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Dear <CSAL> <CLNAME>:

I'm not sure if those of us who are called to be "police" have ever been in a more difficult scenario. The men and women of all creeds and colors who make up the Virginia State Police are not allowed to be political. Our job, our **only** job is to protect, to serve and to enforce the law.

Last year was a particularly trying one. Crime was up, especially in the urban areas. Unrest was everywhere. We had COVID to deal with, and many of our troopers contracted it. Law enforcement officers were targeted, demeaned and demoralized. It is now 2021, and the people who were calling to defund police are in a better position to make it happen. This is worrying to us, because we believe our state and our country need just the opposite. Policing is more dangerous and more necessary than ever, and yet, many qualified people are choosing to opt out of law enforcement careers.

But one thing we do have going for us is **you**, <CSAL> <CLNAME>. It is **you** who protects us with your contributions to the Virginia State Police Association. It is **you** and the VSPA who have our backs. We, in turn, do our best to protect and serve you and your loved ones.

We very much appreciate those who support us and it comforts us to know who you are. That is why we appreciate you displaying our 2021 window stickers on your vehicle. Supporters who contribute \$50 or more will also receive our new 2021 die-cut medallion that features a strong magnet that adheres to any metal surface. And anyone who donates to our spring fundraising campaign is entered to win a relaxing vacation for two. Please read our enclosed Trooper Talk newsletter for details.

If you have any concerns or questions, don't hesitate to call our Donor Service Center at 888-239-5323. You may also contact us by email at [vspa@vatroopers.com](mailto:vspa@vatroopers.com).

Thank you for helping us, <CSAL> <CLNAME>.

Sincerely,

Roy Kyle, President  
Virginia State Police Association

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Dear <TITLE1> <LNAME1>:

Your Virginia State Troopers and Agents need your help. Enforcing the law is more challenging now than it has ever been in recent history. Violence against law enforcement has increased. Political differences have sometimes escalated into rage, and peace officers have found themselves caught up in the crossfire.

Anti-cop rhetoric emboldens criminals and puts police lives in danger. Over the last sixteen months, gunfire has been the number one cause of law enforcement fatalities, surpassing auto accidents, the second-most cause. It's unprecedented.

The Virginia State Police Association (VSPA) is the representative body of your troopers in Virginia. We do everything we can to keep our fellow troopers safe, healthy, and most importantly, productive while protecting the public. But we cannot do it without you.

For this reason, the VSPA administers our own direct mail campaign to raise money. Your donation comes directly to our office in Richmond. One hundred percent of the contributions we receive, less the cost of mailing and postage, go to help our troopers and our communities.

Many sympathize with us, but few are willing to put their feelings into action. That's why we are grateful to our supporters. We like to recognize them with our official window decals and other tributes. Our newsletter, *Trooper Talk*, goes into detail about what our donors can expect and contains important information about how we are serving our communities.

*One important note:* We see a lot of scams from telemarketing. **That is why we have stopped raising funds from residential calling.** If you get a call at home asking you to pledge a donation, please be aware it is not coming from us. You can make a donation to the Virginia State Police Association by returning the bottom of this letter with a check or credit card information. If you have questions, feel free to contact us through our Donor Service Center, toll-free, at (888) 239-5323. You may also contact us by email at [vspa@vatroopers.com](mailto:vspa@vatroopers.com).

In closing, our responsibilities as State Troopers and Agents are wide and varied, and touch nearly every facet of law enforcement. We are the first responders, the guardians who make a difference in the lives of others. We are dedicated and we are here to always protect you. Thank you for your support.

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