



# Major County Sheriffs of America

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## Major County Sheriffs of America Announces New Officers

*Sheriff Dennis Lemma sworn-in as new VP, Sheriff Garry McFadden as Region 4 Representative*

ALEXANDRIA, Va. – Major County Sheriffs of America President Peter J. Koutoujian today announced that Seminole County (Fla.) Sheriff Dennis M. Lemma has been elected as the group's new Vice President, while Mecklenburg County (N.C.) Sheriff Garry McFadden was elected as the Region 4 Representative.

Sheriffs Lemma and McFadden were formally sworn-in during the MCSA's Virtual Winter Conference held March 4, 2021. Vice President Lemma had previously served as Region 4 Representative.

MCSA is a professional law enforcement association comprised of sheriff offices representing counties or parishes with populations of half a million people, or more. Its 100+ members represent over 120 million Americans.

"Sheriffs Lemma and McFadden are recognized, innovative leaders whose careers have been dedicated to protecting the public and improving the lives of all those who live and work in their communities," said President Koutoujian. "Their diverse experiences, incredible public safety knowledge and dedication to service will help shape the future of our organization and ensure MCSA's voice is heard on the issues that impact our communities and profession."

As Vice President, Sheriff Lemma will help guide and implement MCSA's priorities and represent MCSA in discussions with the Biden Administration and Congressional leaders.

"I am honored by the vote of confidence from my fellow Sheriffs to serve as MCSA's Vice President," said Sheriff Lemma. "I have long believed in the mission of the MCSA, and our unique ability to advocate for our shared causes, mission, and all of the constituents that we serve. I look forward to serving all member Sheriffs, our profession, and this organization."

In his capacity as Region 4 Representative, Sheriff McFadden will, among other things serve as a liaison between the Executive Board and fellow sheriffs in nine states including: Florida, Georgia, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, South Carolina and Virginia. "I'm grateful for this opportunity and am happy MCSA recognizes my diverse background in law enforcement and public safety," said Sheriff McFadden. "I'm pleased to help lead MCSA into this new era of becoming the premiere law enforcement association in America."

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