

Union County Police Chief's Association

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Public Statement on the Tyre Nichols' case.

The Union County Police Chief's Association supports the decision of the Shelby County, TN, District Attorney's Office in the charging and indictment of the police officers involved in the tragic death of Tyre Nichols. Our organization condemns the actions of the former Memphis police officers involved as they do not represent the expected standards of morals, ethics, and training of police officers nationwide. Our association is saddened at the events as they unfolded and sends our deepest condolences to the family of Mr. Nichols. In the face of this hardship and heartache, our members wish to express our outrage and affirm our commitment to upholding the highest standards of policing within our County.

The Union County Police Chief's Association represents the federation of Chiefs and Directors of Union County, NJ. Collectively our coalition is responsible for ensuring the appropriate training, management, and supervision of the law enforcement members of Union County. Our organization works tirelessly to ensure that tragedies like the one that unfolded in Memphis, TN, on January 7, 2023, do not develop. The appalling incident leading to the loss of Mr. Nichols' life shall remind us that our efforts must focus on and lead to the eradication of police brutality.

On behalf of the UCPCA,

Chief Giacomo Sacca