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Service Awards Honour Volunteer Firefighters' Commitment and Service

Volunteer fire departments are the backbone of rural emergency response, providing critical protection and support when communities need it most.

Service awards recognize the dedication of those who serve their local departments through training, emergency response, and public service to protect neighbours and strengthen community safety.

Professionalism, commitment, and years of service are the foundation of strong emergency response. The dedication of volunteers at local fire halls keeps communities safer, prepared, and resilient every day.

The following individuals have been recognized for their outstanding service:

40 Years of Service Brent Rogers Bonanza Fire Dept.

35 Years of Service Andreas Thomi Woking Fire Dept.

30 Years of Service Clayton Shore Bonanza Fire Dept.

25 Years of Service

Joseph Singer Bonanza Fire Dept. Leslie Bouck Savanna Fire Dept. Nathan Mandel Savanna Fire Dept.

20 Years of Service

Blaine Rogers Bonanza Fire Dept. Logan Dolen Savanna Fire Dept.

15 Years of Service

Craig Rogers Bonanza Fire Dept. Bruce Thomi Woking Fire Dept.

Jaclyn Rogers Medical First Responder



10 Years of Service

Ryley Dreger Woking Fire Dept.
Corrie Shura Woking Fire Dept.
Wenceslao Arevalos Bonanza Fire Dept.
Wendell Brubaker Bonanza Fire Dept.
Dustin Coons Bonanza Fire Dept.

5 Years of Service

Curtis Backer Blueberry Fire Dept.
Brian Ballard Blueberry Fire Dept.
Justin Dahms Woking Fire Dept.
Cole Jacob Woking Fire Dept.
Justin Curtis Woking Fire Dept.

These Service Awards acknowledge the essential role volunteer firefighters play in protecting lives, property, and the strength of rural communities.

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