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LONGTON'S FILE

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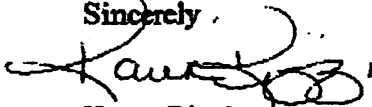
To: The Town of Corinth Police Department
And The Village Board of Corinth

I would like to thank the Corinth Police Department for responding to a call from my residence at 219 Center St the night of July 9th.

I had received a "prank" phone call at about 10:00 PM of a threatening nature. While I knew it was the voice of a child, I hesitated in calling the police. I am very glad that I did, had it been my child that made a call of this nature, as a parent I would have liked to have known about it. Thankfully in this case, since it was late in the evening, I did not answer the phone and the caller left the message on my answering machine. Officer Jason Longton responded to the call. After listening to the message, he immediately started an investigation. Officer Longton informed me that he was getting ready to go off duty, but he would start an investigation, and inform the next duty officer and get back to me the next day. But instead of doing that Officer Longton stayed with the investigation until it concluded around Midnight. I applaud Officer Longton's efforts involving this matter, and for ensuring that the issue was resolved before he went off duty for the night. I feel that Officer Longton went beyond his call of duty to ensure that myself and my children were safe for the night.

I have lived in this town for over 10 years and this is the first time I have ever needed to call the police. Should another situation arise, I would not hesitate in calling. Again I would like to personally thank Officer Longton for his efforts and that of the whole Police Department for ensuring a safe community for it's residents.

Sincerely,



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