



City of Eupora  
Mayor Blake McMullan

April 13, 2022

Congressman Trent Kelly

2243 Rayburn House Office Building

Washington, DC 20515

RE: Letter of Support – Eupora Police Technology Modernization

Dear Congressman Trent Kelly,

I write this letter to express my unequivocal support for the City of Eupora Police Department's funding proposal to modernize using electronic technology for issuing citations, documenting crime reports and records management system for submitting reports into the FBI National Incident-Based Reporting System (NIBRS).

The impact of funding this project would reduce manpower shortages, increase officer safety, help officers do their job more easily, and the ability to view multi-jurisdiction databases, which is critical in performing traffic stops. This project supports both the community and police officers by bringing the police department technology capability into the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

In closing, this project has the full support of the City of Eupora, and I look forward to its successful completion.

Sincerely,

Blake McMullan

City of Eupora Mayor



# Eupora Economic Development

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Dear Congressman Trent Kelly:

On behalf of the Eupora Economic Development Committee, please accept this letter of support to the City of Eupora Police Department in their application for “Eupora Police Technology Modernization” Project.

The City of Eupora Police Department is in desperate need of support by funding the purchase of technological equipment for software and hardware that moves the department from pen and paper era to using electronic devices for issuing citations, creating crime reports, and inputting crime reports into the National Incident-Based Reporting System. Using the technology that is detailed in the application will make it possible for the Eupora Police Department to enhance public safety like never before.

In closing, the importance of technology equipment used in law enforcement reduces manpower shortages, increases officer safety, and supports economic development through a safer community.

Sincerely,

Janet Cook

Eupora Economic Development