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To Whom It May Concern:

In an effort to serve our communities, the Tennessee Association of Chiefs of Police instituted the TACP College Scholarship Fund in 2008. The mission of this fund is to provide financial assistance for college tuition for dependents of TACP members interested in pursuing a law enforcement related degree. The TACP membership includes local, state and federal law enforcement agencies that are committed to advancing professional law enforcement throughout the state of Tennessee.

The TACP Annual Conference Silent Auction benefits the TACP College Scholarship Fund. As we build the fund, it is our hope to award a student annually with a multi-year scholarship to further aid them financially as they pursue their goals. We feel this is an excellent opportunity for us in law enforcement to “pay it forward” and help the future of law enforcement and our communities achieve their goals.

On behalf of the Board of Directors and the entire membership of the Tennessee Association of Chiefs of Police, we thank you for your commitment through your donation to the law enforcement community and to the youth that will one day serve and protect us all. The TACP is classified by the IRS as a 501 (c) 3 organization. Therefore, your donation is tax-deductible and the TACP will be glad to provide you with documentation regarding your silent auction item if requested.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact TACP Executive Director Maggi M. Duncan at 615.726.8227 or by email at [maggi@taczp.org](mailto:maggi@taczp.org). Again, thank you for consideration and donation to the TACP Annual Conference Silent Auction and scholarship fund.

Gratefully,

Jeff Hughes  
Brentwood Police Chief  
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