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FJP Statement on Confirmation of Ronald Davis as Director of the U.S. Marshals Service

<u>Fair and Just Prosecution</u> Executive Director Miriam Krinsky issued the following statement in response to yesterday's confirmation of Ronald Davis as the Director of the United States Marshals Service:

"I applaud the Senate for confirming Ronald Davis as the Director of the U.S. Marshals Service and commend the Biden-Harris administration for nominating such an outstanding candidate to this important position.

As the primary law enforcement division of the United States federal courts and judiciary, the U.S. Marshals Service is a crucial agency within the criminal legal system, and there is no one better to lead the agency through this moment than Director Davis.

From his days on the front lines as a police officer in Oakland, Calif., to his time as Chief of Police in East Palo Alto, Calif. and his leadership of the Justice Department's Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) Office, Director Davis has a strong reputation of promoting public safety while building trust between law enforcement and the communities they serve. At a time when so many have lost faith in law enforcement and the criminal legal system, Director Davis' strong leadership and innovative thinking is more needed than ever.

We look forward to working with and supporting Director Davis as he guides the U.S. Marshals Service with equity, justice and fairness. We also hope the Senate will act soon to confirm Chris Magnus for Commissioner of U.S. Customs and Border Protection and that President Biden and the Senate will nominate and confirm leadership for the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention and the COPS Office."

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