

TO THE BRYAN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

RICHMOND HILL, GA – May 1, 2018 – At a time when law-enforcement agencies – especially those in smaller communities – are often strapped for resources, one local business is stepping up to help ensure Bryan County residents are well-protected.

Recently, Black Creek-based arms manufacturer Daniel Defense was willing to work with the county on providing the Bryan County Sheriff's Office with some much-needed firearms and equipment. The company was founded in 2002 by Marty Daniel in Savannah, Georgia. Following substantial growth, Daniel Defense expanded in 2009 and moved into a new manufacturing facility in Black Creek, where it is now headquartered.

According to Bryan County Commission Chairman Carter Infinger, Daniel Defense President and CEO Marty Daniel and his wife, Cindy, have given back to the local community in a variety of ways and are well-known supporters of law-enforcement entities and the military. Infinger expressed gratitude for the company's generosity, especially in the wake of national tragedies that have shed a spotlight on readiness efforts at all levels.

"After the Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School shooting in Parkland, Florida, we knew it was more important than ever to make sure our deputies have the equipment they need to protect our citizens and schools," the commission chairman said. "So, we were fortunate to be able to work with Daniel Defense to get some needed equipment, and we're very thankful for Marty and Cindy's willingness to help."

The Daniels are glad they're in a position to contribute to the community where they've chosen to locate their business. Bolstering the area through job creation, philanthropic efforts and charitable initiatives is important to the family.

"The Bryan County Sheriff's Office has been a strong supporter of our company and its employees since we relocated to this location back in 2009. The agency is an integral part of ensuring the safety of our community as well as our employees and our building. When the need came for these officers to have the best equipment, Cindy and I felt it was the right thing to do," Daniel said. "We're honored to have our firearms in the hands of such an exceptional group of law enforcement professionals who always put their lives at risk for us."

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