



Okaloosa Law Enforcement Benevolent Association, Inc.

The Okaloosa Law Enforcement Benevolent Association (OLEBA) was established in 2008, to assist local Law Enforcement Officers and their families, in the unfortunate event that they have become seriously injured or killed in the line of duty.

Recently, Okaloosa County Sheriff's Deputy Steve Hough was seriously injured in the line of duty, by a violent criminal. Hough was shot three times by the suspect, once in the face, and twice in the leg, as he was attempting to arrest the suspect on outstanding warrants.

Deputy Hough will require multiple surgeries, which will include reconstructive surgery. His recovery at a Pensacola hospital is expected to take several months. OLEBA has assisted Deputy Hough's family with covering the cost of lodging and food, so they can be near the hospital as he recovers.

Anyone that is interested in assisting Deputy Hough can make a financial contribution or donation to OLEBA at any Beach Community Bank. All donations will assist local Law Enforcement Officers and their families in a time of need.

Sincerely,

President
Chief Brian P. Mitchell
Crestview Police Department

Vice President
Major Greg Gaddis
Okaloosa County Sheriff's Office