

Fw: citizen compliment

Bruce Ramseyer <bruce.ramseyer@champaignil.gov>

Mon 1/6/2020 12:29 PM

To: Kevin Olmstead <Kevin.Olmstead@champaignil.gov>

Bruce Ramseyer

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From: Brian Rogers <brian.rogers@champaignil.gov>

Sent: Monday, January 6, 2020 11:58 AM

To: John McAllister <john.mcallister@champaignil.gov>

Cc: Patrick Simons <Patrick.Simons@champaignil.gov>; Bruce Ramseyer <bruce.ramseyer@champaignil.gov>

Subject: citizen compliment

John,

The resident at [REDACTED] Rd. called in today to thank you specifically for the way you responded to her alarm call on New Years Day. She said you were "very nice and very efficient" with the way you cleared her house. She told me she is 77 years old and lives alone so her home alarm is very important to her and knowing such professional officers will respond to her house makes her feel very safe.

This was probably an insignificant call for you, but the way you handled it made a BIG difference to her.

Great Job!!

Sgt. Brian Rogers #909

Patrol Division- Northwest District

Champaign Police Department

82 East University Avenue

Champaign, IL 61820

217.351.4545

Fw: Compliment for Officer Rice

Tod Myers <tod.myers@champaignil.gov>

Tue 2/11/2020 1:07 PM

To: Kevin Olmstead <Kevin.Olmstead@champaignil.gov>

FYI for your records.

From: Brian Maloney <brian.maloney@champaignil.gov>

Sent: Tuesday, February 11, 2020 11:49 AM

To: Lack, Aaron <lackav@ci.champaign.il.us>; Caleb Rice <caleb.rice@champaignil.gov>

Cc: Bruce Ramseyer <bruce.ramseyer@champaignil.gov>; Tod Myers <tod.myers@champaignil.gov>

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Laura Sargis called from [REDACTED]. She praised Officer Rice for his professional follow-up on a call. He had also promised her son to bring stickers and remembered to do so on a later date.

She was very happy!

Good job Caleb!

Note new email: Brian.Maloney@Champaignil.gov

Sergeant Brian Maloney #942

Champaign Police Department

82 E. University Ave, Champaign, IL 61820

217-351-4545 (front desk)

217-403-6924 (fax)

FW: Officer Vogel compliment

Dennis Baltzell <dennis.baltzell@champaignil.gov>

Wed 2/26/2020 3:09 PM

To: Stephen Vogel <stephen.vogel@champaignil.gov>

Cc: Kevin Olmstead <Kevin.Olmstead@champaignil.gov>

Nice job Steve.

From: Aaron Lack <aaron.lack@champaignil.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, February 26, 2020 1:08 PM

To: Nathan Rath <nathan.rath@champaignil.gov>; Dennis Baltzell <dennis.baltzell@champaignil.gov>; Bradley Krauel <Bradley.Krauel@champaignil.gov>; Stephen Vogel <stephen.vogel@champaignil.gov>

Cc: David Shaffer <david.shaffer@champaignil.gov>

Subject: Officer Vogel compliment

Steve,

A parent of two Centennial High School students called wanting to express how happy they were with what you do in your sincere efforts with all the children. He explained that he has two developmentally disabled teenagers that you seem to take an extended period of time with even though you have such a busy day at the school. Further words to describe your work at the school included "awesome" and "authentically interested" in the way you deal with all of the kids. Your work clearly had an influence on making Thomas Thompson a big fan of you and our department. And this definitely not the first time that I have heard parents or school employees say very positive things about your work there at the school.

Thank you!

Aaron

Sergeant Aaron Lack #920

Champaign Police Department

82 E. University Avenue

Champaign, IL 61820

(217) 351-4545

aaron.lack@champaignil.gov

Re: Note of thanks

Timothy Atteberry <timothy.atteberry@champaignil.gov>

Sat 2/29/2020 12:13 PM

To: Bruce Ramseyer <bruce.ramseyer@champaignil.gov>; Christopher Oberheim <christopher.oberheim@champaignil.gov>; Matthew Silver <matthew.silver@champaignil.gov>

Cc: John Lieb <John.Lieb@champaignil.gov>; Matthew Henson <matthew.henson@champaignil.gov>; Kevin Olmstead <Kevin.Olmstead@champaignil.gov>; Tod Myers <tod.myers@champaignil.gov>

While the accolades are appreciated, they are Officer Oberheim's, alone. He called us off before we arrived, so we were never on-scene.

Nice work, Chris!

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From: Bruce Ramseyer <bruce.ramseyer@champaignil.gov>

Sent: Friday, February 28, 2020 7:40 AM

To: Christopher Oberheim <christopher.oberheim@champaignil.gov>; Timothy Atteberry <timothy.atteberry@champaignil.gov>; Matthew Silver <matthew.silver@champaignil.gov>

Cc: John Lieb <John.Lieb@champaignil.gov>; Matthew Henson <matthew.henson@champaignil.gov>; Kevin Olmstead <Kevin.Olmstead@champaignil.gov>; Tod Myers <tod.myers@champaignil.gov>

Subject: Note of thanks

Chris, Tim and Matt,

I received this note of thanks from Larry Krause. Seems that his wife's boss was the one who slid off the roadway on the 26th. They all really appreciated your help. Thanks for the good work!

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From: Larry Krause <larry.krause@champaignil.gov>

Sent: Thursday, February 27, 2020 10:29 AM

To: Anthony Cobb <anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov>

Subject: Kudos to the Department

Anthony:

My wife works at an office on Clearlake Blvd. Yesterday morning, her boss was trying to turn off Rt. 150 onto Clearlake and slid over the curb, putting his vehicle in a precarious position. He thought it may tip into the corn field on the east side there. At first, he thought he may have to get out of the car on the passenger side and quickly changed his mind. He had trouble opening the drivers side door. An officer (He didn't get the officer's name unfortunately) saw him in trouble and came to help him get out of the vehicle. It ended up taking three tow trucks to retrieve the vehicle, so it was definitely a touchy situation. He was very appreciative of the officers assistance.

I thought I would pass this on since we don't often get praise that is rightly deserved.

