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# News Release

City of Farmers Branch, Texas

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## Farmers Branch Police to answer Governor Abbott's statewide call to 'Stand with Law Enforcement'

FARMERS BRANCH ~ Officers with the Farmers Branch Police Department will be answering Texas Governor Greg Abbott's call to 'Stand with Law Enforcement in Texas,' on Friday, September 4 at 11 a.m.

Governor Abbott is asking all law enforcement in Texas to honor Harris County Sheriff Deputy Darren Goforth as Texas continues to mourn his loss. All Texas Law Enforcement Officers have been asked to turn their red and blue flashing lights on for one minute at 11 a.m. this Friday, at the time Deputy Goforth's funeral is set to begin.

"With the negative image of law enforcement being perpetuated by small groups it is time for the silent majority to speak up and support the brave, dedicated men and women who put their lives on the line everyday," said Farmers Branch Police Chief Sid Fuller.

Farmers Branch officers will be parking their vehicles in a prominent location to activate their lights at 11 a.m. Many will line the front of the Farmers Branch Justice Center at 3723 Valley View Lane.

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**About the City of Farmers Branch:** The City of Farmers Branch, with a residential population of 28,800 and a daytime employment population of 66,000, is located on the northwest border of the City of Dallas. The City's 27 parks and lush greenbelts feature nationally-acclaimed, award-winning soccer fields, football facilities as well as baseball and softball complexes. The city's location in the center of the Metroplex and only 15 minutes away from both DFW Airport and Love Field, along with the 2,200 hotel rooms within the city, make Farmers Branch an ideal location for residents and for business. For more information on the City of Farmers Branch, visit [www.farmersbranchtx.gov](http://www.farmersbranchtx.gov) or call 972.919.2515.