

**RUTHERFORD COUNTY EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICE**

**RUTHERFORD COUNTY  
EMS**

**PUBLIC SAFETY REPORT**

*Emergency Medical Service*

**DECEMBER 15, 2014  
NOVEMBER 2014 REPORT**



**IN-SERVICES AND TRAINING**

1. International Trauma Life Support (ITLS) Class renewal
2. Rapid Sequence Intubation (RSI) Class
3. MPD Inservice
4. AEMT Transition Course
5. Middle TN EMS Directors' Association Meeting
6. Chest Pain Meeting at St.Thomas Rutherford Hospital
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**P.E.D.A.L.**

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**T.O.P.S.**

1. Taught Officer Down Class
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**R.E.A.C.T & OTHER SPECIAL EVENT STAND-BYS**

1. Medical Coverage for all county high school football games
2. Medical Coverage for all MTSU football games & basketball games
3. Medical Coverage at ROTC competition
4. Medical Coverage at Band Competition at Stewarts Creek High School
5. Medical Coverage at Smyrna Youth League football playoffs
6. Medical Coverage at TSSAA Cheerleading Competition at MTSU
7. Community Relations - Girl Scouts' First Aid Class
8. Community Relations - Boy Scouts' First Aid Class
9. Community Relations - After School Program for Franklin Heights
10. Community Relations - Boy Scouts' First Aid & The Scout class
11. Community Relations - WGNS Radio Program - Winter Tips
12. Community Relations - Yellow Dot Program presentation at St. Clair Senior Center
13. Community Relations - Explorers Program in the city schools
14. Community Relations - Multiple United Way meetings with various county departments
15. Community Relations - Resource Development Meeting
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**S.O.R.T. SPECIAL OPERATIONS RESCUE TEAM**

1. Responded to numerous motor vehicle accidents
2. Responded to carbon monoxide incident
3. First-responder to medical emergencies
4. Extrication of motor vehicle accident victim
5. Responded to gas leak
6. Responded to HazMat incident
7. Activated for search for missing person
8. Rope Rescue Class
9. Vehicle Extrication Class
10. Rope Awareness Class
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# Response Time Report

Beginning Date 11/1/2014

Ending Date 11/30/14

Emergency Crews Zone	Average Times		
	Response Time	Time On Scene	Transport Time
BLACKMAN	9.0	15.3	7.8
BURTON	6.4	12.6	6.9
CHRISTIANA	9.9	18.1	17.6
EAGLEVILLE	10.5	24.5	15.4
LAVERGNE	7.4	13.3	9.6
MANCHESTER	11.2	17.7	12.7
MTSU	7.9	10.9	10.5
SALEM	7.5	12.1	7.1
SIEGEL	9.6	14.2	8.4
SMY CNTL	7.4	13.3	9.7
SMY WEST	8.9	15.9	8.8
STONECREST	7.3	12.5	6.1
	<b>7.9</b>	<b>13.3</b>	<b>8.8</b>

# Public Safety Report

Beginning Date 11/1/2014

Ending Date 11/30/14

## District Calls

1	DOUG SHAFER	54
2	STEVE PEARCY	75
3	WILL JORDAN	69
4	ROBERT PEAY, JR.	62
5	CAROL COOK	122
6	JOE FRANK JERNIGAN	91
7	MIKE KUSCH	67
8	PETTUS READ	65
9	JOE GOURLEY	51
10	BRAD TURNER	101
11	RHONDA ALLEN	71
12	ROBERT STEVENS	135
13	PAUL JOHNSON	182
14	CHARLIE BAUM	59
15	DAVID NIPPER	126
16	PHIL DODD	208
17	JEFF PHILLIPS	76
18	ALLEN MCADOO	147
19	SHAWN KAPLAN	197
20	TREY GOOCH	41
21	CHANTHO SOURINHO	191
99	OUT OF COUNTY	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>2190</b>

