Marcus B. Guess Interim Chief of Police



Mr. Shawn McGee Sr. Vice President for Administration

## **MEMO**

Date: February 25, 2019

To: Chief Marcus B. Guess

From: Lt. Brian M. Covington

Subject: Officer of the Quarter

I would formally like to recognize Lt. Daniel Diamond as the Officer of the Quarter. Lt. Diamond has made the transition from the Administration Division as the logistics commander, to the Patrol Division as the watch commander. During this time, Lt. Diamond's schedule has been changed several times, and each time he has weathered the changes no matter the inconvenience to him or his family. When needed Lt. Diamond has proven that he will show up and be available. His expertise, guidance, and knowledge has proven to be a valuable asset to this police department and to the university. From being the watch commander, to assisting, and answering calls for service, and going back and forth to meetings whether on or off duty, Lt. Diamond has set the bar for others to reach.

Policing is about keeping the community together and keeping one another safe. It takes everyone involved to make it happen. Police officers are required to go above and beyond to deliver those services conducive to providing that safe environment and sometimes that requires wearing different hats. Lt. Diamond proudly wears any hat that's needed on any given day. I want to thank him for his selfless service to the department, and to the Albany State University community.