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Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards

Commission Resolution 2024-03
Resolution to Honor
Michigan State Police Trooper Joel Popp
And Extend Public Safety 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, Trooper Joel Popp proudly served as a Trooper for the Michigan State Police, serving honorably in this position with passion, pride, and professionalism; and,

WHEREAS, Trooper Joel Popp was a dedicated public servant who performed his duties in a manner that has brought honor to the entire law enforcement profession; and,

WHEREAS, Trooper Joel Popp has demonstrated commitment and care in the exercise of his duties and was an eager protector of the public, demonstrated by his commitment to public service to the Citizens of the State of Michigan; and,

WHEREAS, Trooper Joel Popp, devoted to his family, was happily married to wife, Stefanie, proud father of daughter, Emalyn, devoted son, and brother; 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 Trooper Joel Popp.

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 Trooper Joel Popp; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all eligible benefits provided through the Public Safety Officers Benefits Act shall be extended to the survivors of Trooper Joel Popp.

Unanimously adopted by the Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards on April 24, 2024

Kim Koster, Chair