



# The Fourword

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## **Baltimore County Fraternal Order of Police Lodge #4 Endorses John Olszewski Sr. for Re-election to the Baltimore County Council**

Baltimore County Council Chairman John Olszewski Sr. has been a member of the county council since 1998. For over a decade, he has proven his commitment to his constituents in the seventh district as well as the members of our organization. Chairman Olszewski has a thorough understanding of the demands that the profession of law enforcement has on the men and women of the police department. He appreciates the dedication of our members making Baltimore County a safe place to live, work and enjoy recreation, which has resulted in his commitment to discuss and resolve issues of importance to our membership.

This endorsement serves as the first by this organization for the 2010 elections, further identifying the appreciation of the relationship we have established with County Council Chairman John Olszewski Sr.

## **Detective Blake and the FOP prevail in Federal District Court**

On April 28<sup>th</sup> 2010, after six days of testimony, a jury of the United States District Court found that former Chief Sheridan violated the rights of Detective Blake when he ordered him for medical testing after his testimony on behalf of a fellow officer in August of 2006. The importance of this case cannot be over-stated. I personally want to acknowledge the courage of Detective Blake for standing up for what was right and then shouldering the responsibility for all of us, protecting our rights under the law. The FOP approached the County in an effort to come up with an amicable resolution before the trial, but the county was not inclined to participate. This case dovetails into the United States Department of Justice investigation concerning Baltimore County's practices of ordering employees to "fitness for duty" examinations. The FOP will continue to support and provide the resources necessary to completely resolve this issue.



Representing the Professional Police Officers of Baltimore County





**MEETING MINUTES**  
**April 2010**  
**recorded by**  
**Dave Folderauer**

The April 2010 General Business Meeting was held on April 26, 2010 at FOP Lodge 4. First Vice President Comegna called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. Secretary Folderauer led the invocation. First Vice President Comegna led the Pledge of Allegiance.

**ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS**

President Weston was working on the Blake case with our attorney. Second Vice President Rose was on vacation, Chaplain Merkle was excused, and Brother Lagna was on vacation. All other elected officers and board members were present. Legal advisor Mike Marshall was also in attendance.

**APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING**

A motion was made by Brother Grumbach to accept the minutes of the March 2010 General Membership Meeting. A second was made by Brother Bob Caskey. There was no discussion. The motion passed.

**REPORTS OF OFFICERS**

**~ PRESIDENT WESTON ~**

- March 23 Attended a fundraiser for Baltimore County Councilman Kevin Kamenetz.
- March 24 Addressed the in-service training class.
- March 25 Attended a Request for Proposal meeting concern-

ing the Baltimore County health care provider contracts, and the bi-annual meeting between the FOP Board of Directors, Chief Johnson and the bureau chiefs.

- March 28 Attended the FOP Lodge 4 Bull and Oyster Roast.
- March 30 Attended a Health Care Review Committee meeting.
- March 31 Attended the Pre-trial conference for the Blake case in Federal District Court and a viewing for the Bartenfelder family.
- April 1 Attended a prayer service for the mother for Baltimore County Councilman Joe Bartenfelder.
- April 7 Addressed the in-service training class.
- April 8 Attended the Police Foundation Awards Ceremony.
- April 9 Attended the burial service for the line of duty death Brother Hector Ayala of the Montgomery County Police Department, and a viewing for the Caslin family.
- April 10 Attended the funeral service for the mother of Tim and Jeff Caslin.
- April 12 Met with Assistant States Attorney Steve Kroll, who is a candidate for Judge of the Maryland District court.
- April 13 Attended the Pension Board of Trustees meeting.
- April 14 Addressed the In-Service training class, and an additional pre-trial conference for the Blake case in Federal District Court.
- April 15 Attended the County Executive's Budget message, a County Council work session, a meeting with County Coun-

