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Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards

*Commission Resolution 2018-06
Resolution to Honor Fallen Otsego County Sherriff's Department
Corrections Officer Thomas C. Bunker
And Extend Public Safety Officer Benefits*

WHEREAS, the Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards is the agency of the State of Michigan that sets standards for training and licensure of Michigan law enforcement officers and administers the Public Safety Officers Benefit Program; and,

WHEREAS, Officer Thomas C. Bunker served honorably as an Officer with the Otsego Sheriff's Department for over 15 years; and,

WHEREAS, Officer Thomas C. Bunker was a dedicated public servant who performed his duties in a manner that has brought honor to the entire public safety profession; and,

WHEREAS, Officer Thomas C. Bunker's commitment to excellence was evidenced in his years of service with the Otsego County Sheriff's Department; and,

WHEREAS, Officer Thomas C. Bunker demonstrated commitment and care in the exercise of his duties and was an eager protector of the public and his fellow officers and made the ultimate sacrifice when he experienced a heart attack following a training exercise; and

WHEREAS, the Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards, on behalf of all Michigan public safety officers, expresses profound sympathy to the family, fellow officers, friends, and loved ones of Officer Thomas C. Bunker.

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 Officer Thomas C. Bunker; 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 Thomas C. Bunker.

Unanimously adopted by the Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards on September 12, 2018.

David E. Molloy, Vice-Chair