

Strongest Link in the Chain
Nomination Form

Nominee Name_____Darrion Johnson_____ Department_____Solid Waste_____

Your Name___Phill Francis_____ Department_____Central Services_____

Date Submitted_____February 19, 2015_____

Is this monthly nomination? **Yes** No If yes, which month _____February_____

Is this an annual nomination? Yes **No** If yes, which year_____

Department Director Signature_____Phill Franics_____

Reason for the Nomination

Using the program criteria, explain in detail why the employee deserves to be recognized as the *Strongest Link in the Chain*. Use a separate sheet if necessary.

Please accept this nomination for Darrion Johnson as the “Strongest Link in the Chain” for February 2015. On Thursday Jan 22nd, while working the night shift running his route, he rendered assistance to an injured female who had apparently been abused and subsequently thrown from a moving vehicle.

While performing his duties as a Commercial Front Load Operator, Darrion had just serviced a customer on Hwy 19/41 North in the vicinity of the Birdie Road intersection. He was driving south on Hwy 19/41 when he noticed in the median, shape or form with the color red standing out. The time was approx. 2:00 AM as his route is a night collection one. Thinking that something might be wrong, he turned back North and pulled safely off the Hwy and discovered that the shape he noticed was an injured female who looked as if she had been thrown from a moving vehicle. He immediately called 911 and stayed with the victim until emergency help arrived.

These actions reflect a standard of character that we all should strive to have. Darrion went above and beyond his assigned duties and as a result, quite probably helped save the life of a complete stranger. Although Darrion has only worked for the City since October 2014, he has shown his dedication to the job and not missed a single day of work. For Darrion’s character and dedication I believe he deserves the title “Strongest Link” and it is with great pleasure and honor that he be considered.

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Previous discipline in last 12 months___None_____

Final Rank_____1_____ HR Signature_____