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Dr. Robbie Friedmann  
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Robbie,

Just read your op-ed on police reform in the Atlanta paper. Well done!

I'm proud to have worked with you over the past three years. It has been a pleasure serving with you as the co-chair of the IACP Community Policing Committee. You have taught me so much over these last three years.

I hope this article is circulated with the Chief's, Sheriff's, and international organizations for all to read.

After being in law enforcement for 30 years, we finally have a comprehensive definition of Community Policing adopted by the IACP. I believe our profession needs this definition desperately to understand the concept of community policing better and your article hits the nail on the head.

Thanks for being a friend!

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Troy Rich".

Chief Troy Rich  
Thomasville PD  
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*The Power of Community.*

*The Power of Service.*