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To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing this letter in support of the Putting First-Responders First Act. I believe it is not only fair but vital to show these first responders that their sacrifice is not only recognized but not forgotten years down the road.

Many of these first responders live with life altering injuries that not only effect their quality of life, but also the lives of loved ones that live with and around them. For most, these injuries are life changing, and take away from the full life that they so richly deserve. It takes a special kind of person to be a first responder and few step up to the challenge.

As a community it is our duty to provide for those, who gave selflessly, and have sacrificed so much. To not pass these bills would be an unthinkable oversight on our parts. I implore you to do what you can to see that these bills are made into law.

Thank you in advance for your consideration.

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