

CLASS OF 2021



Michael O. Randolph

Chief Michael O. Randolph served in the Unites States Army, 1970-1975; after 26 years of service with the Tallahassee Fire Department, he continued his professional service by becoming the Chief of Training with Gainesville Fire & Rescue. He then continued to serve the fire service and returned where it all started, the Fire Academy at Tallahassee Community College.

Chief Michael O. Randolph's leadership was profiled through his tireless public service and commitment with a vision to ensure gains for the community and the Fire Service. His

accomplishments are implemented through visible academic initiatives, economic growth, community projects, and the firefighters whom he had the pleasure to encounter/train.

His distinguished leadership and untiring services which added impetus to the vigorous growth, accomplishments, advancement and enhancement of the fire service continues to be recognized throughout the US. As a mentor and an advocate, he enthusiastically served his community and public safety with success to establish programs aimed to promote human capital, education and community collaboration.

Chief Randolph's vision remains within all who he had the privilege to work with; to ensure citizens' needs are met, allowed necessary public amenities and pursue a well- planned infrastructure for the future of Fire and Rescue training.

Watch the video presented at the 2021 Heroes in Public Safety Banquet of Tiffany Randolph speaking on behalf of her father, Michael Randolph <u>HERE</u>.