

City of Ketchum

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Meet Two New Police Officers

KETCHUM, Idaho – Two new Blaine County sheriff's deputies, Dina Mitma and Philip Rummel, will soon be assigned to the Ketchum Police Department.

One position became available when former Ketchum detective and patrol deputy Michal Grigsby was promoted to patrol sergeant. Mayor Nina Jonas and City Council also added funding for an additional police officer in the FY2015/16 budget.

Mitma is a graduate of Wood River High School and has an associate's degree in criminal justice from College of Southern Idaho. She worked in California for several years before returning to the Wood River Valley three years ago. She likes "the opportunity to work in a beautiful smaller town where we can get to know the community and work with a great law enforcement team."

Rummel moved here five months ago after working as an officer at the Montgomery County Correctional Facility near Philadelphia. He was a major in criminal justice at Kutztown University in Pennsylvania when the Houston Astros drafted him in 2008 to pursue a career in professional baseball.

"I have desired a career in law enforcement since I was a child," he said. Ketchum is a great city with a lively social scene and beautiful landscape. I couldn't ask for a better place to work."

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About the City of Ketchum

The city of Ketchum is located in the Wood River Valley in south central Idaho. Founded in 1880 during the mining boom, Ketchum is now regarded as one of the most popular destinations for winter and summer visitors due to its world-class skiing, mountain biking, fishing, hiking, restaurants, art galleries and shopping. The city of Ketchum hosts the famous annual Wagon Days Parade, held on Labor Day weekend, and numerous other year-round attractions. Ketchum is home to more than 10,000 full- and part-time residents. For more information about the city of Ketchum, visit www.ketchumidaho.org.

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