

January 28, 2025

Criminal Justice Agency/Department Head:

The Florida State Fraternal Order of Police and the Auxiliary will be hosting our 43rd Annual Law Enforcement Memorial Service on Monday, April 28, 2025. This service will be held in Tallahassee; however, the location is not confirmed due to the on-going construction issues at the Memorial site. Updates can be found at <u>www.floridafop.com</u> under the Memorial Foundation dropdown menu.

There will be a barbeque dinner provided for all in attendance Sunday, April 27, 2025, beginning at 3:30 PM at the Ponce de Leon Park across from the Doubletree hotel, located at 101 South Adams Street. The Evening of Remembrance Service will be on, Sunday, April 27th at 7:00 PM at a location to be determined.

On Monday, April 28th the Memorial Ceremony is scheduled to begin at 9:30 AM at a location to be determined. This is a day of remembering all of our Law Enforcement Officers who gave their lives to serve and protect the citizens of their communities.

There will be a procession of Color Guard Teams and vehicles to the memorial location. Agencies wishing to participate during the Memorial should contact either Boris Millares or Juan Thomas and check the website at <u>floridafop.com</u> for updated information.

For Escort Officer and General Information, please contact Boris Millares:

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Ceremony and General Information, please contact Sergeant Juan Thomas:

• Juan_Thomas@sheriff.org 954-661-2161

For Survivor Sponsorships and General Information, please contact Donna Suereth:

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We request that you check for updates on the website on the status of the memorial services, schedules, attendance and hotel options. Thank you for making this a memorable event for those loved ones left behind.

Sincerely yours,

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