

**TOWN OF WHITESTOWN, INDIANA
RESOLUTION NO. 2018-21**

**A RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE OF
BOONE COUNTY DEPUTY SHERIFF JACOB M. PICKETT**

WHEREAS, Boone County Deputy Sheriff Jacob M. (“Jake”) Pickett lost his life in the line of duty on March 2, 2018 in Lebanon, Indiana; and

WHEREAS, Deputy Pickett was a graduate of the Marion County Sheriff’s Office Training Academy and the Indiana Law Enforcement Academy; and

WHEREAS, Deputy Pickett protected our community as a member of the Boone County Sheriff’s Department and previously worked for the Marion and Tipton County Sheriffs’ Departments; and

WHEREAS, Deputy Pickett also served as a Taser instructor, K-9 Team Leader, and a member of the Fraternal Order of Police #110; and

WHEREAS, the life of Deputy Pickett was dedicated to public service in our community, as he greeted children at school in uniform, organized Christmas card drives for children, educated children during the Whitestown National Night Out and at our local schools, and rescued animals with his wife when off duty; and

WHEREAS, as a beloved husband and caring father, Deputy Pickett is survived by his wife, Jennifer, and his two sons, Wade Matthew and Lincoln David, and many extended family members and friends; and

WHEREAS, Deputy Pickett was much loved and respected by his family, friends, and colleagues, and his true legacy lies in the profound effect he had on countless members of our community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Council of the Town of Whitestown, Indiana:

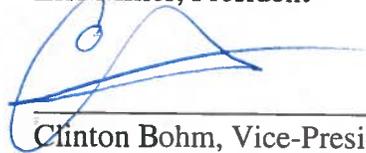
1. Town Council of the Town of Whitestown, Indiana (the “Council”) recognizes the significant contributions of Deputy Jacob M. Pickett over the course of his distinguished service to the Boone County community and celebrates his legacy of servanthood. The Council members extend our sincerest condolences to his family, friends, and colleagues.
2. That the Clerk Treasurer transmit a copy of this resolution to the family of Deputy Pickett.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE WHITESTOWN, INDIANA TOWN COUNCIL
THIS 27th DAY OF MARCH, 2018.

THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE
TOWN OF WHITESTOWN, INDIANA



Eric Miller, President



Clinton Bohm, Vice-President



Susan Austin

ATTEST:



Matt Sumner, Clerk-Treasurer
Town of Whitestown, Indiana

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