



**OHIO ASSOCIATION OF CHIEFS OF POLICE, INC.**

**Advisory Services**

**Chief Gary L. Vest  
Assessor**

Chief Vest is the 2006-2007 Past-President of the Ohio Association of Chiefs of Police and chief of police for the City of Powell, Ohio, a position he has held since May 1996. The Powell Police Department is an accredited agency by the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies, Inc., since March 23, 2002 and designated as a CALEA Flagship Agency in 2008 and 2011. Previously he served as the Police Chief of Clayton Ohio for seven years and ten years with the Montgomery County Sheriff's Office in Dayton.

Chief Vest holds an undergraduate degree in Criminal Justice and a Master of Public Administration degree from the University of Dayton. He is a graduate of the Police Executive Leadership College Session 18 and the 205<sup>th</sup> Session of the FBI National Academy.

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