

The Association of Former New Jersey State Troopers in conjunction with the N.J. Former Troopers Heritage Foundation are proud to announce our coordinated efforts with the Troopers United Foundation, Inc., to assist a fellow Jersey Trooper and his Family.

Upon our learning that Sgt. Dennis S. O'Dea, #6552, was diagnosed with Stage 3, Colon Cancer our Heritage Foundation unanimously approved a \$1,000 donation to the Troopers United Foundation who is heading up the fundraising efforts. Shortly thereafter, our Corporate Counsel, Carl Soranno, Esq., and his wife Elizabeth made a generous addition to our donation of \$500 which was subsequently matched by FTA President, Nick Soranno and his wife Rhonda; True Blue and Gold President, Dave Scureman and his wife Carol; Heritage Foundation Trustee Director, Nick Theodos and his wife Stephanie; and Heritage Foundation Chairman, George Wren and his wife Sandy. As such, Chairman Wren and President Scureman proudly presented a check totaling \$3,500 to Andrew W. Silipino, President of the Troopers United Foundation during the NJSP 100th Year Anniversary - Merchandise Subcommittee Meeting on Wednesday, July 29, 2020.

Sgt. O'Dea is supported by his wife and sole care provider Danielle and their three-year-old daughter in this life-threatening battle. Sgt. O'Dea and his Family have a difficult battle ahead, much of which will incur expenses beyond their means. As such, we are asking that everyone join us in supporting a fellow Jersey Trooper and his Family in their time of need and donate to this very worthy cause. Check donations can be made to our N.J. Former Troopers Heritage Foundation @ P.O. Box 7852, West Trenton, NJ 08628. All donations are 100% tax deductible and will go directly to Sgt. O'Dea and his Family via the Troopers United Foundation.

Together we can truly make a difference! Thank You