



Royal Newfoundland Constabulary Association

RNC Association Represented at Toronto Police Funeral

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(St. John's, NL) – The RNC Association extends its condolences to the family of Toronto Police Officer, Sgt. Ryan Russell and his police family in the Toronto Police Service who are mourning the loss of a husband, father and coworker.

The RNC Association will be represented at the police funeral in Toronto today by two members from the Corner Brook Detachment, Sgt. Richard Wheeler and Cst. Peter Kelly.

Cst. Kelly will find this occasion particularly difficult as he was a member of the Toronto Police Service for three years, prior to returning to his home Province to join the ranks of Newfoundland and Labrador's provincial police force. He had worked with the officers who attended the call which resulted in the death of Sgt. Russell.

RNCA President, Tim Buckle says, "The RNC Association is proud to fund the cost of travel for our members to pay tribute to a fallen officer who paid the ultimate sacrifice to keep his community safe."

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