



# The Police Commission

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CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO

October 1, 2018

Chief William Scott  
Chief of Police

Dear Chief Scott:

At the meeting of the Awards Committee on June 19, 2018, the following named members of the Police Department were awarded Medals of Valor and Meritorious Conduct Awards.

THOMAS MAZZUCCO  
Vice President

PETRA DeJESUS  
Commissioner

ROBERT M. HIRSCH  
Commissioner

JOHN HAMASAKI  
Commissioner

CINDY ELIAS  
Commissioner

RONALD BROOKTER  
Commissioner

DAMALI TAYLOR  
Commissioner

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Sergeant Rachael Kilshaw  
Secretary

## GOLD MEDAL OF VALOR

Officer Reynaldo Serrano\*  
(MV 18-03, 09/26/17)

Officer Paul Dominguez  
Officer James Trail  
Officer Nathan Chew  
(MV 18-10, 10/14/16)

Sergeant Joseph McCloskey\*  
Sergeant Michael Koniaris\*  
(MV 18-12, 10/15/15)

*(\*Also awarded the Purple Heart Award)*

## SILVER MEDAL OF VALOR

Officer Eduard Ochoa  
(MV 15-07, 11/06/14)

Sergeant Joseph Fischer	Sergeant Mark Obrochta
Officer Christopher Cotter	Officer Ryan McEachern
Officer James Johnson	Officer Omar Alvarenga
Officer Gordon Wong	Officer Kurt Macaulay
Officer Robert Kellogg	
(MV 15-08, 09/25/14)	

Officer Tracy Turner*	Officer Carolyn A. Gassen
Officer Ronald S. Kuchac	Officer Kwanjai Laokwansathitaya
(MV 18-08, 04/16/17)	

*(\*Also awarded the Purple Heart Award)*

**BRONZE MEDAL OF VALOR**

Sergeant Thomas Maguire  
Officer Donn Peterson  
Officer Michael Tursi  
(MV 18-01, 03/17/15)

Officer Kamakana Alvaro  
Officer Jeremy Cummings  
Officer Cornelius Keating  
(MV 18-05, 07/30/17)

Officer Thomas Anderson  
Officer Ryan Champlin  
(MV 18-06, 12/12/17)

Officer Victor Custodio  
Officer Nicholas Urbano  
(MV 18-07, 09/14/17)

**MERITORIOUS CONDUCT AWARD**

MV 18-02 (Oct 2015)	Officer Britt Elmore CGIC	MCA 18-03 Continued:	Sergeant Domenico Discenza Sergeant Nicholas Chorley HOMICIDE
MCA 18-01 (July 2017)	Sergeant Mark Hutchings Sergeant Kyra Delaney Sergeant Christopher Dunne Sergeant Thomas Maguire Sergeant Matthew Mason Sergeant Stephen Jonas Inspector John Cagney Sergeant Carl Bonner HOMICIDE	MCA 18-04 (August 2017)	Officer Michael Tursi NARCOTICS
MCA 18-02 (08/15/17)	Sergeant John Kasper Sergeant Kyra Delaney Sergeant Nicholas Chorley Sergeant Thomas Maguire Sergeant Matthew Mason Sergeant Stephen Benzinger Sergeant Alejandro Cortez Sergeant Robert Trujillo HOMICIDE	MCA 18-05 (Jan – Mar 2017)	Sergeant Thomas Maguire Sergeant Matthew Mason Sergeant Stephen Jonas Officer Eric Perez Officer Gary Moriyama Officer Albert Lieu Officer Brian Guiney SPECIAL INVESTIGATIONS
MCA 18-03 (01/25/16)	Sergeant Aaron Foltz Sergeant Conroy Tam Sergeant Kyra Delaney Sergeant Jon Kasper	MCA 18-06 (08/14/17)	Sergeant Domenico Discenza HOMICIDE
		MCA 18-07 (01/25/16)	Sergeant Phillip Gordon MAJOR CRIMES
		MCA 18-09 (07/19/17)	Sergeant Stephen Jonas GENERAL CRIMES
		MCA 18-10 (10/18/16)	Sergeant Matthew Dudley GANG TASK FORCE

Respectfully submitted,



Sergeant Rachael Kilshaw

Secretary

San Francisco Police Commission

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APPROVED:

Forward to the Police Commission for consideration.

I respectfully recommend that these members of the Police Department be awarded Medals of Valor and Meritorious Conduct Awards pursuant to the provisions of Section 8.405 of the Charter of the City and County of San Francisco.



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**WILLIAM SCOTT**

Chief of Police