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Greetings,


I am making a recommendation for the promotion of Firefighter 3 Jason Suddeth to the rank of lieutenant. This promotion will fill the vacancy left by the retirement of Lieutenant Mike Cady. Firefighter Suddeth has met the required pre-requisites set forth for the rank of lieutenant.

Firefighter Suddeth was employed with Dalton Fire Department in February 1999. During his career with the department, he has gained invaluable experience with a vast array of emergencies preparing him for the decision making required for this position. Jason has continued to prove himself an informal leader within the ranks of the department and has gained the respect of the personnel. He has the experience, leadership skills, and temperament to make him a great leader for our department. Since being promoted to the rank of Firefighter 3 in July 2017, Firefighter Suddeth has had multiple opportunities to ride up as "Officer in Charge", in which he has performed admirably, developing into a trusted and competent fire service leader.

I would appreciate your support in recognizing Firefighter 3 Jason Suddeth with a promotion to the rank of lieutenant.

Thank you all for your consideration.

Todd Pangle



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