



MIDLOTHIAN POLICE DEPARTMENT

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Chief of Police

To: Illinois Law Enforcement training and Standards Board

Re: Midlothian Police Department 2025 Body Worn Camera Report

Department Overview

The Midlothian Police Department consists of thirty-one (31) sworn officers who utilize thirty-one (31) Motorola body worn cameras. Each Officer has their own camera assigned to them.

Technical Issues

The Midlothian Police Department started their body worn camera program in October 2024. Any technical issues with the equipment are reported to the Body Worn Camera Coordinator and any necessary remediation is coordinated and implemented. Currently one spare camera is available and can be assigned to an Officer if there is a problem with their camera. Supervisors may also reassign cameras not in use to an Officer experiencing a technical or equipment problem with their device. Supervisors are permitted to troubleshoot any problems with the equipment prior to reassigning another camera.

No major technical issues with the cameras were experienced in 2025. One Officer's camera was damaged during an arrest with a combative subject. One Officer's camera broke accidentally when it fell off his uniform mount attachment. At the time of their respective incidents, each Officer was reassigned a spare camera, and the broken unit was returned to Motorola. Motorola immediately sent a replacement unit back to be placed into service.

In December of 2025 we experienced a software issue related to our digital storage program. The main problem was how multiple digital items were stored together in one place. As of the writing of this report the problem has been resolved with the assistance of Motorola.

Review Process

The Midlothian Police Department requires the supervisor on shift to randomly select one video during their shift to review. The supervisor watches the footage of their officer(s) to ensure the proper use and observe the performance of the device. Any deficiencies in how the camera is utilized, worn, and/or functions is reported to the Body Worn Camera Coordinator.

Respectfully,

Deputy Chief A. Tavormina
Midlothian Police Department
Body Worn Camera Coordinator