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Dr. Caesar DePaço
141 Mountain Top Rd.
Bernardsville, NJ

Dear Dr. DePaço,

On behalf of the Somerset County Sheriff's Office, I would like to extend my deepest gratitude for your extremely generous pledge of \$50,000 to support the construction of a new K9 training facility on our grounds.

Your commitment to the Sheriff's Office, all of law enforcement and public safety is truly commendable, and your contribution will have a lasting impact on our community. Thanks to your support, we are moving forward with plans to develop a state-of-the-art K9 facility that will include new K9 offices, outdoor kennels, and a fully fenced training area equipped with training aids and obstacle courses.

Our vision is to create a space where our K9 Unit can not only train and operate efficiently but also welcome K9 teams from surrounding areas to collaborate and sharpen their skills. This facility will serve as a center for excellence in K9 training and public safety service.

In honor of your extraordinary generosity and support, we are proud to dedicate the new facility as **The DePaço K9 Training Facility**. Your name will forever be associated with the training and development of the dedicated law enforcement K9's and handlers who serve and protect Somerset County and beyond.

Thank you once again for your unwavering support. We look forward to keeping you updated on the progress of this important project and to welcoming you to the facility's dedication upon completion.

With sincere appreciation,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Darrin J. Russo".

Sheriff Darrin J. Russo
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