

BLOOMINGTON POLICE DEPARTMENT



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Community Survey

Bloomington, IL - The Bloomington Police Department has implemented a survey for community members to provide feedback on services they received. We will be using Axon My90 as the survey host.

The survey will be disseminated within 72 hours from when a person called for police assistance. A wide variety of calls for service types will be eligible for receiving the survey. This tool will be used to continue building trust and assist in measuring how well we are delivering services to the community. This survey is anonymous. Axon removes all identifying information prior to the responses being released to the BPD.

This is going to be a 90-day pilot program. The program will be evaluated after this phase to determine further involvement. The BPD will be the second department in the state of Illinois to utilize this service and the 60th department across the country.

Chief Jamal Simington stated, "This is an exciting opportunity as Bloomington Police Department continues to execute its strategic plan of maintaining advances in law enforcement technology, to ensure we are serving the public most effectively and efficiently. Enhancing our strong community engagement, through the use of My90, will elevate the service we provide to our community. I am thankful for the women and men in our organization who continue to serve with commitment, integrity, and professionalism."

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If you wish to submit a crime tip and remain anonymous, please contact the Crime & Intelligence Analysis Unit (CIAU) at 309-434-2963 or email CIAU@cityblm.org. You can also text the number 847411 by texting the word "BPDTIPS", then a space, followed by your tip information.

The CIAU office is staffed from 8am-4:30pm, weekdays. If no one is available to answer your call, please leave the information on the voicemail or send it by e-mail.