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**Police Officer Joshua Cooper to be Promoted to Detective**

**October 3, 2011**

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**(Twin Lakes)** On Monday, October 3, 2011 at 6:45PM, Police Officer Joshua Cooper will be sworn in as the new Detective for the Twin Lakes Police Department. A short ceremony will be conducted at the Village Hall prior to the Committee of the Whole Board meeting. Officer Cooper will be sworn in by Dave Cox, Village Administrator with family members, Village Board Members, members of the Police Commission, and current Twin Lakes Police officers in attendance.

Officer Cooper will fill the vacancy that was held by Detective Sergeant Dennis Linn, who was promoted to Lieutenant in 2010.

The promotional selection was a grueling five month process, consisting of a written test, day long practical Assessment Center exercises and two oral interviews. Officer Cooper finished number one out of the four candidates for the position.

Officer Cooper has been with the Twin Lakes Police Department since 2008, having been in law enforcement since 1999, serving with the Milwaukee County Sheriff's Department, Butler, WI Police Department, Town of Salem Public Safety Department and the Silver Lake Police Department.

Officer Cooper's wife, Sonja, will have privilege of pinning her husband's detective badge on his uniform.

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