



# Town Of Lincoln

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*PRESS RELEASE*

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The Lincoln Police Department and all of its employees feel great sorrow for George Floyd, his family, friends, and community. This tragic and needless loss goes against everything our members and profession stand for. The tactics taken by those officers violate the polices, training, and professionalism to which we, ourselves, adhere to.

We completely sympathize and understand the anger and frustration that was caused by this most heinous act. We also understand that members of all communities need to vocalize and articulate this anger and frustration, which is a right guaranteed by the Constitution and our Bill of Rights.

We also maintain our firm commitment to safeguard the rights and safety of all members of the community and their property. We will remain vigilant in our commitment to this safety.

We value the relationships that we have built over the past several years and would like to remind you that we are here for you. If you have any concerns, we are here to listen to you. We look forward to working through the healing process for our citizenry and our profession, and sincerely hope and pray that incidents like this never occur again.