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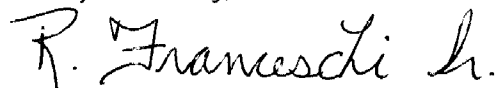
Sheriff Richard Devlin, Jr.
172 County Highway 33W
Cooperstown, NY 13326

Sheriff Devlin:

On 29 July, I had the pleasure of attending the Baseball Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony in Cooperstown. I would like to commend you, your department, and all the deputies who were on duty that day for the outstanding job they did, especially in traffic control. A record crowd was in attendance that day and the amount of spectators were overwhelming, at the Clark Sports Complex area. I am confident that if your deputies had been in charge there, they would have done a professional job there too.

Thank you and your deputies again for an outstanding professional job.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "R. Franceschi Sr.".

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