



County of Fairfax, Virginia

MEMORANDUM

DATE: July 20, 2020

TO: Volunteer ALS Intern Anthony A. Barone
[REDACTED]

FROM: Margaret A. Gehlert, Administrative Assistant IV
Human Resources Division

SUBJECT: Unit Citation

Congratulations! Here is your first Unit Citation pin and a certificate from the Fire Chief for the Cardiac Arrest/Asthma. Thank you for your service to the Fire and Rescue Department and its community members. Framed certificates for location walls are forthcoming.



Fairfax County Fire & Rescue Department



Unit Citation Award

presented to

Captain I Kristopher W. Johnson, III

EMS Technician Nicholas F. Heufelder

Firefighter Allen E. Bizzell, III

Firefighter Christopher P. St Clair

Firefighter Rodney D. Wise

Volunteer ALS Intern Anthony A. Barone

*While Acting as Members of Engine and Medic 410
Who Displayed Excellent Performance of Duty
During Operations for a Patient in Cardiac Arrest due to a Severe Asthma Attack
On the 25th Day of January 2020*

John S. Butler

Fire Chief John S. Butler

July 17, 2020

Date

Award Nomination

Please review the following award nomination

- **Award:** Unit Citation Award
- **Nominator:** David Bentley
- **Nominated:** Rodney Wise, Nick Heufelder, Anthony Barrone, Kristopher Johnson, Sean Allen, Christopher St Clair, Allen Bizzell
- **Reason:** E410 & M410B found 68 year old male in Cardiac Arrest secondary to asthma attack. E410 started CPR with BLS airway while M410B prepared for oral intubation. E410 reported that it was getting difficult to ventilate patient. CPR was continued using LUCAS device. I/O started and meds/fluids delivered. Intubation attempt made by M410B (Barrone & Heufelder) crew reported they could see vocal cords in Laryngospasm in King Vision. One intubation attempt made without success. Quick decision was made to do surgical airway. Anthony Barrone (ALS Intern) with assistance from Nick Heufelder preformed surgical airway in apartment. Pt transported to Fairfax ER with CPR in progress, ACLS medications delivered and surgical airway in place. FF St Clair, Technician Allen, VFF Barrone, Tech Heufelder and myself were in back of M410B. Approximately 2 minutes prior to arrival pulse check done, very weak pulse detected. Patient care transferred to Fairfax ER staff with pulse of 120 and blood pressure of 113/90.