

Commission Resolution 2020-01 Resolution to Honor Fallen Lovells Township Firefighter Robert Jack Stott, Jr. And Extend Public Safety Officer Benefits

WHEREAS, the Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards is the duly appointed body of state government conferred with the authority to administer the Michigan Public Safety Officers Benefit; and,

**WHEREAS**, Robert Jack Stott, Jr. was the Assistant Fire Chief with the Lovells Township Fire Department. He received his State of Michigan Firefighter I & II certification in 2003.

WHEREAS, Robert Jack Stott, Jr. was a dedicated public servant who performed his duties in a manner that has brought honor to the entire public safety profession; and,

WHEREAS, Robert Jack Stott, Jr. commitment to excellence was evidenced by his dedication in training as he was also a licensed Medical First Responder.

WHEREAS, Robert Jack Stott, Jr. demonstrated commitment and care in the exercise of his duties and was an eager protector of the public, demonstrated by his dedication to the community he served; and,

WHEREAS, Robert Jack Stott, Jr. sustained a fatal heart attack after responding to a call the evening before; and,

WHEREAS, Robert Jack Stott, Jr., devoted to his family, was married to his wife Sandra for 37 years and the father of Sheena, Timothy, and Robert.

WHEREAS, the Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards, on behalf of all Michigan public safety officers, expresses profound sympathy to the family, fellow public safety officers, friends, and loved ones of Robert Jack Stott, 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 Robert Jack Stott, Jr.; and,

**BEITFURTHER RESOLVED** that all eligible benefits provided through the Public Safety Officer Benefits Act shall be extended to the survivors of Robert Jack Stott, Jr.

Unanimously adopted by the Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards on February 12, 2020.

David E. Molloy, Chair