



HARRIS COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE FOUNDATION

May 9, 2017

MEMORIAL GARDEN *HONORING OUR FALLEN PEACE OFFICERS*

The Harris County Sheriff's Office Foundation, (HCSOF) was established by a group of dedicated business and philanthropic leaders from our community who joined together as "Founding Members" of the Harris County Sheriff's Office Foundation, (HCSOF).

The foundation primarily serves as a resource to provide supplemental funding for the purchase of equipment and training needs for the deputies at the HCSO when other sources of funding are not available.

From its inception, the HCSOF joined in the vision for the construction of a proper memorial for our fallen Peace Officers of Harris County and made a commitment to design and build a "Memorial Garden" to honor and pay tribute to our fallen deputies who have made the ultimate sacrifice as "Guardians of the Peace".

The conceptual architectural design of the "Memorial Garden" was created by the Harris County Sheriff's Office Foundation and the construction of the "Memorial Garden" was fully funded by private donations to the foundation. With construction of the Memorial Garden now complete, it will be formally dedicated in tribute to our fallen Peace Officers who have made the ultimate sacrifice of life while in the "line of duty" on May 10, 2017. This dedication will immediately follow this year's annual Harris County Peace Officers Memorial Service during which survivors and fellow law enforcement representatives are joined by citizens from our community and public officials to honor and give tribute to the memory of our fallen during police week each May.

The "Memorial Garden" is located at 3001 Main St. Houston, Texas, and is an integral part of the newly completed Crime Stoppers of Houston headquarters and first ever "safety block" committed to the purpose of bringing the community and law enforcement together at a central location with an emphasis on crime prevention and safety education.

With the dedication of this "Memorial Garden", there now exists a sacred place to honor those who have served to protect the public and the citizens of Harris County. The HCSOF thanks our Founding Members and donors who have funded this project, Crime Stoppers and also our previous and current officials with the HCSO, all of whom have joined together to make this vision a reality.

For while they may be gone, they are not forgotten...

For more information, please contact Katrina Arnim, Executive Director at: katrina@hcssof.org

With gratitude,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Katrina Arnim".

Katrina Arnim
Executive Director

Mission: To assist and support the men and women of the Harris County Sheriff's Office in carrying out their law enforcement mandates in the safest and most efficient manner. The Harris County Sheriff's Office Foundation is designated by the IRS as a 501(c)(3) non-profit.

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