



Florida PBA's President Ernie George and Executive Director David Murrell with Tallahassee P.D.'s Lieutenant David Folsom, this year's winner of the Mike Fasano Legislative Excellence Award.



Senator Walter "Skip" Campbell, Jr. received the PBA endorsement for Attorney General (Democrat) in the upcoming primary election (see page 3).



Charles Bronson received the PBA endorsement for his reelection as Commissioner of Agriculture (see page 3).



Ernie George expresses his appreciation for the hard work and cooperation of PBA members and wishes John Rivera the best as he prepares to assume the office of President of the Florida PBA in October, 2006.

"Support Law Enforcement" Tag Sales Going Strong!

By Ken Kopczynski

In the last edition of *Roll Call* (March 2006), I wrote that over 12,000 of our PBA "Support Law Enforcement Tags" were bought. I am extremely proud to report that as of May 2006, over 15,000 tags have been sold.

New tag sales and tag renewals have been growing and growing. At the rate we're going, we'll be seeing over 1,000 tag sales per month. Thank you, thank you, and thank you.

The proceeds from the tag sales help many officers and families when tragedy strikes through benefits paid out of the PBA Heart Fund (see below). 🍀



Florida PBA Executive Director David Murrell proudly displays one of the first custom PBA Support Law Enforcement Tags.



PBA Heart Fund Contribution Guidelines

Dear Potential Contributor:

In an effort to help the families of law enforcement, corrections, and correctional probation officers who are killed or disabled in the line of duty, Florida Police Benevolent Association (PBA) has established a charitable arm which is called the *PBA Heart Fund*. Because the *PBA Heart Fund* is a 501(c)(3) organization, contributions are tax deductible. Monies donated to the Heart Fund are used to provide death benefits to the families of officers killed in the line of duty and to officers who are permanently disabled because of an in-line-of-duty injury.

Aside from individuals who may want to donate with the tax deduction in mind*, political campaigns may dispose of surplus funds (after the campaign is over) by donating some or all of the surplus to the *PBA Heart Fund* [s. 106.141 (4) (a) 2., Florida Statutes]. And, of course, other entities (e.g. not-for-profit corporations) may also donate to this cause. The address is:

**Florida PBA Heart Fund
300 East Brevard Street
Tallahassee, FL 32301**

More information about the Heart Fund may be obtained by calling Florida P.B.A. at 1-800-733-3722.

*Receipt for donations will be provided upon request. 🍀

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