

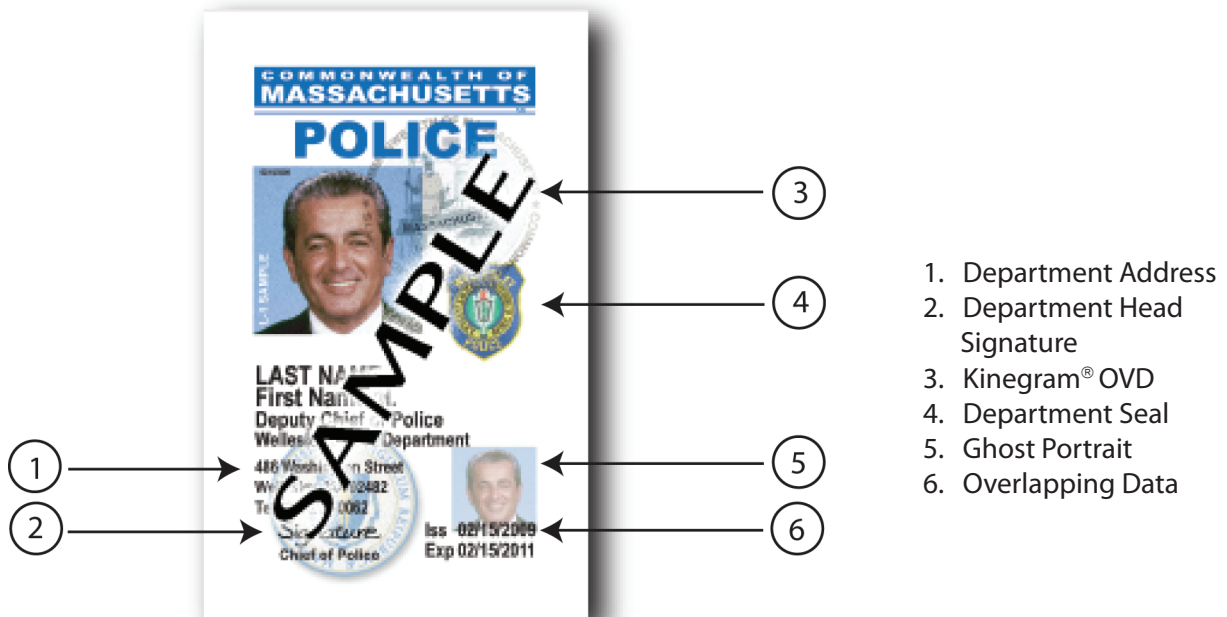


# The Massachusetts Police Identification Card

Under a program administered by the Massachusetts Chiefs of Police Association and the Massachusetts Major City Chiefs, municipal police officers and officers of the MBTA Transit Police carry uniform identification cards that use security features to thwart counterfeiting and tampering. All identification cards carried by police officers of these departments should match the graphic below, and use a laminate that will mark the card surface if someone attempts to tamper with it.

The MCOPA administers the identification card program in partnership with its technology provider L-1 Identity Solutions.

## FRONT



1. Department Address
2. Department Head Signature
3. Kinegram® OVD
4. Department Seal
5. Ghost Portrait
6. Overlapping Data

## FEATURE DESCRIPTIONS

- 1 Department Address & Phone Number**  
Each officer's ID will have their department address and a telephone number that is answered 24/7. It also provides contact information if the ID is ever lost and found.
- 2 Department Head Signature**  
Each ID contains the signature of the department head.
- 3 Kinegram® OVD**  
This security feature utilizes an image where the colors change as the ID is rotated and turned. The Kinegram used on these ID's is the same Massachusetts seal used on the new Massachusetts driver's licenses.
- 4 Department Seal**  
Each officer's ID will have their specific department seal.
- 5 Ghost Portrait**  
The faint (ghost) image is placed under variable data (the issue date) for greater security.
- 6 Overlapping Data**  
Variable data, such as signature and text, can be "overlapped" with another field, such as photo image. In this case it is the ID's issue date.