



## Town Of Coventry, CT - Manager's Office

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At today's annual meeting of the Connecticut Interlocal Risk Management Agency (CIRMA), the [Coventry, CT Police Department](#) received a 2022 Excellence in Risk Management Award. The Excellence in Risk Management Award program recognizes those members that have demonstrated outstanding risk management leadership and results.

In naming CPD for the award, CIRMA stated:

"A safe work environment does not happen by accident. Leaders must create, plan, communicate, and ensure safety programs are effective and tailored to their unique organization. Most importantly, employees must embrace their roles in making their workplace safe."

The Town of Coventry Police Department empowers staff with educational tools and resources to effectively mitigate risk and keep employees safe. An active and engaged CIRMA staff member, the Coventry Police Department leverages all aspects of our mutually beneficial partnership to ensure that risk management continues to be a top organizational priority. The police department continues to experience the benefits of fostering an ongoing, department-wide commitment to managing risk effectively within their entity and community."

Congratulations to the Coventry Police Department for this notable recognition, and thank you to former Police Chief Mark Palmer, who nominated CPD for the award prior to his retirement.

Photo: L to R: Former Police Chief Mark Palmer; Town Manager John Elsesser; Acting Police Chief Jeffrey Spadjinske; CIRMA Risk Services Manager Joey Barbera.

For more information about the CIRMA Excellence in Risk Management program, visit our website at <https://cirma.ccm-ct.org/.../excellence-in-risk...>

