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Sgt. Arthur Troop of England formed the International Police Association Jan. 1950. He wanted to create a channel for friendship and international co-operation among police officers, in an environment free from discrimination of rank, sex, race, color, language or religion. The United States Section was formed on February 26, 1962.

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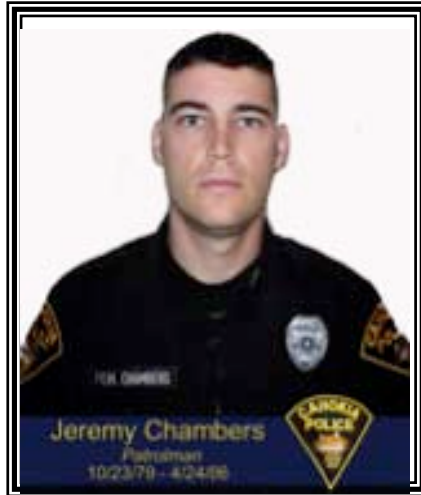
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NEXT MEETING  
**TUESDAY**  
*December 16*  
 6 PM

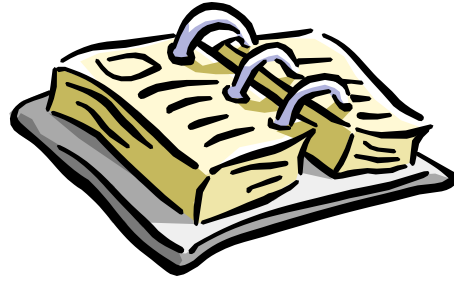
**Good Old Days**  
**New Baden**

**TRAVEL RAFFLE**  
**DRAWING!**

**Region 57 Meetings**  
 6:00 pm, Normally 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday  
 of every other month

2008 Meeting Dates

Feb 19  
 Apr 15  
 Jun 17  
 Aug 19  
 Oct 21  
 Dec 16



CALENDAR

Annual Jeremy Chambers Picnic

4th 2009 SAT OCT 17, 1-4  
 NEW BADEN PARK  
 5th 2010 SAT OCT 18, 1-4

National Conferences

2009 OCT 25-29 HERE, Region 57

2010 NEC/NDC JUN 10-11

2010 Alaska Cruise JUN 12-19

2011 Galveston or New Orleans

2012 NEC/NDC Nov 7-8, Wash DC

2012 Nov 9-13 50th Celebration  
 Wash DC

International Conferences

2009 Oct 6 -11 Turkey 19th  
 World Congress

2010 Sept 7-12 France 36th IEC

2011 Romania 37th IEC

2012 Israel 38th IEC



AGENCY CONTACTS

Alton	Mike Bazzell
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Caseyville	Ann Delmore
Collinsville	David Roth
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DEA	Mark Schilli
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**REGION HONORARY MEMBERS**

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Dr. Harold Johnson**

**HISTORIC HONORARY MEMBERS**



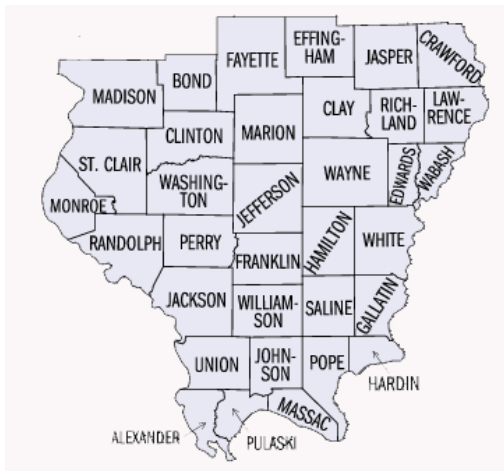
**Meriwether Lewis & William Clark**  
Began their journey in Wood River

