



Lifesaving Award #03
August 9, 2016

On August 9, 2016, Ambulance 02 and Engine 03 were dispatched to a difficulty breathing call. Upon arrival, paramedics found a 9-year-old patient in acute respiratory failure and turning blue. Vitals, an IV and a breathing treatment were all done immediately while in route to the hospital. An oral airway was attempted but unsuccessful due to the patient's jaw already being locked down. After arriving at the hospital, crews continued patient care, assisting hospital staff. The patient was paralyzed and intubated. After the incredible care of the responding paramedics and staff, the patient was discharged a day later.

Please help me recognize the following Mesquite Fire Department Members for their excellent service.

Ambulance 02

FF/Par. David Lester

FF/Par. Kristopher Bravo

Engine 03

Captain Jason Eddy

DE/Par. David Judd

FF/Par. Brody Hodge

FF/Par. Michael Glasgow