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Dear Colleague:

The Executive Committee is asking all officers and agencies to provide them with nominations of worthy candidates for the **Enoch B. Morelock Award**, recognizing "Outstanding Moral Character, Service to Law Enforcement AND the Community" to be awarded at the 17th Annual LECC Training Seminar, August 13-16, 2019.

Enoch B. Morelock was the first recorded line of duty death in the Western District of Missouri on December 19, 1847, in Sullivan County. Sheriff Morelock was shot and killed during a court-ordered sale of the accused's property. The accused killer, Patrick McIntry, was charged with 1st Degree Murder but was later acquitted. Within a year Mr. McIntry was found shot to death on the banks of a local river.

We are requesting names of individuals with outstanding moral character, service to law enforcement and to the community outside of law enforcement. Please identify a case or activity which demonstrates these qualities. We will honor an individual from local police departments, sheriffs' offices, state agencies, or federal agencies as well as investigators from prosecutors' offices. This individual will be honored at the awards banquet on Thursday evening, August 15, 2019. Last year's recipient was Det. Sgt. Ryan Glidden, Maryville Dept. of Public Safety.

We need to have the names of the nominees, with a narrative of their accomplishments, any attachments such as reports or newspaper articles, and why you believe they should be considered for this award sent to the LECC Executive Committee by **June 28st**. Mail to the above address or email to Les.Kerr@usdoj.gov.

Sincerely,

LECC Executive Committee