



State of Iowa
LAW ENFORCEMENT ACADEMY
JUDY A. BRADSHAW, DIRECTOR

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Chief Michael Venema
Clive Police Department
8505 Harbach Blvd
Clive, IA 50325

Dear Chief Venema:

On behalf of the Iowa Law Enforcement Academy this letter confirms we are certifying that the Clive Police Department meets certain eligibility requirements, set forth by the U.S. Department of Justice, for discretionary federal grants. The Clive Police Department is qualified to receive federal grants for three years from the date of this letter.

Pursuant to Section 2 of the Presidential Executive Order on Safe Policing for Safe Communities, dated June 16, 2020, Executive Order No. 13929 (the "Executive Order on Safe Policing"), the U.S. Department of Justice's discretionary grant funding is only available to state, local, and university or college law enforcement agencies that have obtained (or are in the process of seeking) credentials certifying that they meet certain standards on use of force. The Executive Order on Safe Policing empowers the U.S. Attorney General to designate independent credentialing bodies including the Iowa Law Enforcement Academy to certify that a law enforcement agency meets the conditions of eligibility for federal grants.

Based upon review of the materials you have provided, we have determined that the Clive Police Department meets the conditions for certification. Accordingly, the Iowa Law Enforcement Academy will include your agency going forward within our database of certified law enforcement agencies. On or before January 31st each year, we will provide the name of each certified law enforcement agency to the U.S. Department of Justice.

If you would like to discuss further, please do not hesitate to contact me either by email at judy.bradshaw@iowa.gov or by phone at 515-331-5778.

Respectfully,

Judy A. Bradshaw

Director

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