**FOR FUN HONORARY MEMBERS**



**Superman**  
(Raised in Metropolis)

**Popeye**  
(born in Chester)



***New Members***



***Nate Weinel, Mascoutah PD***

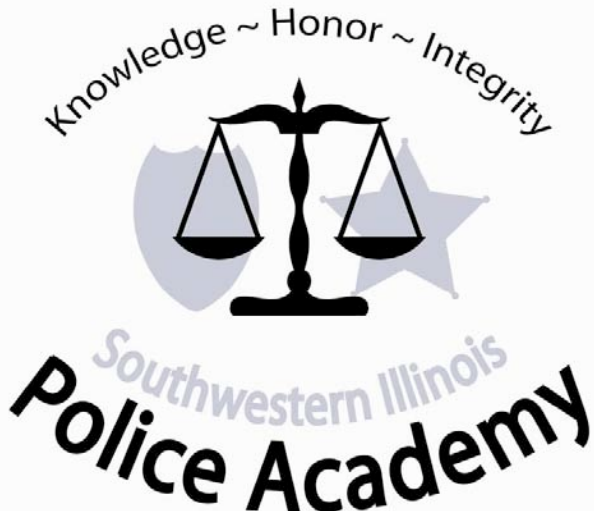
***Larry Gardner, Monroe County SD***

***Jared Lambert, Mascoutah PD***

***Matt Steinkamp, Mascoutah PD***

***If you have any member news,  
please send it on!***

***Please send in your  
Travel Raffle  
tickets by December!***



# LOOKING FOR SESSION 7 GRADUATES

The Southwestern Illinois Police Academy will be celebrating the graduation of Session 107 on December 12, 2008.

As part of our celebration we would also like to recognize the graduates of Session 7– 100 sessions ago!

We would appreciate any help you can give us in locating the following graduates.

Please contact us by phone at (618) 222-5653 or e-mail [Susan.Attaway@swic.edu](mailto:Susan.Attaway@swic.edu) if you can help. Thank you, as always, for your support of the police

## Belleville P.D.

**Cornett**, Glen  
**Gutreuter**, Edward  
**Heffernan**, Mark  
**Krug**, Steven  
**Schlattweiler**, Eugene  
**Seper**, Harry

## Cahokia HS Security

**Borremans**, Vern

## Cahokia P.D.

**Evans**, Henry

## Carmi P.D.

**Marler**, Robert

## Centreville P.D.

**Harris**, Fred

## Columbia P.D.

**Henckler**, Gene

## Granite City P.D.

**Rosenburg**, David

## Hillsboro P.D.

**Ondesko**, Andrew

## Millstadt P.D.

**Pettus**, Ronald

## St. Clair Co. S.D.

**Dressel**, Kurt

**Ratliffe**, John

**Foster**, Arthur

**Schmidt**, Terry

**Weber**, John

**Latner**, Thomas

## Swansea P.D.

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## Washington Co. S.D.

## Washington Park P.D.



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## *Member Birthdays*

### **NOVEMBER**

Joshua Bayer  
Columbia PD

Mike Boyne  
Belleville PD-Ret

Chuck Ford - Ret

Larry Gilbert  
SWIC Police Academy

Matthew Mason  
Cahokia PD

Chaplain Father  
Mark Reyling  
St. Joe Cath. Church

Ken Thomason  
Saint Elmo PD

Raymond Waggaman  
E. St. Louis PD - Ret

### **DECEMBER**

Bradley Clossen  
St. Clair County SD

Jason Cooper  
Dupo PD

Gene Isbell - Ret

Douglas Keys  
Dupo PD

Scott Penny  
Fairmont PD

Norman Thompson  
Sec of State

Norm Venable  
Cahokia PD - Ret

Sign up  
a new  
member  
today!



## *R57 President's Notes*

We held our 3rd annual Jeremy Chambers picnic at Caseyville Park in October. We sent a flyer to every Fire Department in 5 counties and EMS workers helped us get the word out to EMS and still, we saw very few firefighters and/or EMS. If any one has any suggestions on how to get the word out better next year, we're listening. We also had fewer police and family members show than we had hoped for. But we will continue to hold it each year and hope it slowly grows. Thanks to all who helped and especially Kevin McGinnis and Chris McGinnis who were our cooks and Ann Delmore who set up the park for us.

The second ALL ILLINOIS weekend in Springfield was excellent. Region 22 did a fantastic job. Two hospitality evenings, a great dinner, entrance to the Lincoln Museum and a tour of Springfield, all for a \$5 reservation fee! You missed a great time. Members came from as far as Baltimore!

