



CITY OF NORMAN, OK STAFF REPORT

MEETING DATE: 10/08/2024

REQUESTER: Brenda Hall, City Clerk

PRESENTER: Russ Landon, OACP 3rd Vice President and The Village Chief of Police

ITEM TITLE: PRESENTATION OF A MEDAL OF VALOR TO SERGEANT DAVID STEVENSON.

BACKGROUND:

Norman Sgt. David Stevenson shows an unwavering work ethic, outstanding attitude, and is the partner that we all wish we could be each and every day.

On October 4th 2023, Sgt Stevenson was partnered with a Cleveland County Deputy working on the District 21 Drug and Violent Crimes Task Force. The Cleveland Co Deputy attempted to stop a vehicle for a violation and was led on a pursuit which ended with the Deputy being shot in the neck. Once Sgt. Stevenson arrived on scene, he located the deputy who was bleeding profusely. He began rendering aid while calling for medical assistance. While this was going on, there was a female subject who was a passenger in the vehicle who was trying to intervene in Sgt. Stevenson rendering aid to his partner, while on the phone requesting medical assistance. He remained calm throughout the event and due to his actions, the Oklahoma Association of Chiefs of Police is honored to present Sgt. David Stevenson with a **Medal of Valor**.

RECOMMENDATION:

The OACP 3rd Vice President and The Village Chief of Police, Russ Landon will recognize Sergeant David Stevenson for his act of exceptional bravery with imminent risk of serious bodily injury while demonstrating exceptional courage in an extremely dangerous situation.