

Life Saving Award presentations

Civilian Tressa Coe

On 12/12/2022, Officers were dispatched to 209 Johnson Ave in reference to an infant being outside (in 38-degree weather) in only a diaper. A Utility Worker, Tressa Coe, located the infant and assisted in clothing the baby and wrapping him in a blanket. Coe remained with the infant until Police arrived and even remained on scene to assist Officers while they were investigating the situation. The infant was taken to WMMC immediately upon EMS arriving due to signs of Hypothermia. The infant had completely purple hands and appeared lethargic. It is Officer Brittany Brown's opinion that without Coe's intervention, it would be unknown how long the 4-month-old infant would have remained outside and potentially suffered life threatening conditions. Coe showed compassion and willingness to intervene in an emergency and did not think twice about it. Coe experienced emotion while on scene and stepped up in a time of need to assist our community. At this time, I would like to recognize Coe with a Warrensburg Police Life-Saving award.