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NAACP Statement On the Death of IMPD Officer Breann Leath

INDIANAPOLIS — April 9, 2020 — IMPD Officer Breann Leath was tragically shot and killed today while responding to a domestic violence call. President Chrystal M. Ratcliffe of the Greater Indianapolis Branch of the NAACP issued the following statement:

“On behalf of the executive committee and members of the Greater Indianapolis Branch of the NAACP, I extends our condolences and prayers to the family of IMPD Officer Breann Leath. She was a veteran and a loving mother. She learned about public service at an early age from her family. We are lifting up her family, friends and colleagues in prayer as we thank God for her service to our community. You are in our hearts this evening, and in the days and weeks to come.”

When the perishable has been clothed with the imperishable, and the mortal with immortality, then the saying that is written will come true: “Death has been swallowed up in victory.”

*“Where, O death, is your victory?
Where, O death, is your sting?”*

I Corinthians 15:54-56 (NIV)

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