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Bethany Volunteer Fire Dept. Donates 150 Fans to “Fans for the Elderly” Drive

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[Wentworth, N.C.]— Rockingham County Sheriff Sam Page and his team at the Rockingham County Sheriff’s Office would like to extend our thanks to Chief Philip Butler and all the men and women of the Bethany Volunteer Fire Department for donating 150 fans to our “Fans for the Elderly” drive this year.

The Rockingham County Sheriff’s Office has once again teamed up with the American Red Cross of Rockingham County to collect donations of fans to help our elderly neighbors without a means to cool off during the upcoming hot summer months.

Earlier in the month, the Eden Professional FireFighters Association Local 2723 kicked off our 2017 “Fans for the Elderly” drive by donating 110 fans and issuing a challenge to other local Emergency Service and Public Safety Organizations to meet or beat their donation... and the Bethany Fire Department definitely answered.

“Our hats off to Chief Butler and the great women and men of the Bethany Volunteer Fire Department”, said Sheriff Sam Page. “We’re off to a great start this year but we still need the public’s help. Each year that we have done this, the need has outweighed the supply of fans donated. Our goal is obviously to collect enough donations so that no one goes without and that everyone who needs a fan, gets one.”

The 2017 “Fans for the Elderly” donation drive will run through August 15th. Donations can be made 24/7 at the Rockingham County Sheriff’s Office located at 170 N.C. 65 Reidsville, N.C. or at the American Red Cross located at 3692 N.C. 14 Reidsville, N.C. from 9am-4pm weekdays. Fans donated must be new-in-box and U.L. approved.



Pictured here are some of the men and women of the Bethany Volunteer Fire Department



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