Larry

Re: Officer response POSITIVE email

Kevin Olmstead <Kevin.Olmstead@champaignil.gov>

Sun 3/22/2020 8:25 AM

To: Leslie Kerr <leslie.kerr@champaignil.gov>; Demario Nunnally <demario.nunnally@champaignil.gov>
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Dispatch Tickets.pdf;

Officer Kerr and Officer Nunnally,

Ms. Hicks from [REDACTED] Lane sent an email regarding her appreciation for your respective responses to her noise complaints on 3/20 and 3/21.

Keep up the good work and thank you!

Kevin Olmstead
Lieutenant - Professional Standards
Champaign Police Department
82 East University Avenue
Champaign, Illinois 61820
Office: 217.403.6913
Fax: 217.403.6904

From: Thomas Yelich <thomas.yelich@champaignil.gov>
Sent: Saturday, March 21, 2020 7:40 PM
To: cpdmanagement <cpdmanagement@champaignil.gov>
Subject: FW: Officer response POSITIVE email

FYI:

-----Original Message-----

From: Katherine Elizabeth Hicks [REDACTED]
Sent: Saturday, March 21, 2020 7:36 PM
To: police <police@champaignil.gov>
Subject: Officer response POSITIVE email

Good evening. The officeS who responded to my noise complaint on March 20 and March 21 at [REDACTED] lane were amazing and very understanding. I appreciate their help during the COVID-19 situation even though it wasn't a true emergency.

Thank you!
Katherine Hicks

Sent from my iPhone

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John,

Here is a very well earned thank from Council Fourman and the residents of JoAnn Lane. I too thank you and the officers from your shift for your constant hard work to protect our community! Great work and thank you for your leadership and guidance to your shift!!!

Anthony D. Cobb
Chief of Police
City of Champaign
Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Dorothy Ann David <Dorothy.David@champaignil.gov>
Date: March 22, 2020 at 12:59:33 CDT
To: Anthony Cobb <anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov>
Subject: A thank you from CM Fourman

She sent this message to me this morning:

Last night we had a shooting at the house on Joanne and because Chief has had a squad car parked out here they caught the guy. Please tell the Chief what an awesome job!"

Dorothy Ann David, City Manager
City of Champaign

telephone: (217) 403-8710

email: dorothy.david@champaignil.gov

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Fwd: Thanks Officer Repp

Heather Watson <heather.watson@champaignil.gov>

Sun 5/24/2020 8:32 AM

To: allcpd <allcpd@champaignil.gov>

Note of appreciation for Ofc Repp

From: Blake.Wells <Blake.Wells@carle.com>

Sent: Sunday, May 24, 2020 1:36 AM

To: police

Subject: Thanks

My name is Blake Wells I work in Security at Carle Hospital. I would like to make sure police Officer Repp knows how much we appreciated his help tonight at the hospital. He had brought in an intoxicated combative patient, and we had multiple combative patients at the time. Officer Repp remained with the patient that he brought in until he knew everyone was safe, and the situation was under control. A big thanks to him from the Carle security team!!

Fw: Call Review- PHI Enclosed

Bruce Ramseyer <bruce.ramseyer@champaignil.gov>

Wed 5/20/2020 11:37 AM

To: Dane Kaldahl <dane.kaldahl@champaignil.gov>; Edward Sebestik <edward.sebestik@champaignil.gov>; Justin Prosser <justin.prosser@champaignil.gov>

Cc: Kevin Olmstead <Kevin.Olmstead@champaignil.gov>; Tod Myers <tod.myers@champaignil.gov>; Matthew Henson <matthew.henson@champaignil.gov>

Dane, Ed and Justin,

Here's a thank you from CFD for a call you helped them on 4/25.

Keep up the good work.

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From: Roger Cruse <roger.cruse@champaignil.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, May 20, 2020 8:30 AM

To: Bruce Ramseyer <bruce.ramseyer@champaignil.gov>

Subject: Fw: Call Review- PHI Enclosed

Good Morning,

Hope you are staying healthy and doing well!

Can you please pass on to the officers that were on scene of the below call a Big THANK YOU from CFD for their help during this full arrest. My guys stated that CPD was a tremendous help in getting this patient out of the building and into the ambulance. The call was on 4/25 at 0530 at 201 W. Springfield.

Once Again a Great Team Effort.

Thank You & Have A Great Day!

Roger



Roger Cruse

Deputy Fire Chief

Operations

Champaign Fire Department

roger.cruse@champaignil.gov

217-403-7200

From: Michael.Smith <Michael.Smith@carle.com>

Sent: Tuesday, May 19, 2020 10:52 AM

To: Chris.Brown <Chris.Brown@Carle.com>; Dustin.Royal <Dustin.Royal@carle.com>; Roger Cruse <roger.cruse@champaignil.gov>; larry.sapp@carle.com <larry.sapp@carle.com>

Cc: john.sollars@carle.com <john.sollars@carle.com>; justin.stalter@carle.com <justin.stalter@carle.com>; Steve.Peters <Steve.Peters@Carle.com>; Andy Quarnstrom <andrew.quarnstrom@champaignil.gov>; Gary Ludwig <gary.ludwig@champaignil.gov>

Subject: Call Review- PHI Enclosed

Good morning,

This is a call review and outcome follow-up on a critical run for Arrow Ambulance and Champaign Fire Department on 4/25/2020, at 201 West Springfield Avenue, for patient [REDACTED]

Your record indicates great care, with utilization of high performance CPR via LUCAS device, supraglottic airway use, and standard ACLS medication. You documented return of circulation enroute to Carle.

This patient not only achieved return of circulation for EMS, that was maintained in the ER and he stabilized rapidly. He was admitted to the critical care unit, where he progressed over time and was discharged to the inpatient rehabilitation unit. Of note, the EMS chart noted that family stated he had been unresponsive an extended time prior to the 911 call. In the hospital the reason for his collapse and code was identified as hyperacute stroke- his cardiac workup was actually negative. So it appears this patient coded as a result of respiratory failure from his stroke, and thus the BLS care of CPR and single AED shock with ventilation is likely what saved him in the field.

As of today, he remains in rehab but is cognitively doing well- having purposeful conversations with his care team and his family. His initial aphasia and right sided deficits have steadily improved.

Your care during this incident, along with that of the responding CFD personnel, clearly saved this man's life. Your efforts are in the highest tradition of the Fire and EMS services. They deserve and receive my respect and commendation.

