

LCPL Medina, Joseph A

CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE

JUN 18 2012

Dear Cerritos City Council,

My name is LCPL Medina, and I'm an Electrician for the Marine Corps. I wanted to thank you for the support you guys are giving us. It was just a heart felt gesture that is not easily forgotten in this harsh environment. The care packages were amazing by the way. Means a lot to us Marines when we see that there is support of the people back home when we need it. Makes the job that much easier when we know what and who we fight for. So again wish I had more time to show you my gratitude but that's a luxury I will get when I'm back. So I, no we are truly thankful and God bless.

Sincerely Your Marine,

LCPL Medina, Joseph A

Dear Cerritos City Council + Community,

I apologize for sending a hand written letter instead of a typed one, I am without a personal printer. My Marines, Sailors, and Air men received your gifts, and we cannot thank you enough for them. It brings us all great pride knowing that these care packages came from an entire community of people and not a single individual. You are all very blessed to come from such a strong community and we hope everyone there the best. Thank you again.

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Semper Fi,  
1<sup>ST</sup> Lt Thomas Hodge

To the City of Cerritos, CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE

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Thank you very much for the letters and the items that you guys sent. I thank you all for your support in everything that we do. So far, this deployment hasn't been too bad. I talk to my wife & kids about every night. I cannot wait to get home. It's an honor to be able to go and serve my country and help liberate other countries from tyranny & terror, & also to protect the freedoms that all have fought for in the past. I again, thank you for all the support that you guys give. Take care everyone.

Sincerely

LCpl Bales  
U.S. Marine Corps

Semper Paratus