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**ELECTED OFFICERS**

Cole B. Weston  
**President**  
(443) 956-2679

Steven G. Comegna <b>1<sup>st</sup> Vice President</b> <i>PC3 - Traffic</i> (410) 409-0293	David M. Rose <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President</b> <i>F.O.P Lodge 4</i> (443) 956-2643
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David J. Folderauer, Sr. <b>Lodge Secretary</b> <i>PC 11</i> (410) 382-2075	Robert W. Caskey <b>Treasurer</b> <i>CID-Robbery</i> (443) 956-2615
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W. Donald Patterson <b>State Trustee</b> <i>Materials &amp; Facilities</i>	Richard J. Bergin <b>Sergeant at Arms</b> <i>VNS - CDVIT</i>
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Paul A. Merkle <b>Chaplain</b> <i>Retired</i>	L. Timothy Caslin <b>Past President</b> <i>Retired</i>
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**EXECUTIVE BOARD of DIRECTORS**

Kenneth F. Schubert <b>Chairman</b> <i>Employment</i> (410) 416-2800	Mike DiCara <b>Vice Chairman</b> <i>PC 6</i>
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Thomas G. Scally <i>CID - Arson</i>	Louis J. Lagna <i>Retired</i>
Donna Patterson <i>Planning &amp; Research</i>	Patrick Zito <i>PC 7 - Traffic</i>
James P. Rommel, Jr. <i>K9</i>	Ryan Massey <i>Homicide</i>
Joe Caskey <i>Homicide</i>	Tony DiCara <i>PC 12</i>

**LODGE STAFF**

Larry Sibley—Office Manager  
Juanita Bouthner—Administrative Assistant  
Regina Ecker—Administrative Assistant

**LEGAL ADVISORS**

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IAS Cases      Michael Marshall

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Kathryn Greenbeck  
**Fourword Editor**

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cilman John Olszewski, and a fundraiser for the three sitting Judges Bailey, Brobst and Nagle.

- April 17 Attended the quarterly meeting of the Maryland State Fraternal Order of Police in Ocean City, MD.
- April 19 Attended the Executive Board of Directors meeting.
- April 20 Attended the Blake case in Federal District Court, and a viewing for the Ecker family.
- April 21 Attended the funeral service for the mother of Regina Ecker, addressed the In-Service training class, and attended the Blake case in Federal District Court.
- April 22, 23, 26 Attended the Blake case in Federal District Court.

### **~ 1<sup>st</sup> V. P. COMEGNA ~**

- March 23 Attended a political fundraiser for Baltimore County Councilman Kevin Kamenetz (District # 2).
- March 28 Attended the annual F.O.P. Lodge 4 Bull Roast.
- March 30 Attended a meeting of the Health Care Review Committee.
- April 8 Worked at the Lodge office entering campaign finance data.
- April 15 Attended the Baltimore County Executive's Budget message, attended the Baltimore County Council's work session and met with Baltimore County Councilman John Olszewski (District # 7).
- April 16 Attended a training seminar on Campaign Finance.
- April 17 Attended the quarterly meeting of the Maryland State Lodge FOP in Ocean City, MD.
- April 19 Worked at the Lodge office and attended a meeting of

the Legal Advisory Committee, a meeting of the Political Action Committee and the Executive Board of Directors meeting.

- April 26 Worked at the Lodge office and attended the General Membership meeting.

### **~ 2<sup>nd</sup> V. P. ROSE ~**

- March 23 Attended a fundraiser for County Councilman Kamenetz; responded to Pc 8 midnight roll call for the contract vote.
- March 24 Responded to Pc 8 afternoon roll call for the contract vote; tallied the votes at Lodge 4 for ratification of the contract.
- March 25 Attended the Executive Board of Directors meeting with Chief Johnson; attended a fundraiser for State's Attorney Scott Schellenberger.
- March 28 Attended the FOP Lodge 4 Annual Bull Roast.
- March 31 Addressed in-service training class.
- April 2 Met with a member about an involuntary transfer.
- April 6 Attended a trial board for a member; met with Capt. Campbell to resolve a grievance.
- April 8 Attended the Police Foundation Awards dinner.
- April 9 Attended the funeral for fallen Bro. Hector Ayala from Montgomery County; attended the viewing for the mother of Past President Caslin.
- April 12 Met with Asst. State's Attorney Steve Kroll.
- April 13 Attended Federal Court for motions in the Blake case.
- April 15 Attended County Ex-

