

## **Racine County Law Enforcement Restoration Steering Committee**

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Sergeant Steven Madsen - Racine Police Department

A Special Thank You to Gateway Technical  
College and Milaeger's Landscaping Services  
for assistance in designing this memorial.

**In memory of these officers and deputies who  
have lost their lives during the performance of  
their duties, and in honor of their families  
who have endured this great loss.**

### **Racine County Sheriff's Department**

Henry D. Denman                      June 18, 1953

George W. Hanson                     June 18, 1953

### **City of Burlington Police Department**

Hubert W. Schenning                 February 9, 1935

Anthony G. Eilers                     February 5, 1962

### **City of Racine Police Department**

Alvin B. Christensen                 July 13, 1930

Jacob A. Mauer                        April 28, 1931

Harry C. Breheim                     August 26, 1933

John H. Anderson                     March 10, 1935

Frank F. Lenske                        May 13, 1936

Arthur Lindstrom                     February 12, 1951

Harold Worden                         August 25, 1955

Lester McEachern                    May 5, 1956

James J. Hantschel                    May 15, 1963

Fred Lenzke                             February 15, 1967

James R. Fine                          January 11, 1974

**May they never be forgotten and  
this list never made longer.**



## **Racine County Law Enforcement Memorial Restoration Project**

**Hantschel Park  
5400 Byrd Avenue  
Racine, WI 53406**

On May 15, 1963, Detective James Hantschel of the Racine Police Department was killed in the line of duty while transporting a suspect to the police station for questioning.

On this date, Detective Hantschel joined the list of fallen law enforcement officers from Racine County who have made the ultimate sacrifice to protect the people of our community.

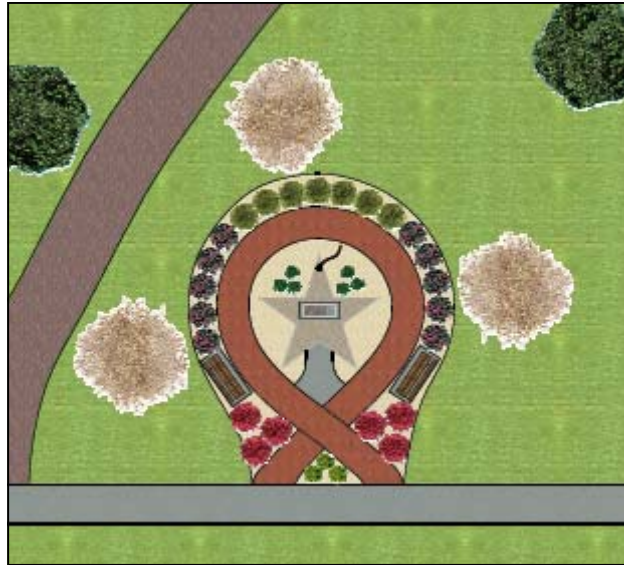
On May 15, 1972, the citizens of this county dedicated this memorial to Detective Hantschel and all of the heroes listed on it to honor their memory and recognize their families who have had to endure their great loss.

Over the years, this memorial has faded in the memories of the community and the law enforcement profession. It has suffered neglect, vandalism, and loss of prominence.

The Racine County Law Enforcement Memorial Restoration Committee was formed in January 2005, to restore the monument and remind the community and law enforcement of the great sacrifice these people have made, and indeed the daily sacrifices made by all officers and deputies on a daily basis while working to keep our community safe.

We are asking the community, people like you, to help us honor all law enforcement officers in Racine County by contributing to this effort through the purchase of a memorial brick.

## Racine County Law Enforcement Memorial Proposed Design



The restoration project will be an expansion on the original monument stone and flagpole that stand today.

The design will include:

- A memorial walkway in a ribbon pattern made with memorial bricks which can be purchased and names or messages inscribed in them.
- A star will be added to the foundation of the monument stone along with a path to view the names of the officers and deputies that have died in the line of duty.
- Trees and plants will be included in this memorial to provide color as well as benches for visitors to sit and enjoy the surroundings and reflect.

To purchase a memorial brick to be included in the ribbon walkway surrounding the monument; Simply fill out the order form below and return with your payment to:

Racine County Law Enforcement  
Memorial Restoration Project  
c/o Sergeant William Macemon—Secretary  
Racine Police Department  
730 Center Street  
Racine, WI 53403  
Please make checks out to:  
Racine Community Outpost

4 X 8 inch Memorial Brick \$75.00


12 X 12 inch Memorial Brick \$200.00


Contact Information:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Please check if you need additional order forms

**Thank you for your order**