

STATE OF OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

August 9, 2011

Dr. M.L. Jemison, Pastor St. John Missionary Baptist Church 5700 North Kelley Avenue Oklahoma City, OK 73111

Dear Pastor Jemison:

Please accept this letter as a small measure of my appreciation for the outstanding job that your church is doing in conducting OPERATION BOOT CAMP for your young adults. I particularly appreciate Mrs. Elizabeth Adams for her role in the camp. Simply stated; what you do is far more important than what you say. What you and your church are doing is providing a safe and meaningful experience for our children to help them effectively address some of life's toughest problems.

I consider it a privilege that the Oklahoma Highway Patrol has been allowed to support this outstanding program with your church members. I was very pleased to see the inclusion of the Oklahoma City Police Department this year, and I am hopeful the program continues to grow. As you can ascertain by my enthusiasm, I am a big fan of the program and look forward to being a part of your vision to help our children.

Please let me know if you have any questions related to this issue.

Sincerely,

Michael C. Thompson