

TO: Mayor and Council

FROM: Police Chief Brian Sandell

DATE: July 18, 2024

MEETING DATE: August 5, 2024

Agenda Item: Lifesaving Award



Background: On July 13<sup>th</sup>, Paramedic Sergeant Josef Garcia and EMT Officer Kiel Rustad responded to a reported heart attack. Officers arrived on scene in one minute and began resuscitative efforts, including the use of a heart monitor delivering eight shocks. The male patient was revived and flown to the St Cloud Hospital. Excellent work Sergeant Garcia and Officer Rustad!

These lifesaving events are made possible due to our partnership with North Memorial and the paramedic and EMT programs.

Requested Action: Present Paramedic Sergeant Josef Garcia and EMT Officer Kiel Rustad with Lifesaving Awards.