

Letter of Endorsement

July 7, 2019

Dear Jim,

I want you to allow this letter to endorse you for Sheriff of Lee County, Florida.

As you know, I served the citizens of Lee County for over twenty years, retiring from the Lee County Sheriff's Office. I retired as a Major, in charge of Internal Affairs. I believe I am in a unique position to judge you and your capabilities to be Sheriff. In my opinion, the present candidates for Sheriff of Lee County, do not have the capabilities, honesty and integrity to lead the Sheriff's Office into the future. You do.

While I was the Commander of Internal Affairs, you were one of the Lieutenants assigned to investigate complaints against the Lee County Sheriff's Office. During this time period, approximately five years, I was able to observe your work ethics, your judgement, your integrity, your honesty, your work habits and your leadership abilities. I have to say I was totally impressed. I have always wanted the best for Lee County and it's citizens, I still have the desire to protect Lee County and it's citizens. I spent thirty-seven years in law enforcement, prior to that I served in the U. S. Navy's Submarine Service. I feel like my whole life I have been in service to my country or to my County and State.

I want only the best for Lee County and the Lee County Sheriff's Office. Presently, the citizens of Lee County do not have the best. I hope and pray that you are successful in your run to be Sheriff of Lee County. You deserve to be Sheriff and, Lee County definitely needs your honesty and integrity!

Sincerely yours,

Billy L Case, Major (retired)
Lee County Sheriff's Office