

Dear Chamber of Commerce,

Please accept this letter as a nomination for Detective Derek Cruff for "Employee of the Year".

Detective Cruff has been with the West Fargo Police Department for approximately 7 years, and has been in Investigations for 3 years. While Derek Cruff was in the patrol division, it did not take long to see his commitment and tremendous work ethic pertaining to his job duties. Derek completes his reports meticulously, covering every detail. He is precise, effective, and completes his investigations in a timely manner which is critical in this line of work. His attention to detail and follow-through on all his cases makes him a valuable asset to the Department of Investigations. His methodology of gathering information, along with his hard work, creates successful completions in his investigative cases.

It is apparent that Derek loves his work and in the past 3years has shown excellence in the field of Investigations. Detective Cruff works hard to build a solid case regardless of the level of the crime. Derek also has a great rapport with his fellow officers and other Law Enforcement agencies within our region and beyond. Detective Cruff has received several letters of appreciation for his fine work from several Law Enforcement agencies that he has worked with in numerous and lengthy investigations. Derek has also received several letters of appreciation for his fine work from attorneys at the Cass County State's Attorney's office. He is a great employee who demonstrates a high degree of dedication and professionalism. I greatly appreciate his work ethic, knowledge, and his desire to learn. Detective Cruff would be a great choice for the Chambers "Employee of the Year".

Sincerely,

Detective Sergeant Greg Warren  
West Fargo Police Department