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Sheriff Chapman,

I wanted to take a moment to commend one of the officers under your command--
Officer Leydig

This may seem a bit odd, because Officer Leydig actually pulled me over and cited me for Texting While Driving in July. A citation I pled guilty to today in Court and paid my fine.

During both of my interactions with Officer Leydig, at the time I was cited and today in court, he acted with the utmost professionalism and his demeanor was one that struck what I felt was a great balance between conveying to me his seriousness of purpose to upholding the law while still coming across as civil, humane and respectful.

There are many stories in the national news recently about interactions between the police and public that attempt to reflect negatively on law enforcement. So I felt compelled to let someone in Officer Leydig's command know when I experienced firsthand a law enforcement officer conducting himself in an exemplary manner, even if it was an ultimately negative outcome for me.

I hope to steer (literally!) clear of these types of situations with your officers in the future, but please laud Officer Leydig for me and let his immediate supervisor know as well. More officers like him on the street would be welcome!

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Sheriff Chapman,

Congratulations. I recall in depth conversations in which you described your desire to become Sheriff of Loudoun so you could put in place programs you felt were being either overlooked or not supported at sufficient levels. Cybercrime and the victimization of our children and elders was one that stuck in my mind. You were right and you are more right every day. Crime is not for sunlit days. It flourishes best in the dark of night and behind the keystrokes of those with criminal intent.

Thanks for being there when we really needed you. My thoughts and unending compliments to Deputy Spurlock and his excellent work. We are all fortunate to have both of you protecting us.

My very best personal regards,

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Compliment Form

This form is used to file a compliment regarding a deputy's or other employee's conduct or the level of service provided by the Sheriff's Office.

Your Information

First Name:

Middle Initial:

Last Name:

City:

State:

Zip:

Home Phone:

Work Phone:

Email:

Incident Information

Please enter the deputy(s) / employee(s) names:

Deputy Jesus Diaz (#2649), M.L. Franks (#2555), two other officers whose names I didn't catch, but who's help is still greatly appreciated.

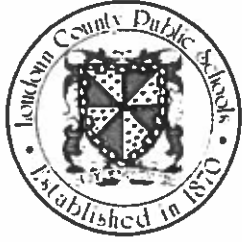
Incident Location:*

Date of Incident:

Time of Incident:

Explain the circumstances on why you are paying this compliment:*

Was woken up this morning by a heavy pounding on my door. I look through the peephole to see Officer Diaz. Upon opening the door, he immediately explained that he and his fellow officers had detained a man, my neighbor, who they had witnessed rummaging through and stealing from, my car. Pretty straightforward, right? Not exactly. First and foremost, had these gentleman not been on patrol, this crime easily goes unpunished. Secondly, the officers being familiar with the area and the trends of it led to them being here when they were in order to witness what they did. To me, that says these officers are not only good at what they do, but are good because they care to be. Loudoun county, every county for that matter, needs more officers like that. Finally, it should be known that my car was registered to my old address. In order to find me (within minutes) (and return the ipod that the dirtbag stole from my car), the officers had to piece some things together. They found my business cards in the car, which gave them my cell number...Next thing you know, "we found a guy breaking into your car, and here's your ipod Mr. Xxxxx". For years I've considered switching careers and becoming a police officer. I'm impressed with these officers' professionalism, courtesy, and technique; so much that after having this interaction with these gentleman, I've been motivated to take the first step. These guys are solid and I'd be happy to join them.



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Dear Sheriff Chapman,

On behalf of Stone Hill Middle School, we would like to thank Michael Hansen, Robert Franz, and Matt Thomas for all of their hard work and dedication to making our courtyard at Stone Hill something for all of our students and staff to enjoy. Please see the enclosed pictures of the new and improved courtyard at Stone Hill Middle School. These three deputies went above and beyond for our community and it is very much appreciated.

Sincerely,

Jodi Day
Principal
Stone Hill Middle School

