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Kendall County Association of Chiefs of Police Honor Fallen Law Enforcement Officers

On May 8 2019, the Kendall County Association of Chiefs of Police held the annual Kendall County Law Enforcement Memorial Ceremony to honor fallen law enforcement officers from Kendall County as well as throughout the United States. The ceremony was held at the Kendall County Law Enforcement Memorial located in front of the courthouse in Yorkville.

This year, the Association added Special Agent Robert Kolowski of the Illinois State Police. Special Agent Kolowski was nominated for the posthumous honor in 2018 after serving Kendall County for close to 20 years while working for the Illinois State Police. He died in the line of duty on Feb. 25, 1993.

Sheriff Dwight Baird acknowledged those who came to the ceremony to remember and honor the officers who made the ultimate sacrifice to protect us, our families and our community. During the ceremony Sheriff Dwight Baird said, "It's important to acknowledge and remember not only those who have fallen on duty, but to also show respect for their families."