Minneapolis Police Officers: 350 S. 5th St. Minneapolis, MN 55415

Dear Everyone - but especially Minneapolis citizens,

An Open Letter to express what the vast majority of Minneapolis Police Officers feel at this moment.

We wholeheartedly condemn Derek Chauvin. We Are With You in the denouncement of Derek Chauvin's actions on Memorial Day, 2020. Like us, Derek Chauvin took an oath to hold the sanctity of life most precious. Derek Chauvin failed as a human and stripped George Floyd of his dignity and life. This is not who we are.

We Are With You and want to communicate a sentiment that is broad within our ranks. We ask that our voices be heard. We are leaders, formal and informal, and from all ranks within the Minneapolis Police Department. We're not the union or the administration. We are officers who represent the voices of hundreds of other Minneapolis Police Officers. Hundreds. We acknowledge that Chief Arradondo needs each of us to dutifully follow him while he shows us the way. We stand ready to listen and embrace the calls for change, reform and rebuilding.

We Are With You moving forward. We want to work with you and for you to regain your trust.

Sincerely,

Minneapolis Police Officers:

Mark Klukow Charlie Adams Darcy Klund

Christie Nelson Nick Torborg Mike Kirchen

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The above letter represents our statement in whole. We will not be having an additional comment or allowing additional interviews. Thank you for giving us voice.