



# **Fraternal Order of Police** **FLORIDA STATE LODGE**



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**FLORIDA STATE LODGE  
FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE  
ENDORSES  
Sheriff Al Lamberti  
Broward County Sheriff**

After careful consideration by our legislative committee, and FOP District 5, it is my pleasure to announce that the Fraternal Order of Police, District 5 and the Florida Fraternal Order Of Police State Lodge proudly gives our full endorsement and support of Al Lamberti for Sheriff, Broward County.

Al's history of commitment to public service, and special attention to the area of public safety has earned this valuable endorsement. His thirty year law enforcement career and past leadership as the President of Fraternal Order Of Police Lodge 32, shows his dedication to public safety and the deputies that work for him. Fraternal Order Of Police District 5 Director, Ralph Dean ,and James Preston the President of the State Lodge Fraternal Order Of Police are honored to give this endorsement.

Al Lamberti has received the endorsement of the Fraternal Order of Police District 5 and the Florida State Lodge, Fraternal Order of Police representing over 22,000 Law Enforcement Officers across Florida. We proudly add our endorsement to the campaign of Al Lamberti for Sheriff , Broward County.

We are confident in the leadership that Sheriff Al Lamberti will bring to the office and we look forward to the successful campaign and to working with Sheriff Lamberti in 2009.

James W. Preston  
Florida State Lodge, President