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## *News Release*

# Dallas Police Department

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### **Swearing In Ceremony of Chief U. René Hall**

The Dallas Police Department and the City of Dallas will host the swearing in ceremony of Chief U. René Hall on Wednesday, May 2, from 3:45 – 5:30 p.m. at the Latino Cultural Center located at 2600 Live Oak St. A reception with light refreshments will be held from 3:45 – 4:30 p.m., with the ceremony beginning promptly at 4:45 p.m.

After the tragic event on Tuesday, April 24, 2018, Chief Hall has requested to pay tribute to fallen Officer Rogelio Santander, Jr. and injured Officer Crystal Almeida and focus on healing for the Department and community as part of the ceremony. After Chief Hall takes the ceremonial oath of office, she will have a special presentation of Officer Santander's badge to his family. Chief Hall will be available for sound after the ceremony.

Media will have reserved parking on the south side of the building along Florence Street. There will be a reserved media area inside the auditorium as well. Media needs to arrive and check in no later than 3:30 p.m.

Please send the names of the camera person and reporter who will be in attendance to the Dallas Police Media Relations Unit at [pio@dpd.dallascityhall.com](mailto:pio@dpd.dallascityhall.com)

For more information regarding the swearing in ceremony, please contact the Police Media Relations Unit at (214) 671-4065.