
AGENDA ITEM

TO: Tim Vandall, City Administrator
FROM: Steve Wayman, Chief of Police
DATE: September 24, 2024
SUBJECT: Officer recognition (Life Saving Award)

Life Saving Award

On September 6th, 2024, Officer Jori Bell was dispatched to the 1000 Blk of N. 7th Street for unconscious person lying in the yard. While enroute to the area Officer Bell was advised that the subject had stopped breathing.

Upon arrival Officer Bell removed the AED in her patrol vehicle and evaluated the unconscious subject. She determined that the subject had stopped breathing and possible suffering a heart related emergency. Officer Bell began CPR on the subject. K. Bolewshi arrived on the scene and began to assist Officer Bell with CPR. Officer Bell placed the AED on the unconscious subject while Bolewshi continued CPR.

EMS and Fire District One arrived on scene and continued CPR on the subject. The subject was able to regain a pulse and was transported to a hospital for further treatment.

Though the quick actions of both Officer Bell and Kim Bolewshi during this event. The lifesaving actions that they ignited the subject was able to receive medical treatment at the hospital.

We are honoring Both Officer Bell and Kim Bolewshi for their actions that afternoon.