Cordially,

Mike

Michael J Smith MD FAEMS
Medical Director, Carle Regional EMS
Associate Medical Director, Health Alliance

Ps. The Arrow crew of Chris Brown and Dustin Royal are messaged directly here. CFD leaders, the Arrow record indicated fire response, AED and Lucas, and that 2 of your personnel accompanied the ambulance to the hospital.

Please identify your responders and forward this message to them. Time of the call on 4/25 was 0536- hope that helps you find it.

FW: Appreciation

Anthony Cobb <anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov>

Tue 1/14/2020 8:21 AM

To: Bruce Ramseyer <bruce.ramseyer@champaignil.gov>

Cc: Kevin Olmstead <Kevin.Olmstead@champaignil.gov>; Tod Myers <tod.myers@champaignil.gov>

Bruce would you please convey, the Daily Bread and my thank you to these officers during briefing. I'll also send them a note, but I'm sure they will appreciate being recognized for good work in front of their peers.

Anthony D. Cobb

Chief of Police

phone: (217)403-6907

anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov

From: [REDACTED]

Sent: Monday, January 13, 2020 1:55 PM

To: Anthony Cobb <anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov>

Cc: [REDACTED]

Subject: Appreciation

Chief

Chief

We don't say it often enough, but we appreciate you and your staff for all their support.

Listed below is such an example of support.

Thanks

bob

James Dobbins

to me

Wed, Jan 1, 11:47 AM

(12 days ago)

[REDACTED]
Could you please send a thank-note to Chief Cobb commending the performance of three of his finest officers:

Officer Brazelton

Officer McLearn

Officer Wills

They spent over an hour here reviewing CCTV video looking for evidence to support [REDACTED] claim that her daughter had been groped this morning while she was at DBSK. (Note that [REDACTED] was in the bathroom at the time and hadn't personally witnessed anything.) They had already detained the suspect. In the end, they found no evidence whatsoever. When they explained this to [REDACTED] and reviewed the video with her, both she and her sister went ballistic and began screaming 'fuck' at the police and at volunteers and guests. [REDACTED] got her outside and she is now BANNED FOR A MONTH.

FW: Scanned from Champaign County State's Attorney

Dennis Baltzell <dennis.baltzell@champaignil.gov>

Fri 1/17/2020 2:22 PM

To: Jody Cherry <jody.cherry@champaignil.gov>

Cc: Nathan Rath <nathan.rath@champaignil.gov>; Kevin Olmstead <Kevin.Olmstead@champaignil.gov>

 2 attachments (144 KB)

001.pdf; ATT00001.htm;

From: Lindsey Clark-Rivest <lclark@co.champaign.il.us>

Sent: Friday, January 17, 2020 1:39 PM

To: Bradley Krauel <Bradley.Krauel@champaignil.gov>; Dennis Baltzell <dennis.baltzell@champaignil.gov>

Subject: Fwd: Scanned from Champaign County State's Attorney

Thought this would be helpful to forward on.

Lindsey

Begin forwarded message:

From: Joel Fletcher <JFletcher@co.champaign.il.us>

Date: January 17, 2020 at 1:37:00 PM CST

To: Troy Lozar <tlozar@co.champaign.il.us>, Lindsey Clark-Rivest <lclark@co.champaign.il.us>, Matthew Banach <mbanach@co.champaign.il.us>, Scott Larson <slarson@co.champaign.il.us>

Subject: FW: Scanned from Champaign County State's Attorney

Today I was doing discovery on a robbery case and I came across the attached report from Det. Cherry. I thought he did a very good job dealing with all of the issues that may come up in a silent witness doctrine case (though I am not likely to need that form of foundation here). I have rarely seen reports on this issue that address this issue this thoroughly.

Given that much of our jobs seems to be telling police what they've done wrong, it would probably be a good idea to point out stuff like this that seems to be being done right.

Just a thought for those of you who regularly go to investigators' meetings.

RE: For your consideration

Anthony Cobb <anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov>

Wed 1/22/2020 9:14 AM

To: David Griffet <david.griffet@champaignil.gov>; Nathan Rath <nathan.rath@champaignil.gov>; David Shaffer <david.shaffer@champaignil.gov>; Robert Sumption <Robert.Sumption@champaignil.gov>

Cc: Kevin Olmstead <Kevin.Olmstead@champaignil.gov>

Dave & Dustin,

Thank you both for your outstanding work in this case. You both continue to lead and represent our department in proactive investigations involving some of the most dangerous people in our area. Thank you both for all you do to keep our community safe! Your work is greatly appreciated and does not go un-noticed, by me, the City Manager, the Mayor or our Council. We all know our community is safer through your hard work. THANK YOU!!!!!!!

Sincerely,

Anthony D. Cobb

Chief of Police

phone: (217)403-6907

anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov

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Cc: Kevin Olmstead <Kevin.Olmstead@champaignil.gov>

Subject: Fw: For your consideration

Gentlemen,

The attached letter was sent regarding last Friday's arrest of a homicide suspect out on Indianapolis, Indiana. Thanks

Dave

Detective Sergeant David Griffet

Street Crimes Task Force (SCTF)

USMS GLRFTF - TFO

217-403-6927

Please note my email address has been changed to david.griffet@champaignil.gov

From: Moreau, Justin (USMS) <Justin.Moreau@usdoj.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, January 22, 2020 7:17 AM

To: David Griffet <david.griffet@champaignil.gov>; Sumption, Robert (USMS) <Robert.Sumption@usdoj.gov>; Junker, Daniel (USMS) <Daniel.Junker@usdoj.gov>; Hart, Joni (USMS) <Joni.Hart@usdoj.gov>; Carley, Patrick (USMS) <Patrick.Carley@usdoj.gov>

Subject: Fwd: For your consideration

Justin Moreau

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Fitzpatrick, Stephen" <Stephen.Fitzpatrick@indy.gov>

Date: January 22, 2020 at 6:54:51 AM CST

To: "cyates@danvillepd.org" <cyates@danvillepd.org>, "Moreau, Justin (USMS)" <JMoreau@usms.doj.gov>

Cc: Patrick Carley <pcarley@danvillepd.org>

Subject: For your consideration

Can one of you please forwrd this to supervisors of

DUSM Moreau
Champaign PD Chief
Illinois DOC boss and
Kankakee Sheriff

Thank you

Stephen J. Fitzpatrick

Det. Sergeant

Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Department

TFO, United States Marshal Service

Department of Public Safety

50 N. Alabama

Indianapolis, IN 46201

Cell- (317)503-9680


Stephen.fitzpatrick@indy.gov

Thank you

Anthony Cobb <anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov>

Fri 3/27/2020 2:25 PM

To: allcpd <allcpd@champaignil.gov>

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[CPDADM@champaignil.gov_20200327_143745.pdf](#);

Attached is a thank you card from a local family!!

