



DEPARTMENT COMMENDATION

April 11, 2019

Captain Ryan Ryan Nemesek
Margate/Coconut Creek Fire Rescue
4555 Sol Pres Boulevard
Coconut Creek, FL 33073

Dear Captain Nemesek:

It is a great pleasure to present you with our **Department Commendation** for the actions you took on January 22, 2019.

At approximately 2:14 p.m., an occupied vehicle veered off the road and into the lake in Wynmoor Village. A witness jumped in to assist the elderly female driver. The witness was able to get her out of the vehicle. He positioned himself around the female so she would not go under water and waited for help to arrive.

Upon your arrival, you immediately dove into the cold and murky water to render aid. After swimming approximately 20 feet, you were able to reach the elderly female driver and bring her safely to shore where she received treatment by awaiting rescue personnel.

If not for your swift, courageous actions, this victim may not have survived this incident.

For this, it is with great pride that I present you with our **Department Commendation** for your life-saving actions that day. On behalf of the Coconut Creek Police Department, I would like to extend to you our thanks for an outstanding job.

Sincerely,



ALBERT A. ARENAL
Chief of Police

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