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2nd Annual “To Protect and Serve” Service Award

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Winston Churchill once said that we make a living by what we get, but we make *a life* by what we give. Officer McLachlan, you make your living as a street cop, and as a result, you get paid an amount attached to the number of years you’ve been on those streets.

But *you’ve made your life* about protecting and serving each and every one of the people who live, and work, and play on those streets so that they could do these very things in peace..... more often than not..... without ever knowing you were there.

Today we want you to know that we did notice.

In fact it was impossible not to notice your kindness, humility, good humor, dedication and concern for our neighborhoods, and our families – just as it was impossible not to notice the badge on your chest, the gun at your side, and your quiet willingness to risk your life to protect ours if you had to.

Today we want to honor the life of service that you have made and say thank you for your dedication to protect and serve our community.