Anthony D. Cobb

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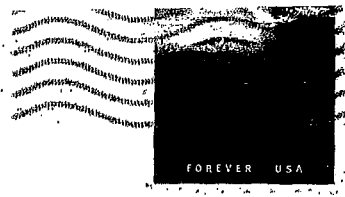
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CHAMPAIGN IL 61820
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Champaign Police Officers
82 E. University Ave
Champaign IL 61820



Dear Police Officers,

Thank you so much for all that
do for our community! We appreciate
your hard work each + every day. We
are lucky to have people like you to
keep us safe.

Sincerely,
Jill, Paul, Caleb, Stella
Halle + Casey
(The Youse - FyRZ Clan)

FW: Thank you

Anthony Cobb <anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov>

Fri 4/3/2020 5:39 PM

To: allcpd <allcpd@champaignil.gov>

Below is a thank you to the entire department from Jennifer Bannon in City Legal.

Anthony D. Cobb

Chief of Police

phone: (217)403-6907

anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov

From: Jennifer Bannon <jennifer.bannon@champaignil.gov>

Sent: Friday, April 3, 2020 5:24 PM

To: Anthony Cobb <anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov>; Tod Myers <tod.myers@champaignil.gov>; David Shaffer <david.shaffer@champaignil.gov>; Thomas Petrilli <Thomas.Petrilli@champaignil.gov>

Subject: Thank you

Chief and DCs,

I just wanted to reach out and say that I am sorry to hear that one of your officers is ill. I know this presents unique challenges to you and to the Department. Please let me know if there is any way that I can help.

I also wanted to say a big thank you to you and to all of our CPD employees. You all are really on the front lines keeping us safe while we go about our lives comfortably working from home. I've been so impressed with our organization's handling of this crisis overall, but those who are out in the community day in and day out deserve the utmost respect. Please convey my thanks.

I hope you all have a good weekend and that you and your families stay healthy.

Jennifer



Jennifer Bannon

Assistant City Attorney

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Thank you.

Re: Thank you message

Katherine Thompson <katherine.thompson@champaignil.gov>

Thu 5/28/2020 10:00 PM

To: Gregory Manzana <gregory.manzana@champaignil.gov>; Thomas Yelich <thomas.yelich@champaignil.gov>; cpdswornpersonnel <cpdswornpersonnel@champaignil.gov>

Way to go fellas!!!!

From: Gregory Manzana <gregory.manzana@champaignil.gov>

Sent: Thursday, May 28, 2020 11:41 AM

To: Thomas Yelich <thomas.yelich@champaignil.gov>; cpdswornpersonnel <cpdswornpersonnel@champaignil.gov>

Subject: Re: Thank you message

Ofcs McDonald, Vogel, and Brockwell took care of this, driving by then hopping out with the birthday girl briefly. Thanks for making that family's day!

Sergeant Greg Manzana #943
Alcohol Enforcement and Special Events Coordinator
City of Champaign Police Department
82 E. University Avenue, Champaign, Illinois 61820
Office: (217) 403-6981 Fax: (217) 403-6904

From: Thomas Yelich <thomas.yelich@champaignil.gov>

Sent: Thursday, May 28, 2020 10:15:54 AM

To: cpdswornpersonnel <cpdswornpersonnel@champaignil.gov>

Subject: Thank you message

To the officers who surprised Mila last night for her birthday, here is a message from her mother:

Thank you very much !!!! It was amazing!!! Mila was a little scared at first. I told her that Police came to congratulate her. After that she became bolder and happier. You made her day !!!! Even before going to bed, she shared her emotions and said that she would remember this day forever! I do not have enough words to thank you !!! Champaign Police - you are the best !!!!

I continue to receive similar requests, but as you are aware, we will begin scaling these back starting Friday with the introduction of phase 3. Thanks to everyone who has helped make so many young kids and families happy over the past two months.

Tom

Thank you from Citizen

Heather Watson <heather.watson@champaignil.gov>

Mon 6/1/2020 9:15 AM

To: allcpd <allcpd@champaignil.gov>

People still care and appreciate you efforts.

From: Chris <[REDACTED]>

Sent: Sunday, May 31, 2020 5:02 PM

To: police <police@champaignil.gov>

Subject: Thank you

I am sorry you have to deal with people yelling at you for what other people have done. I drove by the protests outside the station and saw the videos of the mall. You all are doing so much. Honor and bravery in action. Thank you for everything your team is doing for the community.

Thank you from Central Student

Antwan Funches <antwan.funches@champaignil.gov>

Mon 6/1/2020 3:24 PM

To: cpdswornpersonnel <cpdswornpersonnel@champaignil.gov>

----- Forwarded message -----

From: **STU JORDANNE CLARK** [REDACTED]

Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020, 1:00 PM

Subject: Thank you

To: <Funchean@u4sd.org>

Dear Mr.Funches

Hi this is Jordanne Clark I want to thank you for helping with everything going on because if it was not for you and your squad this whole world would be down and not only do I want to thank you I want to thank everyone that was out their with you yesterday I know it is hard to stand their and let them say what they want to say I hope you stay safe and make it back to your loved ones and I never would of thought this would happen. I pray for your safety and your squad and your family I know it can not possible be easy. Again thank you for everything you do and your squad

Sincerely,Jordanne Clark

Sent from my iPhone

Fwd: citizen comment

Anthony Cobb <anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov>

Mon 6/1/2020 8:36 PM

To: cpdswornpersonnel <cpdswornpersonnel@champaignil.gov>

FYI

Anthony D. Cobb
Chief of Police
City of Champaign
Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Kelly Brown <kelly.brown@champaignil.gov>

Date: June 1, 2020 at 20:31:42 CDT

To: Anthony Cobb <anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov>, Thomas Yelich <thomas.yelich@champaignil.gov>

Subject: citizen comment

Mr. Robert Michael Doyle called in this evening to thank the officers for everything they did yesterday and last night. "Knowing everything that was going on, I know the officers did the best they could do, under the circumstances."

