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To: Our First Responder Community
From: Bob Green
Re: Many thanks
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On behalf of the Ontario County Board of Supervisors, may I take a moment to recognize all of our first responders for being on the front line of now what is nothing short of an epic battle that has touched nearly 1.5 billion people. EMS personnel, fire fighters, law enforcement, corrections officers, communication officers, doctors, nurses, Public Health, technicians and so many support staff have risen to the occasion of helping their fellow man.

They have committed themselves to our communities and families in doing everything possible in fighting this unseen yet deadly enemy. An enemy that needs an electron microscope to be exposed but can devastate any member of society with vengeance and without warning. It knows no boundaries, maps, or political borders.

To all of our first responders, thank you for your service. My colleagues join me this evening in recognizing and honoring all of you for your contributions, sacrifices, and dedication to public service.

In the words of a great statesman – spoken 75 years ago and during another great conflict, said words that seem so apropos in today's environment:

“Never was so much owed by so many to so few.” – Winston Churchill