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THE SOUTH JORDAN FIRE DEPARTMENT RECEIVES AWARD FROM THE AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION

SOUTH JORDAN, UT – The South Jordan Fire Department received the 2015 Mission: Lifeline® EMS Bronze Level Recognition Award. This award recognizes the overall care given to a heart attack victim by South Jordan emergency medical providers.

“We are honored to receive this award and are grateful for the amazing men and women who work hard to make South Jordan City a safer place to live,” said South Jordan Fire Chief, Andy Butler.

The South Jordan Fire Department provides early heart attack recognition training, access to pre-hospital lead ECG machines, and developed protocols for treating heart attack patients. With this training, medics can promptly notify the hospital to trigger an early response from the awaiting hospital personnel.

This is the second year in a row the South Jordan Fire Department has been recognized by the American Heart Association for their work in this field of patient care.

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The City of South Jordan, one of the fastest growing cities in the United States, is located 20 miles southwest of Salt Lake City, and home to more than 65,000 residents. In 2010, 2012, and 2014, South Jordan was named one of the Top 20 “Best Place to Live in America” by Money Magazine.