Recommendation for Mayor's Choice Award – Detective Mansell

It is my honor as Chief of the Joshua Police Department to recommend Detective Mansell for the Mayor's Choice Award. This award recognizes dedicated law enforcement officers, and I believe Detective Mansell exemplifies the dedication, professionalism, and commitment to service that this recognition represents.

Having had the opportunity to work with and supervise Detective Mansell, I have seen firsthand the level of commitment he brings to this department. He is someone I know I can rely on when something needs to be done. He takes ownership of his responsibilities, willingly accepts additional challenges, and consistently demonstrates a willingness to step up when the department needs him.

Detective Mansell has been involved in several projects and special assignments outside of his normal responsibilities as a detective. In each of these instances, he has taken the tasks assigned to him seriously and has consistently done a good job completing them. What is particularly commendable is that he has taken on these additional responsibilities while continuing to manage his normal investigative workload. He does not use his additional responsibilities as an excuse for his regular duties; instead, he finds a way to contribute wherever he is needed.

What stands out most about Detective Mansell is that his dedication extends beyond simply doing his assigned job. He cares about the success of the Joshua Police Department and the people we serve. He looks for ways to help his fellow officers, improve our operations, and contribute wherever he is needed. He does this without seeking recognition or expecting anything in return.

As a police leader, I place tremendous value on employees who make the department better simply by being a part of it. Detective Mansell is one of those officers. His professionalism, dependability, work ethic, and willingness to accept responsibility make him someone his supervisors and fellow officers can count on.

For these reasons, I strongly and personally recommend Detective Mansell for the Mayor's Choice Award. I believe he is highly deserving of this recognition and that his continued dedication to law enforcement, the Joshua Police Department, and the community we are sworn to serve should be recognized.