

## EL DORADO COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

John Litwinovich Director

June 12, 2007

Matthew Monterosso, Welfare Investigator II El Dorado County Department of Human Services Special Investigations Unit

## Dear Matt:

On June 5, 2007, you responded to a call regarding an officer involved shooting incident in Shingle Springs. As an early responder, you helped move a wounded officer to safety, administered first aid and assisted in searching for the suspected assailant.

Your actions that day reflected courage, good judgment and a commitment to your fellow officers and the public that required putting your own life at risk. No words can adequately describe the importance of your efforts, which certainly reflected well on our Special Investigations Unit, our Department and our County.

You are a fine and dedicated employee who responded to a crisis in a meritorious manner. This letter, to be added to your personnel file, is to express appreciation on behalf of the Human Services Department for your heroic efforts. Thank you.

Sincerely,

John Litwinovich

Director

cc: Laura Gill, Chief Administrative Officer

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