



Police Department

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SDCLEF

Attn: Board of Directors/Scholarship Committee

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Dear SDCLEF Board of Directors,

I would like to take this opportunity to thank SDCLEF and the scholarship committee for your support of my continuing education. Two years ago SDCLEF supported me by awarding a scholarship to supplement costs related to pursuing a Master's degree through Missouri State University (online). Today, I am pleased to report back to the Board of Directors and the scholarship committee that on May 13, 2016, I was awarded a Master of Science in Administrative Studies with a Criminal Justice emphasis (see enclosed copy of final transcript).

I am a twenty year veteran of the Chula Vista Police Department and was promoted to Captain about eighteen months ago. I have at least another five to seven years left in my career and view this achievement as one of the most significant events in my personal and professional life. I would like to sincerely thank you for your support in furthering the advanced education of law enforcement leaders like me in San Diego County. Please know that your work continues to be important and positively impacts and betters the law enforcement community of San Diego.

With gratitude,

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