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OFFICE OF THE VILLAGE MANAGER

LETTER TO COUNCIL

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To: Mayor Gabriel Groisman and Members of the Village Council  
From: Jorge M. Gonzalez, Village Manager   
Date: February 3, 2017  
Subject: **Bal Harbour Police Department - Law Enforcement Officers (L.E.O.)  
Awards Finalist - Pamela Flanders**

The purpose of this Letter to Council (LTC) is to inform you that Pamela Flanders, a member of the Bal Harbour Police Department, has been selected as finalist for the Law Enforcement Officers (L.E.O.) Awards.

Since March 2001, Pamela Flanders has been instrumental to the support services operations of the Bal Harbour Police Department. Ms. Flanders has served as an administrative dynamo by performing a multitude of critical and essential functions that directly and indirectly enhance the levels of service to the Bal Harbour Police Department's Patrol Division, Investigations Section, Communications Section, and Records Section.

In this effort, Ms. Flanders has distinguished herself through her strong work ethic, mentoring and training of new employees, embracing and implementing new technologies, and volunteering her time as the coordinator for the Bal Harbour Police Department's partnership with the American Cancer Society's Relay for Life fund raiser event and assisting with the Miami Dade County Association of Chiefs of Police. Most successful organizations have one dedicated employee who seem to use their leadership, passion, resourcefulness, and humility to go above and beyond and do the things behind the scenes that make the organization function with more efficiency. For the Bal Harbour Police Department, that person is Pamela Flanders. The manner in which Ms. Flanders has performed her duties and responsibilities on an unwavering basis is truly consistent with the highest standards and traditions of professional law enforcement.

Please join me in congratulating Pamela Flanders on her nomination for this prestigious award. Contact the Manager's Office if you are interested in attending the awards Gala being held at 5:30 pm on Saturday, March 18, 2017 at Jungle Island in Miami.

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