



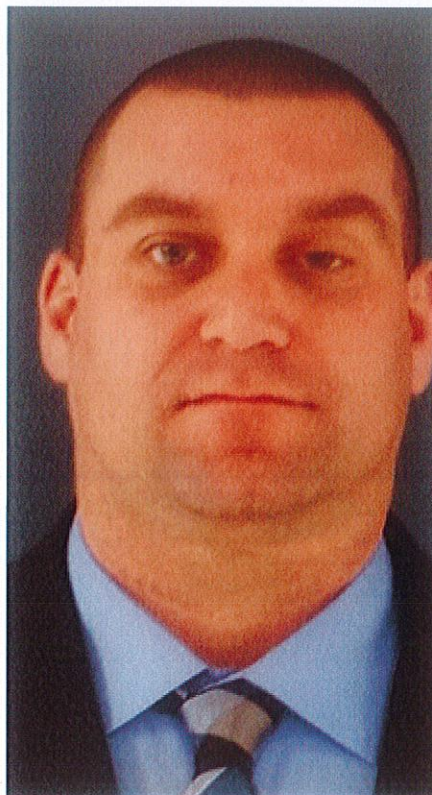
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## OLD TOWN-ORONO YMCA NAMES SCOTT WILCOX AS NEW CEO

Old Town, Maine— The Old Town-Orono YMCA has named Scott Wilcox as its new Chief Executive Officer, effective December 18th, 2023. Selected by the Y's CEO Search Committee following a 5 month search, Wilcox will officially step down on December 31st, 2023. In his new role Scott will be responsible for taking the lead on implementing the Old Town-Orono YMCA's new strategic plan. The new strategic plan emphasizes the Y's commitment to support our local communities.

Becky Whitmore quotes "During our search for a new CEO, we looked at candidates from throughout the United States, but Scott stood out among the rest. His energy, vision and passion for the YMCA is exactly what we were looking for in a leader. Scott has been a visionary leader in the law enforcement field and has acquired many transferable skills for the nonprofit sector. We are convinced that the Old Town-Orono YMCA will have fantastic leadership for years to come."



When asked about his new position Scott replied "I am extremely excited to be the new CEO at the Old Town-Orono YMCA. I grew up in Old Town and was a member of the YMCA. My two sons have grown up in the Old Town-Orono YMCA playing football and basketball. I am very honored to join

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the Old Town-Orono YMCA family and I look forward to working with our great community and carrying on the traditions and mission of the Old Town-Orono YMCA.”

Scott comes to the Y with nearly two decades of law enforcement experience. He is currently employed at the Old Town Police Department where he has served as the Police Chief and Public Safety Director for the past 7 years. Prior to working for the city of Old Town, Scott worked for the Indian Island Police Department, Waterville Police Department and the Orono Police Department where he worked his way up the ranks to Patrol Captain. Scott holds a degree from EMCC, an Associate of Science, Legal Technology from the University of Maine and has been certified as a law enforcement officer from the Maine Criminal Justice Academy. Over the last 20 years, Scott has received a plethora of training and certifications in the law enforcement and workplace field. Scott is also an involved community member. He is a member of the Old Town Rotary, President of the Old Town Little League, a youth sports coach and a board member of the Caring Community Cupboard. His work experience coupled with his community investment will be a great addition to the leadership of the Old Town-Orono YMCA.

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