ecutive Smith's budget message; attended the county council work session; met with Councilman John Olszewski; attended a fundraiser for the sitting judges, Brobst, Bailey and Nagle.

- April 17 Attended the Maryland State Lodge quarterly meeting in Ocean City, MD.
- April 19 Chaired a Legal Advisory Committee meeting and attended the EBOD meeting.
- April 20-23 Attended Federal Court for the Blake case.
- April 26-30 Vacation.

### **~SECRETARY FOLDERAUER~**

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## ~TREASURER CASKEY~

- March 27 Attended a fundraiser for Brother Matt Ackley.
- March 28 Attended the FOP Lodge 4 Bull and Oyster Roast.
- April 16 Attended a training seminar on Campaign Finance.
- April 17 Attended the quarterly meeting of the Maryland State FOP Lodge in Ocean City, MD.
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## STATE TRUSTEE

~Don Patterson~

- During the State FOP meeting on April 17, 2010, a new FOP Lodge was formed for the Morgan State University Police, Lodge 82.
- The next MD State FOP meeting will be held in Aberdeen, MD on June 25.

## EXECUTIVE BOARD OF DIRECTORS REPORT

~ Kenny Schubert~

- An Executive Board of Directors meeting was held on April 19, 2010. The meeting was called to order at 5:00 p.m. All elected officers and board members were present.
- Motions that were made, after receiving a proper second, were discussed, voted upon, and appear in this issue under the appropriate committee reports.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

### ATHLETIC COMMITTEE

~ Don Patterson ~

- The FOP Lodge 4 golf outing will be held at Rocky Point on August 27, 2010.

## BULLROAST COMMITTEE

~Kenny Schubert~

- The Bullroast made approximately \$4600 this year. Thanks to all who worked, sponsored, and attended this annual event.

## DONATION REVIEW

~Paul Merkle~

- A motion was made by the committee to donate \$1500 to the annual Special Olympics Torch Run to be held on June 10, 2010.
- A motion was made by the committee to donate \$500 to the Police Unity Tour. Sister Vickie Warehime is riding in remembrance of Fallen Hero Bruce Prothero.
- A motion was made by the committee to donate \$500 to the Shane Evans Memorial Road Runners Club of Maryland.
- All motions received a proper second and were voted upon. Each of these motions passed unanimously.

## EXPENDITURE REVIEW

~Regina Ecker~

- Both petty cash funds were found to be in order.
- Lodge office bills from August 2009 through December 2009 were found to be in order.

## GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE

~Dave Rose~

- One grievance was filed by a member from CID Persons. The issue was over callback vs. reschedule pay. After discussions with the member and Capt. Campbell, it was decided the member would be paid reschedule pay and the grievance was withdrawn.



## HEALTHCARE COMMITTEE

~Steve Comegna~

- Bids in reference to the Health Care RFP were due back to the County by May 5, 2010. The final selection is expected to be completed by June 30, 2010. The labor side of the Health Care Review Committee has two members sitting on the health care selection committee.

## LEGAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

~Dave Rose~

- Motions for summary judgment in the Employee Relations Act case are scheduled to be heard on May 10, 2010 in front of Judge Martin.
- The retiree subsidy case is scheduled for May 24, 2010 in front of Judge Finifter.
- A Legal Advisory Committee meeting was held on April 19, 2010. The committee members met to discuss a program to assist our members with obtaining a simple will, living will, durable power of attorney and medical directives. The following criteria was constructed for a

- reimbursement process for our members:
- FOP Lodge 4 will reimburse members for Estate Planning **up to \$200** for the following:
  - Simple Will
  - Living Will
  - Durable Power of Attorney
  - Medical Directives
- Lodge 4 members are eligible for a reimbursement once every five (5) years unless the member experiences a “life altering event”. A life altering event is described as:
  - A change in domestic relationship
  - Adoption or birth of a child
  - Death of a child
  - Death of a designated parent or guardian
- Members may use an attorney of his/her choice or any of the attorneys who offer discounted services to Lodge 4.
- The member must submit a copy of a paid bill to Lodge 4 for items listed in the previous section to receive a reimbursement.
- A motion was made to accept the program and to have it go into effect immediately. The motion passed. The program was presented to the Executive Board of Directors in the form of a motion. It received a proper second and was accepted unanimously.


**LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE**  
~Rick Bergin~

- On January 13, 2010, the Maryland General Assembly con-

vened in Annapolis for its 427<sup>th</sup> session and adjourned on April 12, 2010. At the end of this session, there were approximately 100 bills in the House and Senate that could have an effect on law enforcement/public safety personnel in the state of Maryland.

- Each session, the State FOP Legislative Committee introduces bills in the House and the Senate as “Agenda Bills.” These are bills that we deem priority legislation that are felt to be most important to the Fraternal Order of Police. During the session, bills are also introduced to the legislature that are not in the best interest of law enforcement and the Fraternal Order of Police. The legislative committee spends a large amount of the time fighting these “bad” bills. The following numbered bills are the Legislative Committee’s Agenda Bills:

- 1) Hometown Heroes Bill, HB 898 - Tax exemption for public safety retirees (re-submitted from last year to make the first \$20,000.00 of retirement tax free.) **(Did not make it out of committee.)**
- 2) Law Enforcement Officers – Unsubstantiated Complaints – Admissibility. HB 120 - Evidence of a formal complaint against a law officers, unsubstantiated - is not admissible in an administrative or judicial proceeding if the complaint resulted in the exoneration of the officer. **(Passed )**
- 3) Collective Bargaining with Binding Arbitration-Cecil County HB 916 & SB 726 –**(Passed with Amendments )**



**FOP Lodge 4  
PAR Fund Cruise  
On Carnival Cruise Lines’  
Carnival Freedom**

- Departs from Ft. Lauderdale on May 7, 2011
- 8 day Western Caribbean Itinerary
- Advertised prices include cruise fare, port charges, all taxes, all gratuities, and OPEN BAR for 8 days!
- \$100 per person deposit required at the time of booking.
- Additional \$200 per person due by November 19, 2010
- Final payment due by February 7, 2011
- This cruise can only be booked by contacting Brother Troy Ray at **443-386-7705** or **TLRay@comcast.net**

**A portion of each fare benefits the  
Police Assistance & Relief Fund!**



## Bereavements

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**Retired Brother  
Irvin R. Schriefer  
Grandfather of Brother  
George Bandurchin, III**

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**Thomas N. Randall, Jr.  
Father of Brother Dwight A.  
Randall**

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**David G. Levin  
Father of  
Sister Mindy C. Levin and  
Brother Joel M. Levin**

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**Lorraine B. Ecker  
Mother of Retired Sister  
Regina A. Ecker and Aunt of  
Past President Raymond C.  
Ewing**

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**Jessie Mae Caslin  
Mother of Past President  
Timothy Caslin and Brother  
Jeffrey M. Caslin**

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**Brother Hector Ayala  
Montgomery County Police  
Department**

Baltimore City HB 1098 & SB 613  
(Passed in House, Failed in Senate)

Maryland Transportation Authority  
HB 815 (Passed with Amendments)

4) Natural Resources Law Enforcement Officers - Appointment to Major or Lieutenant Colonel HB 989 & SB 660 (Passed)