Thanks to Larry Gilbert and the SWIC Academy for the donation of some ball caps and sweatshirts as giveaways for our 2009 NDC. Thanks to Mayor (former Chief) Lange of Effingham for the donation of promotional flashlights and items. Thanks to Chief Delmore and Fairview Heights PD for agreeing to provide the color guard for our event. If your city or agency has ANYTHING they would like to include in our registration bags, please let me know. Lapel pins, pens, patches, city brochures, ANYTHING. We'd love to include your items in the registration bags. We need about 200 of whatever. If you have only a few items we will sit those back as attendance prizes.

The BBQ trailer has put on a lot of miles this year. As a reminder, it is available to any police, fire or EMS agency for an agency function. It is also available to members for their personal use.

**TICKETS:** Thanks to all the members who have purchased or sold the raffle tickets. Some members bought all five which is more than was expected and it is appreciated. Others bought and sold the 5. But many members have yet to send back any tickets or money. **PLEASE help make our first fundraiser a success!** Even the purchase of one ticket is a great help. We need to sell 150 tickets to cover the prize which we have reached but we need to sell many more if it will provide us any money for our Region to use for scholarships or the 2009 Event. The drawing will be Dec. 16.

**2009 NATIONAL CONFERENCE:** We will hold an organizational planning meeting in late January or early February to prepare for our 2009 Conference. Thanks to all of you who said they are able to help. **WE NEED HELP** from members and spouses. Folks to ride the tour buses with our guests so we have a contact on board, help with registrations, help working the sales table, help directing folks from the airport to MetroLink, help with the vendors area etc. You don't have to give up the entire week of Oct 25-29. If we have enough folks to give a day or two we can make it work. This is our chance to showcase our area to officers from around the country and world. Know any vendors who may want space at our event?

*To assist in the 2009 event,  
please call or email me  
and join the volunteers list.*

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## *Coming National and International Events*



### **SCOTLAND**

“Bonnie Scotland” Friendship Week celebrating the 30th anniversary of the Central Scotland region. The event will be held in 2010, from August 7 to 14. Cost is 625 pounds per person. *(Editor’s note: I attended the 25th anniversary in 2005 and it was fantastic. In fact it is still considered one of the finest IPA events ever held)*



### **FINLAND**

50th Anniversary of the IPA section Finland will be held June 4 through the 7,

2009. It will be held at the Sokos Hotel Hamburger Börs, in Turku, Finland

### **REGION 15 (New York)**

January 26-29, 2009,  
Annual Getaway to  
Woodloch Pines Resort,  
Hawley, PA



*What are your favorite  
movie quotes?*

*Remember these from The Jerk?*

*He hates these cans. Stay away  
from the cans!*

*Navin, I'd love you if you were the color  
of a baboon's ass.*

*The new phone book's here!  
The new phone book's here!*

*Email your favorites to [kevin@kgordon.com](mailto:kevin@kgordon.com)*



## New Scholarship Created At Recent National Conference



At the recent National Conference the IPA National Board implemented a new scholarship program for the children and grandchildren of members in good standing of the IPA-US. Such children and grandchildren are defined as natural, adopted or legal dependents of the member in good standing. Four scholarships of \$500 each will be awarded each year in the Harold Litwin Sr. Memorial Scholarship. Howard was the founder of the US section and passed away this year.

Eligible students must have completed their first semester as a full time student with a cumulative average of 2.0 or better at an accredited college or university, matriculating toward an Associate or Baccalaureate degree in the Law Enforcement field. The applicant must submit an official/certified transcript of the first semester of college, and the applicant may apply for the scholarship every year, however they may only receive the scholarship every two years. Applications are available on line and must be submitted by March 1 each year.

The IPA is looking for scholarship candidates who not only want to continue in a career in Law Enforcement but who best exemplify the IPA motto of “Service Through Friendship” both in their school and/or community. Award winners will be chosen not for their school marks but for their dedication to community as well. All children and grandchildren of members are encouraged to apply for this scholarship.

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS AND JOIN US FOR THE 2009 NDC IN REGION 57



Where the Mother Road, the National Road, the Loneliest Road, the Great River Road, the Lewis & Clark Trail and the Ohio River Byway all meet!

