Whereas, budget cuts are forcing thousands of police officers to deal with anti-cop riots, criminals -- and even the threat of active shooters -- without the proper training and equipment they need to do their jobs protecting us, our families and communities;

Whereas, in these troubled times, with the threat of active shooters and the radical anti-cop and “Defund the Police” movement sweeping the country this is no time for many of our officers to lack lifesaving equipment like bulletproof vests, riot protective gear, emergency first aid trauma kits and other equipment needed to do their jobs;

Whereas, with so much of law enforcement training being watered-down largely due to the “politically-correct” movement, coupled with local budget cuts, many in law enforcement are not getting the cutting edge active shooter response training they need in today’s world to protect themselves, us and our communities;

Whereas, when many of our police are vulnerable for lack of lifesaving equipment and proper training, then those of us they protect are vulnerable as well;

Now Therefore, I urge you to do everything in your power, when deciding our state budget to make funding our law enforcement agencies a top priority.

Respectfully signed,

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