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National Sheriffs' Association
Attn: J. Stannard Baker Award
c/o Traffic Safety Committee
1450 Duke Street, Suite 104
Alexandria, VA 22314-3490

Dear Sirs:

It has come to my attention that the National Sheriffs' Association sponsors annually the J. Stannard Baker Award for Traffic Safety. I have had the opportunity over the last several years to work with an individual whom I feel is worthy of consideration for this award. You will find attached a brief description of the efforts that Ron Melancon from Richmond, Virginia has performed. He is truly a unique individual that has given a tremendous amount of his effort on highway safety in the last several years.

I have had the opportunity to work with Mr. Melancon on specific legislation that I feel will greatly improve the safety of the highways of Virginia. Mr. Melancon worked with me to develop the legislation and insure that other members of the Virginia legislature were well acquainted with the many aspects of the bill. I can say to you that the legislation would not have been nearly as successful were it not for Mr. Melancon.

Ron Melancon is a resident of Henrico County, right outside of Richmond, Virginia and his home address is:

8898 Castle Point Drive, Glen Allen, VA 23060.

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