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Dear Friends:

It is my honor and pleasure to once again serve as Chair of this year's Montgomery County Chamber of Commerce Annual Public Safety Awards luncheon. This is our 43rd Anniversary of this event and it truly is a special year for public safety. We are here to honor the Montgomery County Departments of Police, Fire & Rescue Service, Maryland-National Capital Park Police – Montgomery County Division, Sheriff's Office and Correction and Rehabilitation. On behalf of the Montgomery County Chamber of Commerce, we are pleased to participate with the Community in honoring all of the brave men and women in public safety, all of whom dedicate themselves to make Montgomery County a better place to live and work.

"Beyond the call of duty" is a term generally reserved for an elite group of individuals. Over the year, we all have witnessed incredible accomplishments of each public safety division. This year, we have a select group of individuals to recognize for their acts of bravery, valor, zeal, judgment and community service. Awards winners have gone beyond the call of duty and deserve much credit for their acts and accomplishments over the year. I also would like to offer a heart felt "thank you" to everyone in public safety for all you do each and every day.

It truly is an honor to be able to serve as Chair of this very special event. I thank the entire Community for your support and hope that all of you enjoy the awards program. To all members of public safety – this is your day and we hope that you and your families take pride in your accomplishments and treasure the moment.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "S.A. Robins".

Steven A. Robins

Chair, 28th – 43rd Montgomery County Chamber of Commerce Annual Public Safety Awards

Past Chair of the Board, Montgomery County Chamber of Commerce 2003-2004

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