

Dear CAACO Board,

I would like to nominate ACO Kelli Jelen of Lakewood Police Department for ACO of the Year.

Kelli began her first job in 1992 with Federal Heights and left there in 2000. She has put in almost 17 years in the business. She has been injured in the line of duty, three times with her shoulder, once to her wrist and one which involved an attack by a chow where Kelli received injuries to her abdomen. Kelli has accredited not being bit a lot to officer safety and learning dog behavior, all credit of CAACO.

Kelli has dedicated many years to CAACO in positions of President, Treasurer and Secretary and served on the board for 10 years. She was responsible for nominating CAACO for both of the awards it has received from the NACA as State Association of the Year.

Kelli has promoted the welfare and image of ACO's with her representation of the profession as well as bringing her goodwill along with her networking abilities to further the cause.

Thank you for your consideration,

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