

**President's Report to the
93rd Annual Conference
Iowa State Police Association
Davenport, Iowa
October 6th-8th, 2025**

Hello and welcome to the 93rd Annual ISPA Conference. Davenport's Local #2 has done a wonderful job creating an informative and inviting environment for this year's conference. The conference is being held at the beautiful Hotel Blackhawk with training being held in the River Center which can be accessed right from the main floor. Last year's conference was on far west side of the state in Sioux City, so we are excited to see everyone travel to the East side of the state this year to participate in the conference!

One of the responsibilities of the ISPA Executive Board is to promote and follow legislation at the capital that affects our members and law enforcement in general. With the assistance of our lobbyists, Jeff Smith, Maggie Smith-Fitzgerald, Matt Fitzgerald, and Jerry Fitzgerald and several key representatives at the capital, we have made some small steps and some small strides trying to improve the conditions for law enforcement and fire personnel. There will be a lot of movement in the coming years at the state capital, and we will do whatever we can to maintain and improve our members' benefits.

I joined the board almost 8 years ago, even though it feels like yesterday, I feel that we have accomplished a lot with the assistance of all the other board members who came before me. It's amazing to see so many different people and departments coming together for the common good and making decisions that will echo in years to come.

Even though my time on the board is just 1 more short year away, I will continue to assist as immediate past president securing the next generations ability to serve you, its members. And once my time on the board comes to an end, I will join the prestigious past presidents' group and hopefully add my limited experience to the whole. I will continue to do what I can to better the ISPA for its members!

Thank you!

Fred Lepley, ISPA President

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