5) Maryland Railroad Police Act - Definition of "Railroad Police Officer" HB 1305-Altering the definition of "railroad police officer" for purposes of the Maryland Railroad Police Act to provide that a railroad police officer is an individual who performs official duties in the State on a regular or periodic

basis. (Withdrawn)

6) Missing Offenders - Blue Alert Program - HB1473 - Establish a Blue Alert Program to provide a system for rapid dissemination of specified information to assist in locating and apprehending specified missing offenders suspected of killing or seriously injuring a law enforcement officer. (Passed)

7) Workers' Compensation-Permanent Partial Disability - Baltimore City Sheriff's Office HB1129 -Extending enhanced workers' compensation benefits for specified permanent partial disability claims to sworn officers of the Baltimore City Sheriff's Office (Withdrawn)

8) Political Subdivisions - Collective Bargaining Agreements - Binding Arbitration, SB 1123 - Authorizing a county or municipal corporation to adopt a specified local law or ordinance regarding binding arbitration. (Passed)

9) Workers' Compensation-Benefits-Dependency , SB953 - Altering the authority of the Workers' Compensation Commission to make specified determinations of dependency; altering the provisions relating to calculation of death benefits for individuals who are wholly or partly dependent. (Did not make it out of committee)

### Additional bills of interest

- Criminal Procedure-Search Warrant Deployment of SWAT Team SB 30 - A judge may issue a search warrant to deploy a SWAT team upon probable cause to believe a felony is being committed - reviewed and signed by States Attorney. (Opposed & defeated)
- Criminal Procedure-Use of

tracking device, Search warrant, HB 172 - Requires search warrant before employing a tracking device to monitor a vehicle. (Opposed & defeated)

• Wiretapping and Electronic Surveillance Location of a Mobile Communications Device, SB 766 - Modifying a definition of "contents" applicable to specified provisions of law relating to wiretapping and electronic surveillance to include the location of a mobile communication device. (Opposed & defeated)

• Criminal Procedure- Search Warrant App. Copy Filed with State's Attorney. SB 014 - Requiring a copy of an application for a search warrant to be filed with the State's Attorney, designated in writing by the State's Attorney, prior to the execution of the search warrant.

(Opposed & withdrawn)

• Criminal Law Death Penalty - Scientific Evidence HB 994 - Including scientific evidence among the types of evidence that the State may present to the court or jury. Baltimore County Delegates DeBoy and Malone, among others, attempted to have scientific evidence (DNA and fingerprints) placed back into the law as being admissible. (Supported & failed)

• Vehicle Laws - Police Vehicles Engaged in Traffic Stops. Video Recording Systems, HB 1000 - Requiring that a motor vehicle of a law enforcement agency used to initiate a traffic stop shall be equipped with an in-car video recording system. (Baltimore City Police only) (Opposed & withdrawn)

• Criminal Procedure Use of

## Congratulations to the 2010 “Fallen Heroes” Scholarship Award Recipients!

The Scholarship Committee processed a total of twenty-eight applications for the 2010 “Fallen Heroes” Memorial Scholarship Awards. Eleven (11) of the applicants were selected to receive a scholarship in the amount indicated for the 2010-2011 college year.

*Danielle Bowen*, daughter of Brother Gerard Bowen of the Traffic Division. She is presently a senior at C. Milton Wright High School. She will be attending Towson University or Frostburg University in the Fall, majoring in Nursing, \$1500.

*Ashley Cooper*, daughter of Brother John Cooper of Precinct 11. She is presently a senior at the Institute of Notre Dame High School, and will be attending Towson University in the Fall, majoring in Nursing, \$1500.

*Michael A. Greco*, son of Brother Michael Greco of the Tactical Section. He is a sophomore at Binghamton College, and majoring in Engineering, \$3000

*Matthew Hynson*, son of Brother Thomas Hynson of Precinct 11. He is a sophomore at West Virginia University and majoring in Sports Management, \$1500.

