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July 17, 2017

Senator Rick Jones
P.O. Box 30036
Lansing, MI 48909-7536

Re: SB 400 – Emergency 9-1-1 Service Enabling Act

Dear Senator Jones:

The Michigan Association of Chiefs of Police supports HB 4651 and SB 400.

It is critical to the public safety needs of our responders, citizens and communities that the vital 911 infrastructure remains funded. These bills address statutory and funding changes that will sustain 911 network costs and continued migration to the necessary Next Gen 911 IP infrastructure.

For public safety agencies, quick, reliable and accurate location information is imperative to providing service to citizens during an emergency. Information can be key to responder safety in critical incidents. Next Gen 911 networks allow for the ability to provide media directly to the first responders such as video, photos and text which can make the difference in safety, suspect capture and accurate information relay.

Our Association joins the 911 professionals from across the State of Michigan in asking for your consideration on these critical needs and support of these bills.

Please feel free to contact me if you would like further information.

Sincerely,

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Representative Jason Sheppard
N-990 House Office Building
P.O. Box 30014
Lansing, MI 48909

Re: HB 4651 – Emergency 9-1-1 Service Enabling Act

Dear Representative Sheppard:

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Representative Larry Inman
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