

Commission Resolution 2016–05 Resolution to Honor Fallen Spring Arbor Township Firefighter Charles Adams, Jr. 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, Firefighter Charles "Chuck" Adams, Jr. served as a Firefighter with the Spring Arbor Township Fire Department; and,

WHEREAS, Firefighter Charles Adams, Jr. was a dedicated public servant who performed his duties in a manner that has brought honor to the firefighting profession and also served the law enforcement community for over 25 years, retiring as a Sergeant with the Jackson County Sheriff's Office; and,

WHEREAS, Firefighter Charles Adams, Jr. devoted to his family, was married to his wife, Susan, for 22 years and shared their home and love with their beloved dogs Nova and Lacey.

WHEREAS, the Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards, on behalf of all Michigan public safety officers, expresses profound sympathy to the family, firefighters, sheriff deputies, friends, and loved ones of Charles Adams, Jr.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the members of the Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards pay their highest tribute to the service and sacrifice of Firefighter Charles Adams, Jr.; and,

BEITFURTHER RESOLVED that all eligible benefits provided through the Public Safety Officers Benefits Act shall be extended to the survivors of Firefighter Charles Adams, Jr.

Unanimously adopted by the Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards on June 13, 2016

Jerry Clauton, Chair