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Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards

***Commission Resolution 2014-08  
Resolution to Honor Police Officer Rodney Jones  
And Extend Public Safety Officer Benefits***

***WHEREAS***, the Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards is the duly appointed body of state government providing for the training and licensure of Michigan law enforcement officers; and,

***WHEREAS***, Officer Rodney Jones began his law enforcement career after attending and graduating from the Detroit Police Metro Academy in 1985; and,

***WHEREAS***, Officer Rodney Jones served as a licensed officer in the State of Michigan for over 27 years and devoted his entire career to the Detroit Police Department; and,

***WHEREAS***, Officer Rodney Jones was a dedicated public servant who performed his duties in a manner that has brought honor to the entire law enforcement profession; and,

***WHEREAS***, Officer Rodney Jones demonstrated commitment and care in the exercise of his duties and was an eager protector of the public, demonstrated by his joining the Detroit Police Gang Squad and serving as a member of the Detroit Police Honor Guard; and,

***WHEREAS***, Officer Rodney Jones was representing the Detroit Police Department at a motorcycle competition when he lost his life; and,

***WHEREAS***, the Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards, on behalf of all Michigan public safety officers, expresses profound sympathy to the family, fellow police officers, friends, and loved ones of Officer Rodney Jones.

***NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOVED***, that the members of the Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards pay their highest tribute to the service and sacrifice of Officer Rodney Jones; and,

***BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED*** that all eligible benefits provided through the Public Safety Officer Benefits Act shall be extended to the survivors of Officer Rodney Jones.

*Unanimously adopted by the Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards on December 10, 2014*

  
Jerry L. Clayton, Chair