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2026 NOMINATION FORM

OACP Lifetime Achievement Award

Criteria:

Award is to be presented to an OACP Retired Police Chief who: served as an OACP Active Member Police Chief for a minimum of five (5) years; is currently an active (status) Life Member of the Ohio Association of Chiefs of Police; and is no longer holding a chief's position. This award is to recognize the significant contributions of his/her time and talents dedicated to promoting and ensuring the success of OACP's programs and services and the law enforcement profession.

Past Recipients

Chief (ret) Dwight A. Holcomb, CPP – 2016 (Inaugural recipient)

Chief (ret) S. Thomas Vaughn – 2019

Chief (ret) Michael A. Harnishfeger, CLEE – 2024

Chief (ret) Heinz von Eckartsberg - 2025

To make a nomination for the OACP Lifetime Achievement Award, please complete the information below and attach a statement specifically describing the work and achievements your nominee has made to the OACP. This award is a one-time honor. **Deadline January 30, 2026.**

Name of Nominee: _____ # of years as an OACP Member _____
Nominee's Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____
Nominee's Phone: _____ Nominee's Email: _____

Nomination Submitted By: _____
(Print Your Name) (Your Signature)

Nominator's Organization: _____

Address: _____ City/State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Date Submitted: _____

• Please include any supporting material such as newspaper clippings, publications, other support materials that serve to reinforce your nomination.

**** Nominations should be submitted via Email, US Mail or Fax ****

Ohio Association of Chiefs of Police
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**** Must be received &/or postmarked by January 30, 2026. ****