



CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

JONATHAN F. MITCHELL, MAYOR

August 11, 2022

City Council President Ian Abreu and
Honorable Members of the City Council
City of New Bedford
133 William Street
New Bedford, MA 02740

Dear Council President Abreu and Honorable Members of the Council:

I am submitting the following individuals for confirmation by the City Council as New Bedford Police Officers all of whom have all been previously sworn in:

Morris Keniston
William Mouyos
David Lahti
George Coto

Paul Fernandez
William Miranda
Taylor Souza
Evan Bretal-Paiva

Esmael Almeida
Stephens Lima
Owen Azevedo
James H. Sullivan

The appointment of these twelve (12) police officers will help fill current vacant positions and bring the total New Bedford Police Department manpower complement to two hundred twenty-six (226) officers.

These officers are fully trained, having successfully completed their Police Academy training. It is my pleasure to recommend their confirmation to you.

Sincerely,

Jonathan F. Mitchell
Mayor

JFM/sds

cc: Paul J. Oliveira, Police Chief