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**Seminole County Sheriff's Office to hold Member Recognition Ceremony
-Agency to honor top performers, lifesavers, community heroes-**

Seminole Co. Fla., (June 5, 2019) – The Seminole County Sheriff's Office (SCSO) invites the media to attend the Semi-Annual Member Recognition Ceremony as the agency honors the outstanding accomplishments of employees, volunteers, and community members.

The ceremony will take place at 6:00 p.m. tomorrow at the Seminole County Sheriff's Office Professional Development Center, located at 2772 Depot Avenue in Sanford.

During the event, Sheriff Dennis Lemma will present life-saving awards to numerous recipients including Investigator Sara Eger and Deputy Todd Farnham who while working an off-duty detail at a church, utilized an AED and performed CPR on an 88-year-old man who collapsed. Also receiving a Life Saving Award will be Deputy Kyle Nickell and his wife Kelly, a registered nurse, who were off-duty when they rendered aid to a Lake Mary businessman who suffered cardiac arrest and was found in a parking lot bleeding, unconscious, and not breathing.

Deputy Erik Aragon-Vela will receive a Life Saving Award for rescuing a man who attempted to commit suicide, and also a Distinguished Action Award for alerting and evacuating several residents from a home that was adjacent to a shed engulfed in flames.

Sheriff Dennis Lemma will also present the Award of Merit to Deputy Patrick Flanagan who apprehended a suspect that shot a civilian and fired at a Winter Park Police officer, striking the officer's patrol vehicle.

In addition, nearly two dozen deputies will be recognized for life-saving Narcan Deployments.

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