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To: Mayor
Subject: Fire Station #5

Dear Mayor Beutler -

On Saturday, August 7, 2010, my family and I were driving past Fire Station #5 in the Havelock district. My mother thought my five year old son would enjoy looking at fire trucks. While we were sitting outside in our car, a fireman walked out and asked if he could help us. My mother explained that her grandson loves fire trucks, and we were just looking. The fireman invited us all in, and offered to show my son, Joshua, around. The fireman, whose name is Neal Bell, pulled a truck out of the garage for Joshua to see. With the help of Roxann Buchholz, Joshua was able to hold a fire hose and spray water. They also allowed Joshua to sit in the fire truck, and Neal took photos of our family in front of the truck.

Since Saturday Joshua has not stopped smiling. He tells everyone he sees about his experience. My family and I cannot thank Neal and Roxann enough for their time, and generosity towards Joshua. We will be sending them both a thank you note, but wanted to make certain you were aware of these kind, gracious people who work for the City of Lincoln. They took 30 minutes out of their day to make my a dream come true for my son. We will never be able to thank them enough.

Sincerely,

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