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**DALLAS POLICE ASSOCIATION PROPOSES 10-POINT PLAN
TO REFORM THE DALLAS POLICE DEPARTMENT**

“Our Goal Is To Have The Best Police Department In America” – DPA President

DALLAS, TX – SEPTEMBER 16, 2014 – This morning, the **Dallas Police Association (DPA)** provided to **Chief David Brown** a proposed 10-point reform plan to improve the **Dallas Police Department (DPD)**.

The comprehensive reforms include changes that strengthen ethics within the department, increase transparency, clarify the department’s use-of-force policy, improve chase procedures, and improve internal affairs investigations. A full listing of the proposed 10-point reforms is attached.

“Our goal is to have the best police department in America and we believe our proposed 10-point reform plan is a good start toward achieving that,” said **DPA President Ron Pinkston**. “We are committed to working closely with Chief David Brown on these smart, forward-thinking reforms that will strengthen the public’s trust in our police department, improve the morale of our officers, and continue to protect Dallas families from crime.”

DPA President Ron Pinkston will be available for one-on-one interviews with the media today from 11:30AM – 4PM.

Founded in 1959, the Dallas Police Association is the oldest, largest, and most diverse police employee organization in North Texas. To arrange an interview with DPA President Ron Pinkston, please contact Brian Mayes at 214-208-5842.

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