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January 2019

Happy New Year Associate Members and NOBLE Membership at Large!

What a year 2018 has been! Promotions, Recognitions, Transfers, Retirements, Graduations, Recoveries, Births, Transitions, Trainings and other Milestones to name a few. As we enter into 2019, let us remember the Mission and Vision of our NOBLE organization:

NOBLE Mission: To ensure equity in the administration of justice in the provision of public service to all communities, and to serve as the conscience of law enforcement by being committed to justice by action.

NOBLE Vision: The goal of NOBLE is to be recognized as a highly competent, public service organization that is at the forefront of providing solutions to law enforcement issues and concerns, as well as to the ever-changing needs of our communities.

Our role as NOBLE National Associate Members, in addition to the Mission and Vision Statements of NOBLE National, is to align ourselves in position for advancement/promotion, the goal has been set "NOBLE Associate Members: The Next Generation of Leaders! Leaders who will create and implement change through leadership, policy and legislation. Let's go forward in 2019, and beyond, enriching the Mentoring and Training opportunities of NOBLE that will assist Regular, Associate, Collegiate, Supporters, and Sponsors in our local Chapters and NOBLE National, to continue to be the conscience and voice of NOBLE.

What does that mean? Participation in National and your local Chapter is very important and necessary in achieving these objectives set forth by our NOBLE Founding Members.

As a 501c3 organization, one area we can support NOBLE is with our tax deductible donation to the Detective Rafaela A. Valdez Memorial Scholarship Award. This is a \$1,000. Scholarship dedicated for a NOBLE Associate Member*. Brian Graham, NOBLE Chicago Metropolitan Chapter, was our first recipient. If the over 1,100 NOBLE Associate Members contributed just \$5.00 each, we would have over \$5,000.00, and able to fund (5) full Scholarships at the \$1,000.00 amount we originally committed. What an awesome investment in ourselves this would demonstrate! The application will be available January 2019. Please also consider an investment in our NOBLE Youth by making a financial contribution to the Annual NOBLE Youth Conference, Chaired by Rhonda Glover.

Please plan to attend the NOBLE National Chief William R. Bracey Winter CEO Symposium, February 28, 2019 through March 02, 2019; in Houston, Texas, and the NOBLE National Annual Training and Exhibition Conference, August 09, 2019 through August 14, 2019; in New Orleans, Louisiana. Both events are open to all NOBLE Members. Please visit noblenational.org for more details.

Your 2019 National and local Chapter dues are payable now. You can submit payment by check or electronically on the NOBLE National website.

Wishing you all a Blessed, Healthy, Prosperous, Safe & NOBLE 2019!

Warmest regards,

Michelle Tégé

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NOBLE National
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