

DEPARTMENT COMMENDATION

February 13, 2025

Detective Clint E. Corey Coconut Creek Police Department 4800 West Copans Road Coconut Creek, FL 33063

Dear Detective Corey:

It is a great pleasure to present you with the Coconut Creek Police Department's *Officer of the Year Award* for 2024.

As a longtime volunteer and current board member of the Foundation for Independent Living (FIL), you met Molly the day she started in 2014. After she passed unexpectedly last year, you had to notify her parents who were out of the country. Not only did you make necessary notifications, you also helped console dozens of FIL residents and staff during this difficult time and helped plan a memorial service for Molly.

Also concerning FIL, you created a crime and scam prevention roundtable for them in 2010 that is still held every month; you participated in job skills events with members, holiday parties, and friendly get-togethers like birthday parties; you organized an annual basketball game between FIL and our Police Department to raise money for their non-profit organization; and you made two residents "honorary police officers" to full their lifelong dreams.

As our trusted fraud investigator, you speak to many homeowners associations, community groups, and Wynmoor Village to spread scam awareness

For all of this, it is with great pride that I present you with the department's *Officer of the Year*. On behalf of the Coconut Creek Police Department, I would like to extend to you our thanks for an outstanding year!

Sincerely,

FREDERICK C. HOFER, II

Chief of Police

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