*Amanda Kelly*, daughter of Brother Brian Kelly of PC-6. She is a freshman at Towson University, majoring in Nursing, \$3000.

*Karly Knudsen*, daughter of Brother Bob Knudsen of Precinct 11. She is a freshman at the University of South Carolina, majoring in Biology - Pre-Med, \$1500.

*Lauren Knudsen*, daughter of Brother Bob Knudsen of Precinct 11. She is a sophomore at University of Maryland, majoring in Dance and Art, \$3000.

*Kiersten Prenger*, daughter of Brother Richard Prenger of CID. She is a senior at Delone Catholic High School and will be attending Lebanon Valley College in the Fall, majoring in Physical Therapy, \$3000.

*Lindsay Schruhl*, daughter of Brother Chuck Schruhl of SOD. She is a sophomore at West Chester University, majoring in Athletic Training, \$3000.

*Brittany Schmidt*, daughter of Brother William Schmidt of Precinct 12. She is Junior at Towson University, majoring in Nursing, \$1500.

*Crystal Stanley*, daughter of Brother Charles Stanley of Precinct 11. She is a sophomore at Salisbury University, majoring in Exercise Science, \$1500.

Tracking Device Law Enforcement Officer Search Warrant, SB 116 - Prohibiting a law enforcement officer from using specified tracking device to determine the location or movement of another individual unless a specified search warrant has been issued. **(Opposed & defeated)**

- Vehicle Laws Rules of the Road Use of Signals When Changing Lanes, SB 169 - Prohibiting a person from moving a vehicle right or left on a roadway in order to change lanes unless the person gives an appropriate signal in a specified manner; etc. **(Supported & defeated)**
- Criminal Law, Gangs Definition, Underlying Crimes, and Sentencing, HB 227 - Altering the definition of "criminal gang" to remove a requirement that a specified group must be an ongoing association; adding specified felonies and misdemeanors to the list of underlying crimes. **(Supported & defeated)**
- During this legislative session, FOP Lodge 4 member, Delegate Steve DeBoy, (Baltimore/Howard County District 12-A,) championed the causes of the State Legislative Committee. Delegate DeBoy sponsored or co-sponsored 29 bills that had an effect on law enforcement throughout the state. Due to his dedication and unwavering support to the Fraternal Order of Police, Delegate DeBoy has been chosen by the Maryland State FOP Legislative Committee as the Legislator of the Year for the 2010 Legislative session. Congratulations and thanks to Delegate DeBoy.

#### **MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE**

**~Tom Scally~**

- A motion was made by the Committee to reinstate Dave LeCain's membership. The motion was seconded by Brother Franks and passed unanimously.

#### **MEMORIAL COMMITTEE**

**~Don Patterson~**

- Fallen Heroes Day at Dulaney Valley Memorial Gardens was on May 7, 2010.
- Baltimore County's Police Officer Memorial Service was held on May 14, 2010 in Towson and the National Memorial service was held on May 15 in Washington D.C.

#### **PENSION COMMITTEE**

**~ Cole Weston ~**

- The Pension Board of Trustees met on April 13, 2010 and approved 37 service, vested, and ordinary death in service retirements. One disability application was remanded to another doctor for consideration and one accidental disability was approved. One over-sixty work extension was rejected which resulted in a May 1st retirement. Two over-sixty work extensions were approved.

#### **POLICY REVIEW COMMITTEE**

**~Dave Rose~**

- The committee reviewed three new policies this month. There were no bargaining issues.

