LUFKIN POLICE ASSOCIATION

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Applicant name: _____

Position at LPD: _____

Email address: _____

Applicant's signature: _____

Date of application: _____

Association Use Only

Application received by: _____

Date application received: _____

Date presented for vote: _____

Result of vote: _____

(***Accepted or Declined***)

CLEAT MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

☒ New ☐ Renewal ☐ Update ☐ Inactive/Retire

Lufkin Police Department

Last Name | First Name | MI | Department/Agency

Mailing Address | City | State | Zip Code

DOB | Home Phone | Work Phone | Mobile Phone

Email Address | Can be contacted: ☐ Work ☐ Home ☐ Mobile

Method of Payment:
☒ City/County Deduct ☐ Association Deduct ☐ Individual Check
☐ Visa/MC/Discover ☐ Bank Draft ☐ State Deduct (DPS Only)

CLEAT provides Killed in the Line of Duty death benefit. The benefit will be paid first to spouse, second to children, third to parents, fourth to brothers and sisters, fifth to estate. If you desire a specific beneficiary other than designated above, please specify below.

Name and Address of Beneficiary

Lufkin Police Association

Date | Signature of Applicant | Referred by

CITY OF LUFKIN

Payroll Deduction Form

CLEAT dues

Effective Date of Membership: _____

Employee Name: _____

Amount per pay period: **$18.47**

_____ _____

Employee Signature **Date**

_____

Printed Name

_____

Human Resources Added to H.T.E. Deductions

A GREATER FORCE OF LAW ENFORCEMENT PROFESSIONALS

The Benefits of CLEAT Membership

As the largest police officers' union in Texas, the largest legal services provider in the state specializing in representing law enforcement officers, and the largest confederation of local police officers' associations in Texas, CLEAT is the state's most powerful advocate for the rights of law enforcement professionals. CLEAT provides a broad range of benefits, including:

- **Effective legal representation** – Not only does CLEAT fight hard for its members, but they pay 100% of the costs associated with representing a member during internal investigations and disciplinary appeals (including arbitration fees). CLEAT also pays 100% of the costs associated with defending a member against criminal charges that resulted from the member's performance of official duties. In addition, CLEAT pursues affirmative litigation to enforce the provisions of local and/or state law when the public employer fails to comply with those laws.
- **Political action –** CLEAT provides expert political assistance to members and affiliated local associations in preparing for and winning local elections for civil service, collective bargaining, and pay raise referendums. CLEAT's staff of full-time lobbyists gives thousands of law enforcement officers the strongest possible voice in Austin.
- **Field services** – Regional representation by our full-time labor relations staff assists members and associations on a wide variety of collective bargaining and labor-related negotiations issues. CLEAT also provides assistance to members wishing to form a local association, including preparation and filing of state-required documents.

Beyond these major areas, CLEAT provides a range of additional benefits, including:

- $10,000 line of duty death benefit
- Support for public recognition of the contributions made by all law enforcement officers through the Texas Peace Officers Memorial Foundation (POMF)
    - http://www.pomf.org/
- Preferred Providers Business relationships
- Family assistance for families of officers killed in the line of duty
- College scholarships provided through POMF
    - http://www.pomf.org/
- Supplemental income during periods of temporary suspension.