Kelly Brown
PSR II
Champaign Police-Front Desk
ph: (217) 351-4545
work hours: 6:30 pm to 3:00 am Sunday - Thursday



"Always remember that you are absolutely unique. Just like everyone else." - Margaret Mead

Grateful Citizen

Justin Prosser <justin.prosser@champaignil.gov>

Thu 6/4/2020 2:22 AM

To: allcpd <allcpd@champaignil.gov>

All,

I spoke to a grateful citizen (Merridith Wilk) who wanted to pass along that she is very thankful to all the officers and how they handled themselves when dealing with the rioters/looters. She was impressed with the professionalism of the officers who had to engage them. Her father was a Champaign County Special Deputy (Charles Wilk) and her husband was a Captain for Coles County.

Sgt. Justin Prosser #916
Midnight North District Sergeant
Field Training Coordinator
Champaign Police Department
82 E. University Ave
Champaign IL 61820
217-351-4545

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RE: A note of gratitude..

Anthony Cobb <anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov>

Fri 6/5/2020 2:02 PM

To: Tammy Sowers <sowersta@u4sd.org>

Thank you Tammy!!! I appreciate your support and you making the time to share your thoughts, I will share this kind note with my command staff.

Thank you

Anthony D. Cobb

Chief of Police

phone: (217)403-6907

anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov

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From: Tammy Sowers <sowersta@u4sd.org>

Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 12:04 PM

To: Anthony Cobb <anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov>

Subject: A note of gratitude..

Chief,

It has been on my heart for several days now to reach out to you.

I know these are tough times for you and the department. Your job is difficult on a normal day. There has been nothing normal about the last several months.

You ALL have been in my thoughts and prayers. I also want you to know that I appreciate your leadership and am thankful for all you do for our community.

With Gratitude,

Tammy

--

Tammy Sowers

Administrative Assistant

Champaign Unit #4 Schools

502 W. Windsor

Champaign, IL 61820

217-351-3838


sowersta@u4sd.org

Thank you from the Mayor

David McLearin <David.McLearin@champaignil.gov>

Fri 6/12/2020 9:24 AM

To: allcpd <allcpd@champaignil.gov>

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Since all this has started I've been in contact with Deb. She sent me this card and wanted it forwarded to everyone. Our council members and especially our mayor believe in and appreciate what each of you do on a daily basis to keep peace and order in our city.

On a personal note I'm proud to see how our members have stepped up. In a challenging time I'm happy to count you all as my brothers and sisters. If the local FOP leadership can assist you in any way, please reach out to me, John, Dave, Jaceson or Rob.

Fraternally,

Dave

Dave -

I wanted to take the opportunity
to thank CPD for the work
they did during the civil
unrest, violence, & peaceful protests.
I witnessed officers working
professionally & also with
understanding as they talked
with & engaged protesters.
I also know that tremendous
work was done in holding
the criminals who were stealing



Property accountable & that many arrests were made.
All of this work was done without serious injury to anyone involved including our officers. This speaks to the integrity & professionalism of all involved.
Thank you & your fellow officers for all you do always.
Be well. *Neil Jensen*

Fwd: Thank you!

Thomas Yelich <thomas.yelich@champaignil.gov>

Thu 6/11/2020 7:14 AM

To: allcpd <allcpd@champaignil.gov>

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From: Shaina Soderstrom [REDACTED]

Sent: Wednesday, June 10, 2020 11:43 PM

To: police

Subject: Thank you!

I just wanted to let all of the officers know how much I appreciate all of the hard work that they are putting in. They are not getting enough credit for everything that they are going through. My father was a police officer and I know how hard you all work and how little thanks you get. I just wanted you to know that there are people out there that do see all of the hard work that you are doing and truly appreciate it!

Stay safe! Thank you!

-Shaina Soderstrom

Fw: Jeff Snodsmith

Bruce Ramseyer <bruce.ramseyer@champaignil.gov>

Wed 6/17/2020 2:24 PM

To: Jeffrey Snodsmith <jeffrey.snodsmith@champaignil.gov>

Cc: Patrick Simons <Patrick.Simons@champaignil.gov>; Matthew Henson <matthew.henson@champaignil.gov>; Tod Myers <tod.myers@champaignil.gov>; Kevin Olmstead <Kevin.Olmstead@champaignil.gov>

Jeff,

You clearly made a huge impression on this person. Thanks for doing such a great job. Keep it up.

Bruce Ramseyer

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From: Victor John Fleener [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, June 17, 2020 2:07 PM
To: Bruce Ramseyer <bruce.ramseyer@champaignil.gov>
Subject: Jeff Snodsmith

Dear Bruce, I tried calling the mayor of Champaign but was unable to reach her. I called the Champaign Police Department and I was given your email address.

Your officer Jeff Snodsmith is one of the very best police officers I have ever met.

He reminded me of the very best police Chief Patrick Connolly who I had met in Urbana, Illinois several years ago.

The situation that I encountered Officer Jeff Snodsmith was that I was temporarily stuck on University Avenue Tuesday evening near City Hall by Walnut street during a peaceful protest. I was not part of the protest I just so happened to be in traffic at that time.

Officer Jeff Snodsmith was next to me in traffic in a Champaign Police Car. He was very kind, polite, patient, calm regarding the protest. He was behaving like a perfect gentleman and police officer. I have seen the actions of very good police officers and the actions of very bad police officers. I will say Officer Jeff Snodsmith displayed the best of the blue!! I really hope and pray Officer Jeff Snodsmith

will get a promotion and teach police officers how to act in a noble manner where people can feel proud of their police force. It was an honor meeting Officer Jeff Snodsmith.

