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CAMP EGGERS
KABUL, AFGHANISTAN

February 11, 2010

Honorable Mayor Ray Jenkins
City of Doraville

Dear Sir,

I want to thank you and the members of the City Council of Doraville for allowing Colonel John F. King to serve our country in order to create enduring institutions which will lead to the peace and security of Afghanistan. Guardsmen such as John bring a wealth of civilian experience and are vital to our efforts. I am personally grateful for not only his service but also your support as his employer.

During his assignment, John represented the City of Doraville and the State of Georgia with honor and distinction. For the past year, he served admirably as the Senior Advisor to the Afghan Deputy Minister of the Interior for Security. John's close trusting relationship with Lieutenant General Munir Mangal was critical to the progress we made in developing the Afghan National Police. John traveled to many remote locations in Afghanistan with Deputy Minister Mangal and became the "face of America" to many Afghans.

As John prepares to return to his duties as Chief of Police of the Doraville Police Department, please know that John represented your city and the State of Georgia extremely well. Again, thank you for allowing this citizen-soldier to serve with the NATO Training Mission – Afghanistan!

Sincerely,

William B. Caldwell, IV
Lieutenant General, US Army
Commanding

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