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## **Baldwin County Commission**

Jeannie Peerson, Office Administrator by email 201 East Section Street, Foley AL 36535

## **Baldwin County Sheriff's Department**

COL Anthony Lowery 310 Hand Ave., Bay Minette, AL 36507

## **Alabama State Troopers**

Trooper, Brandon Christen 3402 Demetropolis Rd, Mobile, AL 36693

October 6, 2023

Dear Baldwin County Commissioners, Baldwin County Sheriff's Department and Alabama State Trooper:

Request the Closure of U.S. Hwy 98 from the Corner of U.S. Hwy 98 & Perdido Street to U.S. Hwy 98 & County Road 99, December 9, 2023 from 12:45 PM -2:15 PM For the Lillian Christmas Parade Sponsored by the Perdido Bay Optimist Club.

Our Perdido Bay Optimist Club will conduct our 33rd Annual Christmas Parade in Lillian on December 9, 2023 starting at 1:00 P.M. The parade is about 1 1/4 miles and takes about an hour and 15 minutes. It requires the closing of U.S. HWY 98 in Lillian and detouring traffic.

In the past the Alabama State Troopers closed U.S. HWY 98 to westbound traffic at County Road 99 and routed traffic south on County Road 99 to Rosalia, then west to Perdido Street and then north back to U.S. HWY 98 and The Sheriff's Department closed U.S. HWY 98 to eastbound traffic at Perdido Street, routing traffic south on Perdido to Rosalia, then east on Rosalia to County Road 99 and north back to U.S. HWY 98. Attached is a map of the parade route. Also enclosed is a copy of our insurance certificate.

This has worked well in the past and we hope you will be able to assist us again this year. Please let me know if there is anything more, we need to do or if you have any questions. We look forward to providing this wonderful opportunity for our community and appreciate your assistance.

Sincerely,

Robin Newell, President Elect of the Optimist Club of Perdido Bay

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CC: County Board of Commissioners, Sheriff Huey Hoss Mack, Alabama State Troopers & Dodd Bouchillon, President, Optimist Club of Perdido Bay