

### **Mindy Winter, Biography**

Mindy Winter is the Captain of Traffic and Specialized Services with the City of Madison Police Department (MPD) in Madison, WI. In this role, she oversees traffic education, enforcement, and crash investigation efforts and personnel, oversees forensic services and property personnel, oversees parking enforcement operations and personnel, and manages annual budget and equipment needs of all areas under her leadership. Prior to serving in her current Captain position, Mindy served MPD as a lieutenant, a detective sergeant, a detective, a traffic crash investigation specialist, and a patrol officer throughout her 18-year law enforcement career. In addition to the responsibilities of her varied commissioned law enforcement positions, Mindy has also served as one of the lead administrators of MPD's Telestaff implementation for more than 12 years. Winter tackles many of the setup, programming, and bidding Telestaff tasks and works closely with City of Madison IT professionals to keep Telestaff running smoothly on a daily basis. Prior to joining MPD, Mindy served as a relational database developer and web designer for the University of Wisconsin-Extension Instructional Communications Systems office.