



## **DPD personnel join Carry the Load Relay to honor fallen detective**

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Members of the Dayton Police Department are honored to ride a leg in the Carry the Load Memorial Relay (Midwest) which will be dedicated to Detective Jorge DelRio.

Detective DelRio was shot in the line of duty on Nov. 4, 2019, and died three days later.

The part of the bicycle ride honoring Detective DelRio happens on Wednesday, May 18, beginning at 9 a.m. It will start at Wright State University Police headquarters (118 Campus Services Building, main campus) and end at the Dayton National Cemetery (4400 W. Third St.), a distance of 12.3 miles. After the ride there will be a short ceremony at the cemetery (near the American flagpole on Hawaii Place).

Carry the Load is a non-profit organization dedicated to “honoring and celebrating the sacrifices made by our military, veterans, first responders, and their families.” The Midwest relay began May 7 in Minneapolis and ends May 29 in Dallas, after covering a distance of 3,800 miles.

The event is open to the community and the media.

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