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2019 Officer of the Year Luncheon - Update

In light of recent news and our desire to safeguard the health and safety of the officers we seek to honor, their families, and our generous supporters, Omaha Crime Stoppers has decided not to hold the Officer of the Year luncheon on April 1st, 2020.

The Omaha Crime Stoppers program is committed to honoring the nominees and announcing the winner of the 2019 Officer of the Year award in a manner deserving of their excellence and dedication. We will be announcing at a later date who the Officer of the Year winner is and sharing more about the amazing work each nominee did in 2019.

To the nominees, thank you for your dedication, your diligence, and your willingness to protect and serve the Omaha community. To the families of the nominees, thank you for sharing your loved one with the city of Omaha in pursuit of making our community a safer place to live, work, and grow.

As there are costs associated with planning the event and ultimately honoring the deserving officers, and as this event is a primary fund raising event for our non-profit program, the Omaha Crime Stoppers board greatly appreciates any committed support that can still be fulfilled and applied to our Program in honor of the nominees.

Thank you to Mayor Jean Stothert, Chief Todd Schmaderer, the Metropolitan Hospitality Association, the Omaha Hilton, and each generous sponsor for your commitment to these fine nominees and your support of Omaha Crime Stoppers.

We look forward to sharing more about the Officer of the Year nominees and winner with you soon.

Sincerely,

Eric Bildt President, Chairman of the Board Omaha Crime Stoppers

About Omaha Crime Stoppers

Founded in 1982, Omaha Crime Stoppers (OCS) is an independent, non-profit organization serving the Omaha, Nebraska metro area. The OCS board of directors is an all-volunteer board, operated and supported through donations and private funds. Over the past four years, Omaha Crime Stoppers has awarded over \$613,000 from anonymous tips leading to the arrests of suspects in the Omaha area.