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To Leelanau County Commissioners:

I am greatly disturbed by the photo of our Leelanau County sheriff standing behind Donald Trump at the rally in Grand Rapids last weekend, with the bloodbath sign. There is no Biden bloodbath! We all know that the border is a complex and increasingly desperate issue that has gone on for decades. I have questions. Yes, Borkovich had a right to go as a private citizen, but I object to his appearing in uniform. What car did he drive? Did he charge the county for time and travel? Trump's rhetoric is becoming increasingly violent. Who will our sheriff protect if and when a bloodbath happens? Will he and Trump's minions beat up those of us who actually stand to protect our American democracy? Will they go after our immigrant workers, those who harvest our crops, service our hospitality venues, work as our caregivers? What are his priorities, and whom does he think he serves? We all deserve some answers.

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