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The Honorable Jerrold Nadler
Chairman
Committee on the Judiciary
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Jim Jordan
Ranking Member
Committee on the Judiciary
U.S. House of Representatives
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Dear Chairman Nadler and Ranking Member Jordan,

On behalf of the Major Cities Chiefs Association (MCCA), a professional organization of law enforcement executives representing the largest cities in the United States and Canada, I write to thank you for holding today's markup to commemorate National Police Week. Every May, law enforcement officers, families, and loved ones from around the country come to Washington, D.C., to honor the officers who lost their lives over the past year. This solemn occasion is a stark reminder of the many sacrifices brave law enforcement officers make every day in service to their communities.

As part of National Police Week, the leading national law enforcement associations and labor organizations put together a collective legislative agenda for Congress to consider. H.R. 2992, the *TBI/PTSD Law Enforcement Training Act*, and H.R. 6943, the *Public Safety Officer Support Act of 2022*, were a part of this year's legislative agenda. These bills will support law enforcement by providing critical training resources and helping to promote officer health and wellness.

Advancing these bills during National Police Week is a fitting tribute to those officers who lost their lives keeping our communities safe. The MCCA encourages the Committee to pass these bipartisan bills unanimously.

Thank you again for holding today's markup. Please do not hesitate to contact me if the MCCA can be of further assistance.

Sincerely,

Jeri Williams
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President, Major Cities Chiefs Association