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Officer Justin Smith
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Dear Officer Smith:

I am happy to inform you of your selection for the Dalton Police Department Life Saving Award. Your selection was based on your actions when responding to a structure fire at an apartment building on January 20, 2019. You and Officer Andrew Sell responded to the apartment fire on Avenue F. Upon arriving on the scene you began the process of making sure the apartments were evacuated. You were made aware that an elderly female was still in one of the upstairs apartments. You quickly made entry into the apartment and helped evacuate the female. Your actions at the scene prevented this female from being injured by the fire.

Your actions and performance reflect positively on you and the entire department. I am proud of your highly professional actions, and the high quality of your work on a daily basis. Congratulations on this well-deserved award.

Best Regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "William C. Cason III", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Cliff Cason
Chief of Police