Stay Safe. God Bless Our Law Enforcement. I personally do my very best to obey the laws of the land. When I was in New York City many years ago the patron saint of the police department was St. Michael The Arc Angel. I remember meeting Urbana Police Chief Patrick Connelly at the Silver Creek Restaurant. He had the prayer to Saint Michael the Arc Angel memorized. I know there are great police officers doing a great service protecting the public. We need to keep that high standards of conduct for all the police officers. Have a wonderful and peaceful day. In closing Please give Officer Jeff Snodsmith my best regards.

An American Citizen,

Victor John Fleener

[REDACTED]
Villa Grove, Illinois 61956
[REDACTED]

FW: Thank you to Ofc. Billingsley, Ofc. Canales, Ofc. Carroll

Anthony Cobb <anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov>

Wed 6/24/2020 2:36 PM

To: Caleb Billingsley <caleb.billingsley@champaignil.gov>; Richard Carroll <richard.carroll@champaignil.gov>; Jeremiah Canales <jeremiah.canales@champaignil.gov>
Cc: Kevin Olmstead <Kevin.Olmstead@champaignil.gov>; Tod Myers <tod.myers@champaignil.gov>; Bruce Ramseyer <bruce.ramseyer@champaignil.gov>

Gentlemen,

Below is a thank you note from DC Rich Surles of UPD. Thank you all for your professionalism and care you displayed. Your actions truly represented our agency in a very positive light, and I thank you all for your dedication to our profession.

Sincerely,

Anthony D. Cobb

Chief of Police

phone: (217)403-6907

anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov

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From: Surles, Richard <surlesrh@urbanainllinois.us>
Sent: Wednesday, June 24, 2020 12:49 PM
To: Anthony Cobb <anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov>
Cc: David Shaffer <david.shaffer@champaignil.gov>
Subject: Thank you to Ofc. Billingsley, Ofc. Canales, Ofc. Carroll

Chief Cobb,

I write this short note not as a police officer from Urbana, rather a father of a child involved in a traffic accident yesterday.

Yesterday afternoon while in a budget prep meeting I received a call from my wife. She indicated that our 16-year-old child was involved in a traffic accident at 4th and Green. She merged her call with my daughter and our call and I spoke with my daughter and wife at the same time. My daughter was beyond upset, bordering on hysterical. She explained that she was T-boned in the intersection while she was southbound through the intersection and trapped in the vehicle. Of course I left work and went to the scene of the accident. I briefly met with Ofc. Billingsley and I informed him why I was there and what my daughter had told me. He explained that the other driver, who was westbound on Green Street, said that he had the green light also.

I then comforted my daughter for the next 15 or 20 minutes while Ofc. Canales directed traffic and helped the tow trucks clean up the scene. Ofc. Billingsley spoke with at least two people, whom I presumed to be witnesses, that presented themselves to him. He also, unbeknownst to me, contacted UIPD and had them review security camera footage on the Green Street corridor. After a time, Ofc. Billingsley came and spoke with my daughter. He was considerate and kind in his tone and demeanor. He explained what he did to investigate the matter and that he learned that she had the green light and that the other driver was at fault. This comforted my daughter, who was fearful for being at fault for this accident despite knowing that she had not run the light.

Ofc. Canales made a point to check on my daughter as he had previously interacted with her during his SRO responsibilities at Edison Middle School and as a coach to her cross country and track teams.

My daughter (and I) have now two interactions with Champaign police officers during traffic accidents recently. The first was in March of this year when my daughter inappropriately changed lanes into a taxi cab and rightfully earned a ticket from Ofc. Carroll for the accident (she still owes me \$172 for paying that ticket for her by the way). He, too, was very kind to my upset daughter I might add. During all of these interactions, all the officers were understanding and calm. I appreciate all of them, the work they have done, and the work they will undoubtedly continue to do for the City of Champaign.

The times we find ourselves in professionally are difficult and uncertain. There are lots of folks looking to complain about perceived deficiencies in performance. I suspect there are even some that are now unwilling to acknowledge good work. I wanted to let you know that you should be proud of the performance of these three men. I am personally thankful to all three.



Rich Surles

Deputy Chief of Police, Urbana Police Department

217.384.2334 | [City of Urbana](#)

400 South Vine Street | Urbana, Illinois 61801



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Note of support

Heather Watson <heather.watson@champaignil.gov>

Mon 6/29/2020 10:21 AM

To: allcpd <allcpd@champaignil.gov>

From: Kristie Stasi [REDACTED]

Sent: Monday, June 29, 2020 9:53 AM

To: police <police@champaignil.gov>

Subject:

Chief Cobb,

A quick note to let you know I support you and the department. Our officers do a great job. Average citizens don't understand the ongoing situations police officers find themselves in and how fast those situations can go south. It's easy for us to stand back and criticize after the fact.

Please know that the vast majority think the CPD is doing a great job under extreme conditions. Times are tough right now but they will get better. Unfortunately, it's going to be painful during the process. Stay safe and if there is ever anything I can do in support of the department and officers please let me know.

Kristie Stasi

Sent from [Mail](#) for Windows 10

FW: thank you

Heather Watson <heather.watson@champaignil.gov>

Tue 7/7/2020 3:43 PM

To: allcpd <allcpd@champaignil.gov>

Note of appreciation from a citizen.

Heather Watson

Administrative Assistant

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Heather.Watson@champaignil.gov

From: Karin Dahmen [REDACTED]

Sent: Friday, July 3, 2020 12:47 PM

To: police <police@champaignil.gov>

Subject: thank you

Dear Champaign Police,

thank you for all you do to keep the rest of us safe and to protect our liberties, we so appreciate the work you do.

We were wondering if there are any ways we can support the police in their efforts to help the citizens in need and uphold the rule

of law and in their peacekeeping efforts in these difficult days ?

Maybe even through volunteering, or helping out in any way possible ? Is there any way we could encourage your dedicated officers ? Thank you very much for letting us know.

May God bless you all, your entire police force is in our prayers,

respectfully,

Karin.

Blessed are the peacekeepers, for they shall be called the children of God.

-Matthew 5:9

Re: Officer Petkunas

Thomas Petrilli <Thomas.Petrilli@champaignil.gov>

Wed 7/8/2020 7:12 PM

To: Carrie Siems <carrie.siems@champaignil.gov>

Cc: Anthony Cobb <anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov>; Tod Myers <tod.myers@champaignil.gov>; David Shaffer <david.shaffer@champaignil.gov>; Kevin Olmstead <Kevin.Olmstead@champaignil.gov>

Hey Carrie, I'm sorry to hear about your accident. I hope it was minimal and everything works out well in the end!