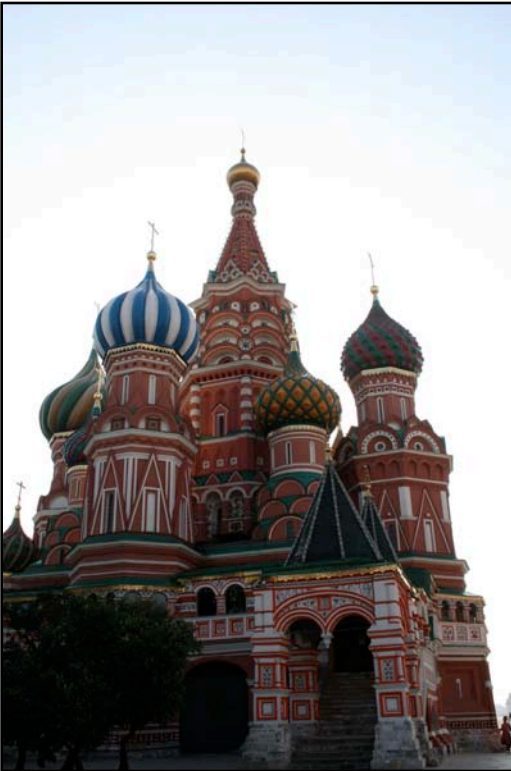
### Sunday Oct 25 – Thursday Oct 29

<b>Saturday Oct. 24</b> Arrival of National Board	<b>Sunday Oct. 25</b> NEC Meeting and General Arrival
<b>Monday Oct. 26</b> NDC Meeting	<b>Tuesday Oct. 27</b> Tour Day
<b>Wednesday Oct. 28</b> Tour Day	<b>Thursday Oct 29</b> Tour day and Banquet

## Gordon represents the IPA in Russia.

Region 57 President Gordon served as one of three US representatives at the International Executive Council (IEC) meeting of the International Police Association (IPA) recently held in Moscow, Russia. Gordon, one of six elected national officers, was joined by two other executive board members, Vi Powrie of NY, and Richard Nevarez of CA. The International Executive Council is the supreme body of the International Police Association, and has overall responsibility for it. One hundred and thirty-five active and retired officers from fifty-eight countries attended the International meeting.

At this year's meeting, an informal workshop was held that permitted officers from all the countries to exchange ideas on how to combat the exploitation of children in their countries. This year's International Police Association International Executive Council, while held in Moscow, had additional activities in St. Petersburg. The Sept event was the 35<sup>th</sup> annual IEC conference and included a friendship week in which officers from around the world visit the host country and local officers. Recent IECs have been held in Great Britain, South Africa, Norway, Czech Republic, Ireland, Slovenia and Hungary, with Turkey and France hosting the next two conferences.



## FIRST-EVER NATIONAL LAW ENFORCEMENT MUSEUM RECEIVES FINAL APPROVAL FROM NATIONAL CAPITAL PLANNING COMMISSION

*Unanimous vote moves world-class Museum project one step closer  
to scheduled opening in Washington, DC*

**Washington, DC** – The first-ever, Congressionally authorized National Law Enforcement Museum, scheduled to open in Washington, DC in 2011, received final approval Thursday from a key federal planning agency.

In a unanimous vote, the National Capital Planning Commission approved final site and building plans for the three-story, mostly underground Museum, which will be located in the 400 block of E Street, NW, in the District's historic Judiciary Square. The site is adjacent to the National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial, dedicated in 1991 as a tribute to officers killed in the line of duty.

"I applaud the Commission's rigorous review of this project and am grateful that the Commissioners have once again affirmed this Museum's significance to the national capital region," said Craig W. Floyd, chairman and CEO of the National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial Fund, which is leading the effort to build the Museum. "The Commission's action is another step forward—a critically important step forward—in our quest to create a truly world-class museum dedicated to the law enforcement profession. The fact that this long-overdue Museum will be located right here in our nation's capital, literally across the street from our world-class Memorial, only makes this project all the more meaningful for our nation's law enforcement community and the public it serves," Mr. Floyd added.

The NCPC is the federal government's central planning agency for federal land and buildings in the national capital region, which includes the District of Columbia and surrounding counties in Maryland and Virginia. The 12-member Commission represents a variety of constituencies, ensuring a balance between local and federal interests. The current chairman is John V. Cogbill, III, an attorney from Virginia.

