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Mr. Romel L. Nicholas
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National Flag Foundation
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Dear Chairman Nicholas,

I am writing on behalf of the members of the Fraternal Order of Police to advise you of our strong support for the "Light to Unite" initiative set for the 250th anniversary of the United States of America on July 4, 2026.

"Light to Unite" embodies the shared values that define our nation. As law enforcement professionals dedicated to protecting and serving our communities, we recognize the importance of coming together in celebration of our collective heritage and common purpose.

The initiative will serve as a powerful symbol of national pride and solidarity, and we are honored to lend our full support to its success.

On behalf of the more than 382,000 members of the Fraternal Order of Police, I thank you for your leadership on this initiative. If I can provide any additional assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me or Executive Director Jim Pasco in our Washington, D.C. office.

Sincerely,

Patrick Yoes
National President