



New York State
Office of Homeland Security

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DIRECTOR

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Mr. Anthony Bergamo
Chairman, Federal Law Enforcement Foundation Inc.
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Dear Mr. Bergamo,

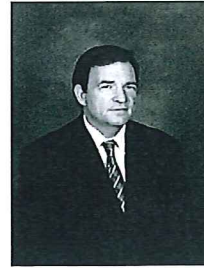
It is a tremendous honor to be selected as a recipient of the 2009 Community Service Award by the Federal Law Enforcement Foundation. I am deeply grateful and privileged to be presented this award.

The Federal Law Enforcement Foundation is an organization that has always provided strong support to its members and to our Nation's law enforcement community. With your leadership and guidance the Federal Law Enforcement Foundation continues to play a significant role in providing assistance to the federal, state, and local law enforcement community.

I thank you for presenting me with this exceptional honor and wish you and the Foundation much future success.

Sincerely,

Thomas G. Donlon
Director



Thomas G. Donlon
Director of the New York State Office of Homeland Security

Mr. Donlon currently serves as Director of the New York State Office of Homeland Security. In this position he is responsible for directing and coordinating a comprehensive counter-terrorism and "all-hazards" prevention, preparedness, and response strategy to protect the residents of New York State. As New York State's Homeland Security Advisor, Mr. Donlon is the primary contact with Department of Homeland Security New York to ensure that maximum preparedness is coordinated with cities and counties throughout New York State and the utilization and the distribution of related federal homeland security anti-terrorism and preparedness funding.

Prior to his current position, Mr. Donlon was the Global Director of Corporate Security for Credit Suisse from September 2005 to December 2008, based in New York City. Prior to joining Credit Suisse, Mr. Donlon retired from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) in September 2005.

Mr. Donlon is a veteran counter-terrorism professional having served the FBI in several terrorism assignments. From 2003 to 2005, Mr. Donlon served as the Section Chief, Senior Executive Service, National Threat Center's Section, headquartered at the National Counter Terrorism Center, Virginia. In this assignment, he supervised a staff of FBI Unit Chiefs, Supervisory Special Agents, Special Agents, Support and outside agency personnel to ensure that all terrorism threats were fully investigated by all FBI Field Offices and Legat Overseas Offices. In addition, among other duties, his section was responsible for CT Watch, the Terrorism Watch List, and for developing Guardian, the FBI's first Terrorism Threat Data Base.

From 2002 to 2003, he served as the Assistant Special Agent in Charge of the FBI's New York Counterterrorism Division. He also served as the Coordinating Supervisory Special Agent and Supervisory Special Agent at the FBI's New York City Field Office from 1997 until 2003, conducting Foreign Counter Intelligence, Domestic and International terrorism investigations.

In addition, he was assigned to FBIHQ as a Supervisory Special Agent in the Violent Crime Major Offenders Section from 1995-1997 supervising FBI Safe Street Task Forces.

He also served as a Special Agent member of the Joint Terrorism Task Force in the FBI's New York Field Office from 1987 to 1995, while serving as the case agent on the 1993 World Trade Center Investigation.

During his career with the FBI, Mr. Donlon traveled extensively overseas on the 1993 World Trade Center, 1998 East Africa U.S. Embassy bombings, U.S.S. Cole, 9/11 and other terrorism investigations.

He also served in the FBI San Antonio, Texas Field Office.

Among the honors received during his distinguished career with the FBI, Mr. Donlon was twice nominated for a U.S. Attorney General's Award for Investigative Excellence.

Mr. Donlon received his Bachelor of Arts from Iona College.