Proclamation/Recognition #3

COUNTY AGENDA REQUEST

Department:	Board of Commissioners	Presenter(s):	Chairman Steve Brown
Meeting Date:	September 25, 2014	Type of Request:	Proclamation/Recognition

Wording for the Agenda:

Recognition of Fayette County's Emergency Medical Technicians for going above and beyond the call of duty in their service to Fayette County citizens Mark and Becky Smith.

Background/History/Details:

Captain Doug Morris, Lt. Charles Duff, Doug Stinnette, Lt. Steve Teague, and Emergency Medical Technicians (EMT) Kevin Jones, Robbie Moore and Jared Cooper responded to the attention of Mrs. Smith on August 2, 2014 who was injured after taking a bad fall. After she refused to go the emergency room, the EMT crew phoned her husband, Mark, to have him transport her home. Mark spoke for a moment with the EMT crew and took Becky home.

After returning home, Mr. Smith got his settled Becky down before going outside to cut down a tree that he deemed to be unsafe. While cutting down the tree, the Mark fell approximately 25 feet off of his ladder. The same EMT crew that had just treated his wife responded to the 911 call for the Mr. Smith. The EMT crew took great care of the couple and transported the Mr. Smith to the hospital to be treated by a trauma unit.

When the EMT crew completed their shift, they returned to the Smith's home and finished cutting down the unsafe tree.

What action are you seeking from the Board of Commissioners?

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If this item requires funding, please describe:

Not Applicable.

Has this request been considered within the past two years?	No	If so, when?	
Is Audio-Visual Equipment Required for this Request?*	No	Backup Provided with Request?	No

**** All audio-visual material must be submitted to the County Clerk's Office no later than 48 hours prior to the meeting. It is also your department's responsibility to ensure all third-party audio-visual material is submitted at least 48 hours in advance.***

Approved by Finance	Not Applicable	Reviewed by Legal	
Approved by Purchasing	Not Applicable	County Clerk's Approval	Yes
Administrator's Approval			

Staff Notes:

This is an example of Fayette County's first responders working for the health and safety of all citizens while going the extra mile when their official duty is completed.