Thank you for taking the time to let us know about Officer Ashley Eisenbart's positive service, especially after being involved in an accident yourself. I will share this with Officer Eisenbart and her direct supervisor and Lt. Olmstead to file as well.

Thank you again, Tom

Thomas Petrilli

Champaign Police Department | Deputy Chief of Police

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From: Carrie Siems <carrie.siems@champaignil.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, July 8, 2020 5:13 PM

To: Tod Myers <tod.myers@champaignil.gov>; Thomas Petrilli <Thomas.Petrilli@champaignil.gov>; David Shaffer <david.shaffer@champaignil.gov>

Cc: Anthony Cobb <anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov>

Subject: Officer Petkunas

Good evening! I just wanted to share with you how much I appreciated my interactions with Officer Petkunas today. Unfortunately I was in an accident earlier this afternoon and she responded. She was so kind and thorough and did a great job getting all of us squared away so we could go on about our days. She was very concerned about my well being and asked many times if I needed assistance. I know in our current climate you all don't hear the positive things your officers do, and I just wanted to let you know that I appreciated her thoughtfulness and professionalism. You are all doing great work and it's appreciated!

Have a good evening! 😊



Carrie Siems

City Accountant/Financial Services Manager

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217-403-8942 | 217-403-8995 (fax)

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Thank you to Officer Kerr

Bruce Ramseyer <bruce.ramseyer@champaignil.gov>

Thu 7/9/2020 2:06 PM

To: Leslie Kerr <leslie.kerr@champaignil.gov>

Cc: Kevin Olmstead <Kevin.Olmstead@champaignil.gov>; Tod Myers <tod.myers@champaignil.gov>; Kurt Buckley <kurt.buckley@champaignil.gov>

Leslie,

I got a nice message from someone who was very pleased in how you helped her:

"My name is Linda Olson. Your Officer Kerr did an outstanding job helping me look for my lost purse. Took me to get needed meds at ER. This woman is a number 1 police woman. Thank you for being there. A lady called and found my purse".

Keep up the great work.

Bruce Ramseyer

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FW: Atta Boy/Atta Girl

Anthony Cobb <anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov>

Fri 7/10/2020 2:21 PM

To: John Nickell <john.nickell@champaignil.gov>; Molly McElwee <molly.mcelwee@champaignil.gov>

Cc: Tod Myers <tod.myers@champaignil.gov>; Kevin Olmstead <Kevin.Olmstead@champaignil.gov>; Bruce Ramseyer <bruce.ramseyer@champaignil.gov>

Ofc Nickel and McElwee thank you for your outstanding work in apprehending this subject to hold him accountable for the criminal actions he may have committed. Thank you for your unconditional respect and treating this arrestee as a person. These little acts of kindness and compassion is what truly makes a difference in the eyes of our public. Thank you both for representing our department in such a very positive manner under adverse conditions as you both had to chase after this subject wearing 40 pounds of gear in the same hot humid conditions. Please keep up the great work!!!

Anthony D. Cobb

Chief of Police

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From: Jaceson Yandell <jaceson.yandell@champaignil.gov>

Sent: Friday, July 10, 2020 9:47 AM

To: allcpd <allcpd@champaignil.gov>

Subject: Atta Boy/Atta Girl

I received a phone call today from a female (Ashley), who wanted to commend Officer's Nickel and McElwee for their response to the foot pursuit/arrest that was conducted in the back yard of [REDACTED] Drive last night. Ashley stated that both officers were extremely helpful and accommodated the subject that had been arrested by providing him water to drink and to even pour it over his head as he had requested. She also stated that the subject requested they remove his clothing in order to cool down, which they did also. Ashley was extremely impressed with Officer's Nickel and McElwee's compassion for the arrested subject and how they spoke to and treated him throughout the incident.

Jaceson

Atta Boy

Jaceson Yandell <jaceson.yandell@champaignil.gov>

Fri 7/17/2020 12:33 PM

To: Matthew Henson <matthew.henson@champaignil.gov>; Tod Myers <tod.myers@champaignil.gov>; Kevin Olmstead <Kevin.Olmstead@champaignil.gov>; Anthony Cobb <anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov>

Cc: Sean Ater <sean.ater@champaignil.gov>

Today (07/17/20), I received a phone call from Mindy Haile, who wanted to commend Sgt. Ater for his actions last night on a call for service at [REDACTED]. She stated that her son (Samuel Haile) and his girlfriend were involved in a domestic argument last night and that her son was under the influence at the time. She advised that her son refused to come out of the residence to talk with police, however they were eventually allowed entry by the girlfriend. Once inside, they found her son hiding inside a bedroom and intoxicated. She praised Sgt. Ater for his ability to De-escalate the situation and talk her son down in a manner which allowed them to get the facts from the incident and to resolve it without further issue. Mindy was very impressed with the actions and demeanor of Sgt. Ater and wanted his command staff to be made aware.

Mindy Haile

[REDACTED] e

Champaign, IL

2 [REDACTED]

Jaceson

Fwd: Great Job Ofc Eisenbart!

Heather Watson <heather.watson@champaignil.gov>

on behalf of

Anthony Cobb <anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov>

Fri 8/7/2020 9:12 AM

To: allcpd <allcpd@champaignil.gov>

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From: Hoff, David (USAILC) <David.Hoff@usdoj.gov>

Sent: Thursday, August 6, 2020 2:58 PM

To: Anthony Cobb <anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov>

Cc: Emery, Mike (USAILC) <Mike.Emery@usdoj.gov>; Ashley Eisenbart <ashley.eisenbart@champaignil.gov>; Addyson Neice <addy0699@gmail.com>; USAILC-Urbana Employees <USAILC-UrbanaEmployees@usa.doj.gov>; Becky Hoff [REDACTED] Richmond, Tami (USAILC) <Tami.Richmond@usdoj.gov>; Quivey, Douglas (USAILC) <Douglas.Quivey@usdoj.gov>; Milhiser, John (USAILC) <John.Milhiser@usdoj.gov>; Knauss, Darilynn (USAILC) <Darilynn.Knauss@usdoj.gov>; Allegro, Donald (USAILC) <Don.Allegro@usdoj.gov>; Hedrick, Meg <mjhedric@illinois.edu>

Subject: Chief: I am Asst. U.S. Atty Dave Hoff, in Urbana. Today's interaction between CPD Officer Ashley Eisenbart and the newest CSI in our family - my 2 yr old great granddaughter Arabella

This is Champaign Community Policing At Its Best. Please use/share with the public, however you best determine.

