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**MEMORIAL DEDICATION
JUNE 22, 2019 @ 2:00 P.M.**

WHAT: Public Memorial Dedication

WHERE: Childs Falls Sunrise Cemetery, County Route 29, Philadelphia, NY

WHEN: June 22, 2019 @ 2:00 P.M.

Please join us for the dedication of a Monument memorializing all first responders of Philadelphia's history who laid down their lives as they served, either here or abroad in the case of military members. The event that set this project in order was the tragic loss of NYS Trooper Joel Davis in the summer of 2017. The hearts of Philadelphians were broken and grieved along with family during those difficult days. Coming to a decision of how we might honor Joel appropriately awakened us to our history. Research led to the discovery of several more heroes of sacrifice as they too served throughout our history. These along with Joel, protected and strengthened the commitment of freedom and liberty for all.

The insignias of every branch of law enforcement, military and first responders will be upon the face of the monument. Every individual's name, date and insignia of their service will grace the walls with room for future additions, should need arise.

Please unite with your family, friends, neighbors and all those who will pay tribute to our lost heroes by attending this dedication.

Sincerely,
Cheryl Reed ~ Town Clerk