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**Lieutenant Jane Anderson**  
Colorado Springs Police Department  
2019 Service Award

Lieutenant Jane Anderson started her career with the Colorado Springs Police Department in 1989. She served in the Patrol Bureau as a Field Training Officer and a Master Patrol Officer, and was the first officer assigned as the In-Service Training Coordinator for the department. Lt. Anderson was promoted to sergeant in 1996, where she served as a Cadet Advisor, GangNet Sergeant, Field Training Sergeant, and Reserve Officer Program Sergeant. She volunteered for the “Adopt-a-School” program; and as a sergeant, served as the Community Relations Sergeant and the In-Service Training Sergeant.

In 2007, Lt. Anderson was promoted to lieutenant. As a lieutenant, she served in Patrol, Technical Investigations, and as the Training Academy Lieutenant. These have all been demanding assignments. As the Training Academy Lieutenant, Lt. Anderson oversaw the largest recruit class ever at CSPD – a class of 62 recruits.

Lt. Anderson’s contributions to law enforcement extend well beyond the Colorado Springs Police Department. In 2002, Lt. Anderson was a founding member of the Rocky Mountain Women in Law Enforcement (RMWLE), an organization that promotes training and professional development for women in the law enforcement realm. She has also been a coach on a variety of sports teams and a mentor to many young people. She has served as the Program Manager for the Police Athletic League (PAL) and helped organize many events that support Special Olympics.

Lt. Anderson has always had an ethical focus, highlighted in 1994 when she was recognized for ending the physical abuse of a handcuffed prisoner by a fellow officer. She immediately intervened and then notified her supervisor. The officer was later charged criminally and received disciplinary action. Lt. Anderson demonstrated administrative courage and a commitment to ethics, leading by example in this incident. Lt. Anderson received the 2018 American Legion Department of Colorado Law Enforcement Officer of the Year, and was recently notified that she was also selected for this award, to be recognized later in 2019 in Indianapolis. The American Legion indicated that Lt. Anderson personifies the meaning of “America’s Finest.”

Lt. Anderson represents the very best of the police profession. In her 30 years in law enforcement at the Colorado Springs Police Department, she has continually demonstrated strong commitment to her fellow officers and the citizens of Colorado Springs.