



Indiana State Lodge Fraternal Order of Police 1934

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To All Indiana Teamsters

Dear Brothers and Sisters:

The Indiana Fraternal Order of Police wishes to thank all Indiana Teamsters for supporting our charitable foundation by purchasing your official Indiana Teamsters License Plate issued by the Indiana Bureau of Motor Vehicles. A small percentage of fees tendered for each Teamsters plate purchased goes to support the Indiana FOP Foundation, Inc. Our charitable foundation was created in 2003 to assist the survivors of police officers killed in the line of duty, underwrite the cost of our critical incident response team, provide funding for our Annual Memorial Service, and so much more.

We look forward to the continuing growth of this newly launched Teamsters Vanity Plate Program to help support the Indiana FOP Foundation, Inc. By doing so you continue to promote the good and patriotic names of the IBT and Indiana Teamsters Locals throughout Indiana.

It is never too late to join the Teamsters Vanity Plate Program. You can buy your vanity plates at time of license renewal or, for a few dollars more, you can buy your license plates anytime.

I am looking forward to the continued cooperation and solidarity between police officers, their FOP and the Teamsters. I would like to give special thanks to Teamsters Local 142 of Gary, Indiana and its Principle Officer, Richard Knipp, as well as its President, Mitch Sawochka without whom this funding of the FOP Foundation would never have occurred.

On behalf of all survivors and those who benefit through the FOP Charitable Foundation, I thank all Teamsters for their support.

Sincerely,

Tim Downs
President
Indiana State Fraternal Order of Police