Thursday's vote followed the NCPC's approval in April 2007 of the Museum's concept design. In addition, the U.S. Commission of Fine Arts (CFA) in May voted unanimously to approve the final design of the Museum. Approvals by both the NCPC and the CFA are required for the privately-funded Museum, which will be located on federal parkland.

Authorized by Congress in the year 2000, the National Law Enforcement Museum will be a 95,000 square foot, mostly underground museum that will provide visitors with a comprehensive and compelling look at law enforcement in the United States. The Museum will feature high-tech, interactive exhibitions, interesting historical and contemporary artifacts, a research center and extensive educational programming.

The Museum is designed by Davis Buckley Architects and Planners of Washington, DC, the firm that also designed the National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial. The Memorial now contains the names of 18,274 law enforcement officers who have died in the line of duty throughout U.S. history. The Museum's exhibitions, which include four permanent galleries and one changing exhibitions gallery, are being designed by Christopher Chadbourne & Associates of Boston, whose work includes the Mount Vernon Museum and Education Center and the National Museum of the Marine Corps.

The National Law Enforcement Museum has launched an \$80 million capital campaign; approximately \$36 million has been raised to date from law enforcement organizations, corporations, foundations and individuals from across the country. Former Presidents Bill Clinton and George H.W. Bush serve as the national honorary co-chairs of the Museum campaign, which is called a "Matter of Honor."

For more information about the Museum, including a virtual tour, visit [www.LawEnforcementMuseum.org](http://www.LawEnforcementMuseum.org).

# PATCH BOARD

*Each month we will present a patch of a Region 57 department along with any historical information available. Send us a patch or just scan it in & email it.*



This month we look at the Columbia Police Department. Columbia's patch is a traditional shape and contains the shape of the state of Illinois with the Illinois state seal in the center. The town was originally laid out in 1820 on the bluffs to protect it against the flooding of the Mississippi River. The date of the city incorporation of 1859 is listed on the patch.

Located on the Kaskaskia Trail, Columbia became an attractive stopping-off point for pioneers and immigrants. The German immigration began in 1833 with the majority arriving in the 1840's. US land agents had traveled to Germany to sell parcels of land to emigrating Germans so when they arrived in the US they went directly to their own parcels of land.

Columbia became a town in 1859 and in 1868 the first railroad tracks were laid. In 1927 Columbia became a city.

An interesting note, at the St. Louis World's Fair in 1904, on Sept. 22, 1904 all businesses and schools in Columbia were closed and 1000 of the 1300 inhabitants of

the town attended the World's Fair on that one day. It set a record of attendance for members of one community to be at the Fair at the same time.

In 1959, the 100th birthday of Columbia was celebrated with a large community festival. Next year Columbia will celebrate its 150th anniversary.

The Columbia Police Department is headed by Chief Joe Edwards and consists of fifteen officers including the Chief, and also utilizes the assistance of several part-time officers.

Columbia has lost one officer in the line of duty, Sgt. Alfred Descher. His end of watch was Monday, Feb. 17, 1964. Descher had been an officer for 9 years, was 64 years old and left behind a wife and 7 children. He was struck and killed by a tractor trailer at the scene of an accident on Route 3, just outside of the Columbia city limits. He had responded to the accident and while speaking with one of the ISP officers a tractor trailer jack-knifed, striking Sergeant Descher and an ISP car. Descher was killed instantly and the state police officer suffered minor injuries.



Note: Information obtained from city web site, [odmp.org](http://odmp.org) and [illinois.com](http://illinois.com).



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## ***NDC BYLAW CHANGES***

There were several bylaw changes voted on at the recent NDC in Colorado Springs. Some were just language clean ups while others changed minor areas. There are 3 that will interest the general membership.

First is who can be a member. The goal was to try and make membership standard across the country. The old language defined a law enforcement officer as a person with a formal commission with the authority to make arrests for violations of laws. This simple statement caused a lot of confusion as each states defines a police officer differently. Some states consider correction officers and/or probation officers police officers while other don't.

The end result was we had individuals who were accepted as members in one state and when they moved to another state, a region there would question their membership because the definition of police officer was different in their state. This isn't an issue in other countries where generally all police officers are national.

I requested the bylaw committee prepare a bylaw modification that would use the same language of HR218, for 2 reasons. One it is good language and works. Secondly, without using such language we could actually have a person who wouldn't be allowed to be a member by IPA rules but could carry a gun as a retired officer under the federal law. That didn't make much sense. The entire National Board supported this bylaw change. The bylaw passed in general vote. The following shows the old language, struck through, and the new language underlined.

