

Timothy Brewer
North Carolina Fraternal Order of Police
Secretary

Lieutenant Timothy Brewer is a man who has dedicated his life to serving others. Whether his country – he served six years in the Army with the 82nd Airborne Division – or the last 28 years with the Newton Police Department, his passion to make a difference is clear.

Brewer decided to make law enforcement his career of choice after leaving the Army. He



joined the Newton Police Department in 1979 as a patrol officer. Four years later, he was promoted to sergeant and transferred to the Detective Division, where he worked for nine years before being promoted to lieutenant and investigator.

During Brewer's time as an investigator, he helped form the first Narcotics Division for the NPD. For the next 11 years, Brewer worked as a narcotics officer, three of which were undercover. This involved the purchasing of illegal narcotics on the state and federal levels throughout North Carolina.

Currently, Brewer is back in the Patrol Division, this time serving as shift supervisor of eight officers.

Brewer is certified in the operation of radars and breathalyzers, and has received training in search and seizure, interview and interrogation, arson and narcotics. He also is a certified expert witness in cause and origin for arson cases.

In 1989, Brewer was recognized by his peers when he received the Officer of the Year Award by the Newton Police Department.

However, Brewer's enthusiasm goes far beyond his work with the NPD. He also has a strong passion for the Fraternal Order of Police (FOP). For the last 27 years he has taken an active role in many of the organization's activities.

Brewer joined the Catawba County Lodge #26 in 1980, and has held every position on the Executive Board for his local lodge. He currently is in his fourth term as State Secretary for the North Carolina State Lodge.

His diligence on the state and local levels has been recognized, as he was appointed to serve on the Legal Aid Committee on two separate occasions under the leadership of two State Lodge Presidents.

Brewer currently lives in Newton with his wife Lisa. He also has six children and two grandchildren.