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Outstanding Pre-hospital Provider



City of Manassas, VA . . . Valerie Kusterbeck, Firefighter/Medic for the City of Manassas, has been honored with the Award for Outstanding Pre-hospital Provider by the Northern Virginia Emergency Medical Services Council. This award is bestowed upon an individual who exemplifies outstanding dedication to EMS across Northern Virginia and demonstrates commitment to a comprehensive, integrated EMS system throughout the Commonwealth.

Kusterbeck has been with the City of Manassas Fire & Rescue Department for more than seven years. She is a mentor and Field Training Officer for the department and teaches CPR and emergency medical services. She is currently completing the Paramedic program at Northern Virginia Community College while working towards an Associates Degree in Nursing.

Kusterbeck has worked extensively to evaluate new equipment and has recommended updating protocols to improve the Fire & Rescue System. She assisted in the implementation of new ventilators and video laryngoscopes this year. She provides outstanding patient care and remains calm under pressure.

This fall Northern Virginia EMS awards recipients along with honorees from Virginia's 10 other regional EMS councils will be considered for the Governor's EMS awards. The Governor's Awards winners will be announced at the Virginia EMS Symposium, November 12, 2016 in Norfolk, VA.



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