

**Notice of Paid Administrative Leave
TOWN OF EATON
POLICE DEPARTMENT**

**To: Officer Michael Swartz
From: Chief Kevin Sturch
Date: 05/18/2022
RE: PAID administrative leave notice**

On 05-18-2022 it came to my attention that your supervisor had received a text message from [REDACTED] who you take ji jit su lessons from. The message alleged that you had inappropriate contact with a [REDACTED] year-old female by sending 150 texts to this minor. This allegation was made by a member of the public.

I am making the decision to place you on PAID administrative leave pending an IA investigation that will be handled by the IA Officer's. This is not a termination is Paid administrative leave.

I did take possession of your department issued firearm, ID, Badge, Keys, and ammo. Your department issued vehicle was left at the EPD.

You will be contacted by the IA Officer and will be advised of each step of the process.

**Chief
Kevin Sturch**

