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United States Deputy Sheriff's Association  
2233 S. West St. Ct.  
Wichita, Kansas 67213  
ATTN; Mr. Mike Willis

Dear Mr. Willis,

We would like to inform you that the Apache Police Department, located in Apache, Oklahoma, is in receipt of your recent donation to our Department. We have received the 3 new, custom fitted, Point Blank Body Armor Vests that you're organization have provided to our Officers. We want to express our deepest gratitude to you and the United States Deputy Sheriff's Association for making it possible for our Apache Police Officers to be equipped with new, custom fitted body armor.

As you are aware, body armor is an item that is normally a cost prohibitive item for small Police Departments to purchase, for the Officers, due to the cost of such items. This is an item that should be available to all active duty Police Officers but unfortunately it is not.

When we requested assistance from your organization, you were very quick to respond to our request for body armor. Our Agency was literally approved for the body armor donation one day after we had made the request. The fact that you put such a high priority on our request, speaks volumes about how dedicated and committed that your organization is in making sure that all Officers are safe and have the most vital equipment available to them that helps ensure that each Officer is protected and able to rejoin their families after a shift of serving our community.

Again, thank you for the donation of the Body Armor Vests. Our Officers were very please to be able to wear new, custom fitted Body Armor from Point Blank. We have enclosed a picture of the vests that we received today. Please convey our thanks to all of those who made this possible.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Brynn Barnett", written over a horizontal line.

Brynn Barnett  
Chief of Police  
Apache Police Department