This morning Officer Eisenbart investigated last night's attempted burglary of my granddaughter Addyson Neice's car at her Champaign Apartment Complex that has a high rate of auto burglaries. Addyson is copied on this e-mail.

This is Addyson's explanation of the chain of events beginning with the attempted burglary in her Champaign apartment complex and ending with Officer Eisenbart today allowing 2 yr. old Arabella to process her own fingerprints on the car.

Addyson:

At 2:04 AM this morning on August 6, 2020, my home security camera recorded a male attempting to break into my vehicle. I did not see this security footage until 5:00 AM today. Around 8:00 AM I had called the non-emergency police department number to have a police officer sent to my residence to gather the fingerprints and video surveillance of the attempted vehicle break-in. Officer Ashley Eisenbart, showed up at my home to dust my car for fingerprints and also had me email her a video of the footage. My two-year-old daughter, Arabella, was amazed watching Officer Eisenbart dust for prints, so Officer Eisenbart asked Officer Arabella to press her hand on the lower part of the passenger door of my car to make a handprint. After the handprint was on the car Officer Eisenbart allowed Arabella to dust her own handprint! Arabella loved Officer Eisenbart and it made our day.

Addyson is more than happy to provide any additional information or assistance regarding this.

**THANK YOU CHIEF COBB AND
THANK YOU OFFICER EISENBART
FROM THE NEICE/HOFF FAMILY**

Dave Hoff
Office 328-3758



From: Finesha Jones <finesha.jones@champaignil.gov>
Date: August 27, 2020 at 10:44:59 AM CDT
To: Aaron Lack <aaron.lack@champaignil.gov>, Timothy Rivest
<timothy.rivest@champaignil.gov>
Subject: Officer Compliment

A Sylvie Capell would like to give a compliment to Rivest about helping her out about 3 weeks ago. She wanted me to pass along a great job he did to his commanding officer.

GREAT JOB 797 😊

Finesha P. Jones
Police Service Representative
Finesha.Jones@champaignil.gov
Telephone: 217- 351-4545
Fax: 217-403-6904



Jeff Stineman ▸ **Champaign Police Department** ✓



July 6 at 1:52 PM · 🌐

To the officers who worked the Todd Ledbetter vigil. Thank you for your professionalism. When one of Todd's friends became agitated and started yelling at the police the officers moved further away but still maintained a presence. Very good job of not making a bad situation worse. Most in the public know how difficult your job is. Thanks again



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FW: Thank you

Heather Watson <heather.watson@champaignil.gov>

Mon 8/31/2020 10:34 AM

To: allcpd <allcpd@champaignil.gov>

-----Original Message-----

From: Juan Loredo [REDACTED]

Sent: Saturday, August 29, 2020 9:14 PM

To: police <police@champaignil.gov>

Subject: Thank you

Thank you for your unselfish service to our community. I am truly sorry and heartbroken that your profession is being dishonored and trampled on in the manner in which it is.

My husband and I honor you, we respect you, we appreciate you and most importantly, we are praying for you.

We support you,

Pastor Juan and Kelly Loredo

Kelly Loredo

Fwd: Great Job

Anthony Cobb <anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov>

Thu 8/20/2020 11:02 PM

To: Kevin Olmstead <Kevin.Olmstead@champaignil.gov>

FYI

Anthony D. Cobb
Chief of Police
City of Champaign
Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Joan Walls <joan.walls@champaignil.gov>
Date: August 20, 2020 at 20:27:32 CDT
To: Sean Ater <sean.ater@champaignil.gov>
Cc: Tod Myers <tod.myers@champaignil.gov>, Matthew Henson <matthew.henson@champaignil.gov>, Anthony Cobb <anthony.cobb@champaignil.gov>
Subject: Great Job

Sgt Ater,

I wanted to send you a quick note to let you know that you did an outstanding job at the Turnberry Ridge HOA meeting this evening. I joined on as a member of the HOA and not the DCM for the City. Keep up the great work!

Joan Walls
Deputy City Manager
City of Champaign
102 North Neil Street
Champaign, IL 61820
phone: (217) 403-8710
fax: (217) 403-8725

Fw: Ice House

Tod Myers <tod.myers@champaignil.gov>

Wed 9/16/2020 1:19 PM

To: Kevin Olmstead <Kevin.Olmstead@champaignil.gov>

FYI

From: Matthew Crane <matthew.crane@champaignil.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, September 16, 2020 1:14 PM

To: Daniel Ward <Daniel.Ward@champaignil.gov>

Cc: Bruce Ramseyer <bruce.ramseyer@champaignil.gov>; Tod Myers <tod.myers@champaignil.gov>

Subject: Ice House

Dan

Diane Bennett from the Ice House called to tell me how great you were dealing with the woman that had been sleeping behind their shed. She stated that you were patient, respectful, kind, and professional with the woman, and you stayed until she could get a ride. Diane could not say enough good things about you. Thanks for your excellent service on this call!

Matt

Fwd: Drury Inn

Bruce Ramseyer <bruce.ramseyer@champaignil.gov>

Wed 9/16/2020 1:33 PM

To: Kevin Olmstead <Kevin.Olmstead@champaignil.gov>

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From: Matthew Crane <matthew.crane@champaignil.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, September 16, 2020 1:21:43 PM

To: Daniel Ward <Daniel.Ward@champaignil.gov>

Cc: Bruce Ramseyer <bruce.ramseyer@champaignil.gov>; Tod Myers <tod.myers@champaignil.gov>

Subject: Drury Inn

Dan

Adam Crotts from the Drury Inn called to tell me how great you are. He stated that he called for you to remove some people, and you did it in a friendly and calm way. He then went on to say that he lost some special pliers when he worked at the Baymont, and you replaced those pliers for him. He was impressed what a good listener you are, and he was humbled by your kindness. Nice work!

Matt