402.00 Regular membership in the association shall be open to all law enforcement officers employed full time with or retired from a law enforcement agency. Law enforcement officer is defined as a an employee of a governmental agency person with a formal commission, ~~appointment, or employment in a position that has statutory authority to enforce public laws and to make arrests for violations of these laws.~~ authorized by law to engage in or supervise the prevention, detection, investigation, or prosecution of, or the incarceration of any person for, any violation of law.

The second bylaw of interest was proposed by the Secretary General. It asked that dues be increased from \$25 to \$27, a \$2 supplemental surcharge for the purpose of creating funding to assist the U.S. Section 50th Anniversary Committee in planning and implementing the U.S. Section 50th Anniversary event. This supplemental surcharge would end after the year 2012.

As chair of the 50th committee, I know we need funds but I disagreed with this as the method. While the majority of the national board supported this, I did not and I informed the delegates of that.. The bylaw failed in general vote.

Third was some changes in the spouses of membership. The bylaws permit that if a member dies, the spouse can remain a member as many want to due to the friends they have made through the organization. The new language permits them to retain their spouses' membership number and permits the spouse of a life member to also be a life member which means they pay no dues.

Kevin Gordon

INTERNATIONAL POLICE ASSOCIATION  
 UNITED STATES SECTION  
 Membership Application  
 Please print or type all answers

Mail to: IPA Region 57  
 PO Box 7, Mascoutah, IL 62258

For office use only Date of enrollment _____ Date of reinstatement _____ IPA/USA # _____ Action taken or remarks: _____
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Name in Full \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ County, \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_ Male or \_\_\_ Female Spouse's Name (if any) \_\_\_\_\_

Law Enforcement Agency \_\_\_\_\_

Date Joined Law Enforcement Agency \_\_\_\_\_ Business Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Position \_\_\_\_\_ Retirement Date(if app.) \_\_\_\_\_ Reason (If less than 20 ys) \_\_\_\_\_

Have you previously been an I.P.A. member? \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No Previous IPA Number (if app) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_ Web Page (Dept. or personal) \_\_\_\_\_

Languages Spoken (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Answers to the following optional questions are not a prerequisite for gaining membership in the I.P.A.

Can you accommodate members of the I.P.A. from other countries or other parts of the U.S.? \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No

If "yes," please state what services you could provide (use of car, room, meals, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Are you willing to show visitors points of interest? \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No

I declare my desire for Membership in the U.S. Section of the International Police Association. I agree with the aims and objectives of the Association as outlined in the Statutes and Standing Orders, and that I shall conform to the Rules of the United States Section of the International Police Association. If accepted, I will endeavor to further the work of the Association by fulfilling the obligations of membership, and will submit my membership fee and regularly subscribe my renewal fee by the 1st of January each year to remain a member in good standing. I hereby authorize the Secretary General of the United States Section of the IPA to confirm and verify my status as a bonafide Police Agent or Officer for the Agency listed above. I release any individual, organization or agency from any and all liability incurred as a result of providing such information.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Make all checks payable to **INTERNATIONAL POLICE ASSOCIATION**. Membership shall be open to all serving and/or retired members of a duly organized Police Force, Department, or Agency, who are or were employed full time in the enforcement of the general criminal laws of their State or the United States Government (except members of the Military Police). MC/VISA accepted, Card # \_\_\_\_\_ exp date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

**Send a copy of both sides of your law enforcement I.D. or have the application certified by a member** (see below) Membership fee, upon application, is \$25.00. Renewal dues shall be \$25.00 per year. The enrollment date is the date the member is enrolled, and a number is issued, by the National Secretary General, U.S. Section. When the number is obtained by the Region, the member shall receive an International Membership Passport, Lapel Pin and National Newsletter. Payments may be deductible as miscellaneous itemized deductions for Federal Tax purposes.

This area for member recommending new applicant: (or attach a copy of both sides of your law enforcement agency I.D.) I do hereby certify that the above applicant meets all requirements for membership in the International Police Association.

Recommended by: Signature \_\_\_\_\_ IPA # \_\_\_\_\_ Region # \_\_\_\_\_

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