



Tulsa Police Department

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Tulsa Police Sergeant Wins National Award

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WASHINGTON, D.C. — The National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial Fund (NLEOMF) has announced the selection of Sergeant Stephanie Jackson of the Tulsa Police Department as its Officer of the Month for December 2007.

This award was based on her heroic actions on January 28, 2006 and her commitment to community policing and crime prevention.

"While community policing is not new to the department, Sergeant Jackson has taken it to another level. Whether it is placing child seats in cars or telling the public how to prevent crimes, Sergeant Jackson is the model that every officer should reach for," states Captain Travis Yates. "Her career has not been about one particular incident but about a commitment to providing the public with safety, customer service, and prevention strategies to make their lives better," he adds.

Located in the nation's capital, the NLEOMF is a nonprofit organization dedicated to honoring the service and sacrifice of America's law enforcement officers. The NLEOMF established the National Law Enforcement Officer Memorial in 1991 and is now working to build the first-ever National Law Enforcement Museum.

The NLEOMF Officer of the Month Program, which began in 1996, recognizes federal, state and local officers who distinguish themselves through exemplary law enforcement service and devotion to duty. Sergeant Jackson, along with all of the 2007 Officers of the Month, will be recognized during a special ceremony in Washington, DC, in May 2008 during National Police Week. Additional details on the award and the efforts of Sergeant Jackson can be viewed here:

http://www.nleomf.com/TheFund/programs/OOM/jackson_dec07.htm

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