

We had an experience with Officer Broadduf that couldn't have been more positive. Officer Broadduf was incredibly respectful, helpful, and willing to go above and beyond to assist me and my family. If every interaction with law enforcement was as positive as ours was with Officer Broadduf the national narrative would be a lot different. Officer Broadduf's approach and demeanor helped portray LCSO in a positive and productive light. His community first approach was incredibly welcomed and appreciated.

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Re: Well Done and Thanks

Dear Sheriff Chapman,

I recently presided as a Commissioner in Chancery in an eighteen-day hearing held in the Old Courthouse. This construction case involved more than ten parties and their attorneys, together with at least 2,000 exhibits.

Court security assigned the following personnel to my courtroom during those eighteen days:

Sergeant Rodney Ridgley
Deputy Shekora Vaughn
Deputy Robert (Bobby) Isleib
Deputy Jonathan Myatt
Deputy Leon Martin
Deputy Rockie Akhavan
Deputy David Weeks

This team did a superb job of maintaining an orderly, respectful environment. They ensured that seating for the twenty-five people in the courtroom was appropriately distanced. They assisted witnesses in retrieving exhibits from one of a couple dozen exhibit binders, thus making the presentation of evidence more efficient and less time-consuming. They facilitated parties' and witnesses' quiet movement past the jury box to use the upstairs restrooms without interfering with court proceedings. They assisted with the "technology" for a witness unable to appear in person. They stayed with me after 5:00 p.m. on several days as I reviewed my notes in

chambers. They were unfailingly courteous to me and made many efforts to anticipate my requests. In short, the team deserves a Bravo Zulu from the commanding officer.

I commend particularly Sgt. Rod Ridgley. He was largely responsible for putting the team infrastructure and courtroom set-up in place before the hearing began. There is no doubt the hearing would have run far less smoothly had he not been an early boots-on-the-ground for me.

A finer team I could not have asked for. I deeply appreciate the opportunity to have worked with them in this matter.

November 11, 2020....our family had an incident at our home with a loved one who was staying with us. He was living at the home but was not living up to the standards of the family and being responsible. After many attempts to get the family member to get himself together, it was determined that his time at the home was done. But his refusal to leave the residents upon request was ignored. That's when Loudoun County Law Enforcement was brought into the picture. Police were called and an eviction was put in process.

Deputy Blackmon #3353 was sent to the residence and was very supportive to the us in making this happen without incident. He literally stood in the home for an hour and a half while the family member packed and left the residence. Also.....a restraining order was arranged by Deputy Blackmon. After we tried to print out the form, we didn't have enough ink. He then called a fellow officer to bring paperwork to the home for us. Soon after a young lady officer came to the home and hand delivered the restraining order paperwork. I didn't get her name.

The total time needed to resolve the situation was just under two hours, yet Deputy Blackmon showed patience and understanding to all parties involved and made a sad situation, much easier to accomplish.

In this Country's environment, where Bad Law Enforcement gets all the headlines...We felt the need to show the Community how Great Law Enforcement works for the Citizens of Loudoun County. I am sure Deputy Blackmon has many fellow officers that exhibit the same behavior. We just wanted you to hear it first hand from someone that lives in Community. Keep up the Good work and stay safe.

Thank you Sheriff Chapman for all of your leading edge efforts for opioids, round table meeting, opioid take backs, task force, and more. Please keep doing everything that you are doing.

I would like to make you aware of two exceptional employees I had the pleasure of dealing with.

J. Garone #3140

D. Void #3002

I had the occasion to need fingerprints done for myself so I could apply for license to teach woman's self defense in Virginia. Due to the current pandemic, not a lot of places were offering this service.

I stopped by your office in Chantilly, met with the above Deputies and was greeted very polite and professional. After some administrative things, I got fingerprints done and was out the door.

A week later, I returned with a friend of mine who was getting a CCW in Virginia, needed her prints taken. Again, same two deputies were awesome to deal with.

As we left, we talked about how nice it was to be treated polite and professionally. I let her know, I had received their names so I could write a thank you.

I'm sure these two gentlemen are a great example of the full department and I commend you and your staff for doing what you all do in these current times.

Thanks Again, Stay Safe

After attending (virtually) the Ashburn Village Quarterly Meeting and discovering that is was DFC. Timothy Kjellman who painstaking cataloged every report of graffiti into a database, I knew I needed to say a proper thank you. Ashburn Village has seen an increase in the numbers of graffiti / tagging that has been reported to the HOA. This is a disturbing trend of our community and one that we certain want to stop as soon as possible. I am sure that DFC. Timothy Kjellman's efforts to identify the individuals responsible will not go un-noticed by our residents. It is a pleasure to partner with LCSO officers in keeping our community safe.

I have had to visit the Dulles South Station on at least a few occasions for finger prints. Each time, I have been fortunate to work with DFC Donnell Void. Mr Void could not be more professional, knowledgeable, responsive, courteous. I'd like to buy that dude a beer (off hours of course). Truly, what an asset to the Loudoun co sheriff's department, and an asset to the Loudoun county community. Whatever you are doing to attract and retain talent like Mr Void, please keep doing it. We need more like him. God bless and thank you all for the work you do.

Was having trouble with a disgruntled tenant vacating my personal home. Officers stayed well past when they were required to ensure myself and my home were safe. It made a very nerve wracking experience much more bearable. Thank you!

Officer Ortutay pulled our vehicle over because we neglected to update the registration. This was an oversight by my wife and I, that has since been resolved. Upon pulling our vehicle over, Officer Ortutay proceeded to engage in a friendly and humorous discussion with our two children. While my wife and I made the mistake, neglecting to update our registration, Officer Ortutay took the time to engage with our children, to help calm their nerves a bit. We are so proud to have officers in Loudoun County like officer Ortutay. Thank you so much for your service!

I'd like to publicly thank Jason Leydig for his actions during the past two years. During this period, he has not only helped me and my family, but also the community of Moorefield Green. On numerous occasions, he has responded to requests with many issues, including traffic safety as well as the general safety of our neighborhood. Additionally, he provides assistance and information both on and off duty, which I believe goes above and beyond what is expected of a law enforcement officer.

So in this holiday season, please pass my thanks to officer Leydig, who represents LCSO extremely well!

Best Regards.
