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### **Niles Police Department to Re-Implement Body-Worn Camera Program**

**Niles, IL** – On April 18, 2022, The Niles Police Department will re-implement its body-worn camera program. The new program includes the use of Axon body cameras, as well as Axon's cloud-based digital evidence management system. The new Axon Body 3 cameras will be individually issued to each NPD officer. The cameras will record high-quality video and audio evidence, and are equipped with cutting-edge technology such as the ability to automatically begin recording when a Taser is activated in close proximity to the camera. The cloud-based digital evidence management system will streamline and expedite the process of uploading and storing the data, as well as simplify the process of sharing the data with court personnel.

NPD's new body-worn camera program is fully compliant with the 2021 Illinois Safety, Accountability, Fairness and Equity-Today Act, and reaffirms the Niles Police Department's commitment to transparency and accountability.

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