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TO: Alford M. Harden, Jr., Russell County Probate Judge  
FROM: Governor Kay Ivey *Kay Ivey*  
DATE: Tuesday, July 14, 2020  
RE: Flags Lowered Honoring Former Russell County Sheriff Tommy Boswell

I hereby authorize you to order flags be flown at half-staff in Russell County to honor former Russell County Sheriff Thomas "Tommy" Fletcher Boswell, Jr., who passed away on Saturday, July 11, 2020.

Boswell dedicated over forty years of service to law enforcement, 21 of them as sheriff of Russell County. During his tenure as sheriff, he served as the president of the Alabama Sheriff's Association in 1998 and was chosen to lead the statewide Criminal Justice Information Commission.

I offer my heartfelt condolences and prayers to his wife and children, friends and the citizens of Russell County.

The flags in Russell County may be flown at half-staff on the day of his interment on Wednesday, July 15, 2020 until sunset.

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