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Attn.: Sheriff Fischer

27<sup>th</sup> June 2024

Dear Sheriff Fischer,

I wanted to thank you and your Search and Rescue teams that came to my assistance and my loyal dog, K2 on the 23<sup>rd</sup> June, 2024. I was actually stunned at the number of people that were there for one person; including my dog of course. Then, I learned why you have so many volunteers. It was a truly learning experience for me, albeit not under the best conditions and I apologize for being lost.

No words can express my deepest gratitude for your team in helping us out of the deep forest. One wrong turn and I was lost. I have hiked Mt Rose many, many times and yet, I got lost!! All your Search and Rescue teams were phenomenal. They are all extremely caring and selfless individuals who seem to work so cohesively as a team.

K2 and I appreciate your office in having such different and terrific Search and Rescue teams. It was a pleasure to have met you and all the wonderful volunteers!!

Our family has a condo in Incline Village and hope to continue to hike as often as we have in years around Washoe County. Please accept this small token as my appreciation for your team – you can use it towards anything that is needed for your Search and Rescue team – or even a pizza party!

My only regret is that my phone died or else I would have taken a photo of your wonderful group.

(Yes, I will always carry a battery pack!)

Warm Regards,



Minnie and K2