire Department in 2018 after 34 years of service. He served in many capacities within the Little Rock Fire Department most notably the last nine years as the Fire Chief-Little Rock's First African American to serve in that post. During his tenure, the LRFD would achieve a distinction only held by eighty-seven fire departments in the United States.

There are approximately 30,000 fire departments in the United States and Little Rock is one of eighty-seven that are both ISO Class I and holds the prestigious "Accreditation Standard" from the Commission on Fire Accreditation International a feat that represents less than 1% of fire departments with this achievement.

Chief Summers is also proud of increasing the diversity within the department during his tenure. Chief Summers is a member of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity Inc and has been married to his lovely wife Jeannette for 35-years. He has three adult children and three grandchildren. He holds a BS degree in Emergency Management and an AAS degree in Fire Science.

Meet Our New Executive Director



The 100 Club Heart of Texas welcomes our new Executive Director Brent Stroman. Brent served in the Waco Police Department for 39 years and as Chief for 8 years until 2016. He began formation of the 100 Club in 2010, while serving as Chief working with Sheriff Larry Lynch, Chief Yost Zakhary and Chief Dennis Stapleton. Brent served on the first Board of Advisors for the Club, when it was incorporated in 2012. Also, he has served as an elected Board Member since 2016. "I'm honored to serve in this position and value the trust the Board has placed in me. We've built a great organization and have responded and served our police and fire in McLennan County when presented with a need. Our mission and our members are important to the Board, and to me, and I pledge to continue working to grow and strengthen our Club for our mission going forward." Brent said. Board President Link Harris said the Board is fortunate to have Brent available and willing to serve as our Executive Director, and we look forward to working with him as we support our mission and serve our police and fire first responders.

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Feel free to contact us as we begin a new phase in our Club's growth.