



Redondo Beach PD Adds Six New Officer to their Ranks

On July 28th six new officers for the Redondo Beach Police Dept. graduated from the Los Angeles Sheriffs Academy. This adds to the five other officers that have been added to the force since May of this year. Due to a high frequency of officers retiring, in the last year, the department has been operating under staffed. The addition of these officers should bring the department close to full staffing. It will still be some time until these officers can work as a fully trained officer staffing the shifts. These officers will all have to complete a six month field training program before they are able to function as a police officer in the field.

The most recent graduates from the academy are Officers Bob Basinger, Matt Knott, Richard Nimmons, Brian Long, Delvin Delery, and Jason Sapien.

Officers David Arnold and Brett Randall graduated from the academy on May 13, 2005. The department also hired three lateral officers in the last two months; they are Officers Clint Daniels, Chris Nguyen and Phillip Ho. This press release was prepared by Sergeant Phil Keenan.