



# MONTCALM COUNTY

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April 17, 2012

Mr. James Warfield  
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1215 Fulton Street, East  
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The Salvation Army  
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Division Headquarters  
Grand Rapids, Michigan

Dear Mr. Warfield:

On behalf of this office and the family of Dalton Gustinis, please accept this letter as a sincere thank you for the assistance your department provided at Little Whitefish Lake in Pierson Township, regarding the boating accident that occurred on March 30, 2012.

The Montcalm County Sheriff's Dive Team, along with divers from Kent and Ottawa County were diving in weather that included rain, sleet and snow. When your agency was called upon, they responded without hesitation and their assistance was invaluable in the recovery operations.

Once again thank you for your service during this most difficult of circumstances. It was truly greatly appreciated!

Sincerely,

William J. Barnwell  
Sheriff