#### **POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE**

**~Steve Comegna~**

- The Political Action Committee

*"Dear Scholarship Committee,  
I wanted to take this time to thank you for selecting me a recipient of one of the scholarships for the 2010-2011 school year. I feel very privileged to receive this scholarship, that is given in memory of the fallen heroes that put their lives on the line for the Police Department. I thank all of you and all of the families of the loved ones that lost their lives doing a job that not many could do."*

*- Amanda Kelly*



met on Monday April 19, 2010. The following motions were presented to the Executive Board of Directors:

- Motion to purchase one (1) ticket to a fundraiser being held by Al Redmer, Jr. on Thursday April 29, 2010. He is a candidate for the Maryland State Senate (District # 7). The event is from 7:30am until 9:00am at the Mountain Branch Golf Club 1827 Mountain Road Joppa, Maryland 21085. The ticket cost is \$125.00 each, for a total PAC expenditure of \$125.00.
- Motion to make a fifty dollar (\$50.00) donation to the Committee for Rainer Harvey. Brother Harvey is a retired member of our Lodge and he is seeking a position on the Tenth



Legislative District's Central Committee in the 2010 elections.

- Motion to purchase a sponsorship to a fundraiser being held by State Delegate James Malone (District 12-A) on Thursday May 20, 2010. The event is being held at The Lodge 2832 Nine Mile Circle 21228 from 6:00pm until 8:00pm. The sponsorship cost is a total PAC expenditure of \$250.00.
- Motion to purchase a One Hay Bale Sponsorship for a family Farm Picnic being held by State Delegate Susan Aumann (District # 42) on Saturday May 22, 2010. The event is being held at Land of Promise Farm, 4603 Long Green Road Glen arm, Maryland 21057 from 2:00pm until 5:00pm. The sponsorship cost is a total PAC expenditure of \$150.00.
- Motion to endorse Baltimore County Councilman John Olaszewski, Sr. (District # 7) in his 2010 re-election campaign.
- We have also received five (5) complimentary tickets to Baltimore County Councilman Joe Bartenfelder's campaign kick off event at the Towson Center on Friday April 30, 2010.
- These motions were presented to the Executive Board on Monday April 19, 2010. Each motion received a proper second. They were discussed and voted upon. The Executive Board of Directors approved these expenditures.
- These motions were presented to the General Membership on Monday April 26, 2010. Each motion was made, received a proper second and was voted

upon. The General Membership approved these expenditures.

### NEW BUSINESS

- Brother Troy Ray advised that Carnival Cruises is offering an FOP Lodge 4 Par Fund Cruise, departing on Saturday May 7, 2011. This cruise is 8 days long and will cruise to the Western Caribbean. Contact Brother Troy Ray at 443-386-7705 or TLRay@comcast.net for details.

### GOOD OF THE ORDER

- During the month of April, the Lodge sent four (4) flower arrangements and six (6) sympathy cards to bereaving members. Three (3) donations were made in lieu of flowers (at family members' request) in the name of a member or loved one. Six (6) "Thank You" cards were received.
- The meeting was adjourned at 7:51 pm.



### Greene Turtle of Towson

will be hosting

"Funds for Friends" to benefit the  
**Maryland Chapter of  
Concerns of Police Survivors**  
Tuesday, June 8, 2010

This is an ALL DAY event from which the Greene Turtle will donate 10% of the day's proceeds including, carryout and deliveries \$50.00 or more to MDCOPS on the condition that we bring in AT LEAST \$1,000 in addition to their normal Tuesday business. This includes sales of food, beverages and clothing. MDCOPS assists the families of Maryland Law Enforcement Officers that have been killed in the line of duty. Some of the services MDCOPS provides are scholarships, job training, financial support, seminars and support through the parole and probation process. Invite your family and friends to come out and enjoy good food, good times and good people for a great cause.

The June

**FOP Lodge 4  
GENERAL  
BUSINESS  
MEETING**

will be held on

**Monday,  
June 28, 2010  
7:30 p.m.**

at  
FOP Lodge 4  
9304 Harford Road

The July

**FOP Lodge 4  
GENERAL  
BUSINESS  
MEETING**

will be held on

**Monday,  
July 26, 2010  
7:30 p.m.**

at  
FOP Lodge 4  
9304 Harford Road