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Law Enforcement Training Board

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Deal Indiana Sheriffs, Chiefs, Town Marshals, and Training Coordinators,

Pursuant to IC 5-2-1-1 and IC 5-2-1-9, the Indiana Law Enforcement Training Board ("LETB") was tasked with the responsibility of establishing a consistent and uniform statewide deadly force policy and a uniform statewide policy on minimum standards for vehicle pursuits. A subcommittee was formed to develop the policies and I am grateful for their effort. Special thanks to committee members:

Dr. Ronald Leach (prior to 7/1/22)
Major Nick Luce, Indiana University Police Academy
Russ McQuaid, FOX 59 WXIN-TV
Mayor Mark Myers, Greenwood
Sheriff Richard Myers, Morgan County Sheriff's Department
Chief Bryan Shearer, Ligonier Police Department
Chief Randal Taylor, Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Department
Timothy Horty, Executive Director Indiana Law Enforcement Training Academy (after 7/1/22)

At the meeting of the Law Enforcement Training Board held on November 7, 2022, the attached Uniform Statewide Policy on Minimum Standards for Vehicle Pursuits was established with an effective date of **January 1, 2023**. All Indiana law enforcement agencies, offices, and departments must incorporate this policy into existing policies, procedures, rules, and/or general orders no later than January 1, 2023. ILEA is currently developing a training program to explain the Policy, which will be available on ILEA's website prior to January 1, 2023.

In addition, the LETB established the attached Uniform Statewide Policy on Deadly Force, which will become effective **January 1, 2024**. All Indiana law enforcement agencies, offices, and departments must implement this Uniform Statewide Policy on Deadly Force no later than January 1, 2024. This policy may not be added to, modified, or altered by any Indiana law enforcement agency, office, or department. The subcommittee is developing the mandatory training program for this policy, which will be reviewed for approval by the LETB. The training program will be available on the ILEA website following approval by the LETB.

Cordially,

Timothy M. Horty Executive Director