



FRANKLIN – BINGHAM FARMS POLICE BENEVOLENT FUND

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Dear Friends of the Franklin – Bingham Farms Police Department:

The *Franklin – Bingham Farms Police Benevolent Fund* was created four years ago and exists to provide financial assistance in times of need for first responders, both in our community and around the state. As an IRS approved 501(c)(3) charitable organization, this Fund allows donors to deduct contributions they make while supporting our mission to assist first responders when the need arises. We are grateful for the support we have received and are asking for your continued support and assistance to meet the needs of our Village police staff as well as meeting the financial needs of other public safety professionals in the area.

Some examples of support given by the Benevolent Fund during the past year includes an instance where one of our newer Franklin Police Officers sustained an off-duty injury and was unable to work for a sustained period. Having depleted their sick time, the Officer would have been without pay except for the assistance provided by the Fund. Also this past year, the Fund provided financial assistance to an Officer from the Sterling Heights Police Department who was unable to work while battling cancer. A third example was assistance provided to a sergeant with the Michigan State Police who was also battling a serious medical condition.

As we continue to assist public servants and their families who are in difficult situations, we are asking you to consider donating to our 501(c)(3) Fund so that we can continue to assist public safety professionals in their time of need. For your convenience, a return envelope has been provided for donations. In the alternative, you can visit our Website or Facebook Page to make an electronic donation via a PayPal giving tab. Our new Website can be found at WWW.VillagePoliceFund.org, and our Facebook page can be found by searching the *Franklin – Bingham Farms Police Benevolent Fund*.

The public servants of our community work diligently to provide our residents and businesses with an environment of safety and security. We have the opportunity to support those who work hard to support us. Should you require any additional information regarding this Fund and its mission, we invite you to directly contact any of the Board of Directors listed below.

Sincerely,

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