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Mr. George R Bamberger, Jr.
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Dear George:

Once again, I would like to thank you for your generous support of our Sheriffs' Leadership Academy which took place at Camp Virgil Tate in Sissonville West Virginia last week. As you know, this weeklong camp offers Ohio County 8th grade graduates an opportunity to be exposed to classes and programs which will shape their high school careers and help to bring out those leadership capabilities.

This has been a banner year for us and because of your continued generosity, we have raised more money than was actually required as the Ohio County Sheriff's portion of the academy expenses. I wanted you to know that the overage from the contributions received have been used for the College Scholarship Fund established last summer in the name of Ohio County Deputy Ronald Meyer who was tragically killed in a farm accident in May, 2007. Deputy Meyer's widow, Kathy, presented the scholarship award at this year's graduation, noting that the staff of the Sheriffs' Leadership Academy selects the recipient of this award.

As you know, this was my last year with the Academy as Sheriff of Ohio County and I have certainly have treasured your support in this great opportunity for the youth of our county.

Sincerely,

Thomas F. Burgoyne
Sheriff of Ohio County

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