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Commemoration for National Peace Officers Memorial Day

Niles, IL – The Niles Police Department will be honoring fallen police officers on May 15, 2018 at 11:00 a.m. at the waterfall located at Touhy and Milwaukee Avenue.

May 12th through May 16th is National Police Week. These events recognize the service and sacrifice of those Peace Officers who have lost their lives or have been disabled in the performance of their duties. The Niles Police Department knows first-hand how quickly tragedy can strike as Niles Police Officer Steven Zourkas died in a motor vehicle accident on April 8, 2005.

To honor these officers and their sacrifice, Mayor Andrew Przybylo will read a proclamation commemorating National Peace Officers Memorial Day. Niles Public Services dyed the waterfall blue to honor Peace Officers everywhere. In addition, members of the Niles Police Department Honor Guard will be present for the ceremony along with other community leaders and members of local law enforcement.

Please join us to honor the service and sacrifice of our local peace officers on May 15, 2018 at 11:00 am at Touhy and Milwaukee Avenue.