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**City of Duluth - Police Department**

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**DATE: 1/22/2019**

**SUBJECT: Memorial Service for K9 Haas**

**BY: Ingrid Hornibrook**

**NATURE OF INCIDENT: Memorial Service**

**CASE NO.:**

**INCIDENT DATE: 1/25/2019**

**INCIDENT TIME: 4:00 p.m.**

**INCIDENT LOCATION: DECC - Harborside Ballroom**

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[DULUTH, MN] - The Duluth Police Department will be holding a memorial service to honor fallen K9 Haas. On Sunday, January 13th, at 7:30 p.m. Haas was wounded in the line of duty while responding to a domestic assault with a weapon. He was transported to the emergency vet hospital, where he later died. K9 handler, Officer Aaron Haller, was also wounded in the incident.

K9 Haas served with handler Officer Aaron Haller for two years. K9 Haas showed exemplary discipline and outstanding tracking skills. During one of his initial certification classes on narcotics detection, he finished with the top score in the class: 199.67 out of 200. At the USPCA regional trials he placed first in criminal apprehension out of more than 100 teams.

**Please join us while we remember K9 Haas**

Friday, January 25th, 2019

3:00 p.m. Doors Open

4:00 p.m. Service Begins

DECC - Harborside Ballroom

Free & Open to the Public

Free Parking at the DECC

\*DECC is a pet-free zone, please no dogs

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