

**Sixty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 7, 2025**

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3025
(Representatives Hendrix, Koppelman, Marschall, Morton)
(Senators Braunberger, Roers, Powers)

A concurrent resolution honoring the police and first responders of Fargo, North Dakota.

WHEREAS, on July 14, 2023, Fargo police officers and first responders courageously responded to a tragic shooting incident that claimed a precious life and endangered public safety; and

WHEREAS, Officers Andrew Dotas and Tyler Hawes, along with civilian Karlee Koswick, were injured during this incident, demonstrating bravery under extreme circumstances; and

WHEREAS, Sergeant Zach Robinson, with skill and disciplined focus while under the most difficult of circumstances, exercised amazing heroism in neutralizing the threat posed to the Fargo community; and

WHEREAS, the swift actions of first responders prevented further loss of life and ensured public safety during this critical event; and

WHEREAS, Officer Jake Wallin of the Fargo Police Department made the ultimate sacrifice in the line of duty while protecting his community;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF NORTH DAKOTA, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

That the Sixty-ninth Legislative Assembly honors Officer Jake Wallin for his heroism and extends heartfelt condolences to his family, friends, and colleagues; commends Officer Andrew Dotas, Officer Tyler Hawes, and Sergeant Zach Robinson, for their bravery and resilience in the face of danger; expresses sincerest gratitude to our nurses, doctors, and all other first responders for their dedication to serving and protecting the Fargo community; and encourages continued support for law enforcement officers and first responders who risk their lives daily to ensure public safety; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Secretary of State forward copies of this resolution to the Fargo Police Department, Officer Andrew Dotas, Officer Tyler Hawes, Sergeant Zach Robinson, Karlee Koswick, and the fiance and family of Officer Jake Wallin.

Speaker of the House

President of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

Secretary of the Senate