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**International Association of Chiefs of Police Honors Lt. Steven R. Floyd, Sr.
with the Tribute to Slain Officers**

Dover, DE – Police chiefs from various jurisdictions across the state, representatives from the law enforcement community, and Governor John Carney gathered at the Department of Correction Administration building today as the International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP) honored the family of Lt. Steven R. Floyd, Sr. with the Tribute to Slain Officers. The IACP Tribute to Slain Officers is given to the survivors of an active-duty officer who died in felonious or accidental means during the course of performing police functions while on – or off – duty. Lt. Floyd was killed during the hostage event at James T. Vaughn Correctional Center on February 1-2, 2017.

"Lieutenant Floyd died doing a job he loved, serving a country he loved even more. Lieutenant Floyd has become part of all that is decent, honorable and intrepid about America," said Commissioner Perry Phelps. "To think Lieutenant Floyd is heroic because of his death is to miss the significance of this tribute. What was so noble about him was not how he died, but how he lived."

Photos from the event are attached.





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