## City of Newton



## Commendation

## Captain Brett Ferolito

## For service to America in the United States Army

Brett Ferolito was born and raised in Newton and attended Newton North High School, graduating in 2004. He enlisted in the United States Army Reserves in July 2006 motivated by a 9/11 remembrance and was assigned to the 325th Transportation Company. In the same year, Brett also began his studies in the Criminal Justice Program at Northeastern University.

In 2011, Brett was accepted into Northeastern University's Reserve Officers' Training Corps (ROTC) program, commissioning as a U.S. Army Officer. He was assigned as a Platoon Leader for the 747 Military Police Company, Massachusetts Army National Guard. During that time, Brett was activated on law enforcement missions including the 2011 Springfield Tornado, Hurricane Irene, and the Boston Marathon Bombing. During his time in the Massachusetts Army National Guard, Brett also served in the roles of Company Executive Officer, Rear Detachment Commander, and as a Planning and Training Officer for the 211th Military Police Battalion.

Honorably serving his term, Brett resigned his Commission in 2017 as a Captain. Brett continued in law enforcement, serving the Newton Police Department as an officer and later as a Newton Police Community Outreach Officer. Brett continues to serve the City of Newton as the Weights and Measures Inspector.

In recognition of his service to the United States and the City of Newton, it is only fitting and proper that, on behalf of all the residents of Newton, I, Mayor Ruthanne Fuller, express my gratitude and pay tribute to Brett Ferolito.

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Ruthanne Fuller Mayor, City of Newton