

Randy Bani

Chief of Police

Randy began his career in law enforcement, fire, and rescue services in 1981 after completion of a degree in Criminal Justice. He was trained and certified in police, fire, and rescue services and held many titles and ranks during his work, achieving investigator, firefighter, and paramedic status. Randy previously held ranks of Sgt. Lt. and Commander before achieving current rank as Chief. He retired from Ashwaubenon in 2010, although he joined the Hobart/Lawrence Police in 2003 on a part time basis.

Bani joined Hobart/Lawrence Police on April 1, 2003 as a part time investigator for the department. He was fortunate enough to be selected to attend the FBI National Academy in 2004 (less than 1% of applicants are accepted). While at the national academy, Bani was promoted to Chief of Police for the Hobart/Lawrence Police Department and carefully juggled both careers in law enforcement until retirement from Ashwaubenon.

Randy and his wife, Kim, were born and raised in De Pere, WI. They have been married for 40 years, and have two children, five grandchildren. Their son has three children and is a pastor at his alma mater, Miami of Ohio and their daughter has two children and works for the West De Pere School District. Kim had a very successful career working and retiring from Fort Howard Paper Company after 30 years of service. She went on to school receiving her degree in HR. Randy is an avid outdoorsman who loves to hunt, fish, and just be outdoors. The two of them love to travel and enjoy their time with the grandchildren.

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