## Nashville Calls

BLACKMAN	1
BURTON	1
CHRISTIANA	5
EAGLEVILLE	0
LAVERGNE	9
MANCHESTER	0
MTSU	3
OUT OF COUNTY	0
SALEM	80
SIEGEL	10
SMY CNTL	5
SMY WEST	4
STONECREST	18

## Transport Team Calls

GUIDANCE CENTER-CHURCH	0
GUIDANCE CENTER-SMYRNA	0
GUIDANCE CENTER-THOMPSON	0
STONECREST MEDICAL CENTER	6
STRH	51
VA TRIAGE	1

Calculate Report

Print Record

<b>Transport TeamTotal</b>	<b>62</b>
<b>911 Call Reponse</b>	<b>70</b>
<b>Transport Team Grand Total</b>	<b>132</b>

# Public Safety Report

Beginning Date 7/1/2014

Ending Date 11/30/14

## District Calls

1	DOUG SHAFER	299
2	STEVE PEARCY	326
3	WILL JORDAN	422
4	ROBERT PEAY, JR.	373
5	CAROL COOK	580
6	JOE FRANK JERNIGAN	460
7	MIKE KUSCH	345
8	PETTUS READ	361
9	JOE GOURLEY	246
10	BRAD TURNER	530
11	RHONDA ALLEN	424
12	ROBERT STEVENS	702
13	PAUL JOHNSON	823
14	CHARLIE BAUM	309
15	DAVID NIPPER	577
16	PHIL DODD	1225
17	JEFF PHILLIPS	410
18	ALLEN MCADOO	841
19	SHAWN KAPLAN	852
20	TREY GOOCH	259
21	CHANTHO SOURINHO	1095
99	OUT OF COUNTY	2
<b>Total</b>		<b>11461</b>

## Nashville Calls

BLACKMAN	23
BURTON	22
CHRISTIANA	10
EAGLEVILLE	4
LAVERGNE	46
MANCHESTER	2
MTSU	32
OUT OF COUNTY	1
SALEM	402
SIEGEL	41
SMY CNTL	26
SMY WEST	14
STONECREST	110

## Transport Team Calls

GUIDANCE CENTER-CHURCH	0
GUIDANCE CENTER-SMYRNA	0
GUIDANCE CENTER-THOMPSON	0
STONECREST MEDICAL CENTER	30
STRH	251
VA TRIAGE	5

Calculate Report

Print Record

<b>Transport TeamTotal</b>	<b>299</b>
<b>911 Call Reponse</b>	<b>392</b>
<b>Transport Team Grand Total</b>	<b>691</b>

Beginning Date 11/1/2014

Ending Date 11/30/2014

	<b>Zone 1</b>	<b>Zone 2</b>	<b>Zone 3</b>	<b>Zone 4</b>	<b>Zone 5</b>	<b>Zone 6</b>	<b>Zone 7</b>	<b>Zone 8</b>	<b>Zone 9</b>	<b>Zone 10</b>	<b>Zone 11</b>	<b>Zone 12</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
<b>1-Salem</b>	174	36	17	12	8	1	0	0	0	1	4	0	253
<b>2-Burton</b>	19	211	2	41	0	0	1	1	0	0	18	0	293
<b>3-Blackman</b>	27	3	92	1	0	8	2	1	0	0	6	0	140
<b>4-MTSU</b>	6	41	1	169	1	0	0	0	1	0	13	1	233
<b>5-Christiana</b>	29	2	1	3	59	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	97
<b>6-Smyrna Wes</b>	6	0	9	0	0	63	24	3	2	0	1	0	108
<b>7-Smyrna Central</b>	1	0	1	0	0	4	142	17	4	0	7	0	176
<b>8-Stonecrest</b>	2	0	2	0	0	7	17	106	17	0	0	0	151
<b>9-Lavergne</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	7	129	0	0	0	138
<b>10-Eagleville</b>	11	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	22	0	0	37
<b>11-Siegel</b>	7	18	2	4	0	0	1	2	2	0	124	0	160
<b>12-Manchester</b>	4	19	0	143	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	24	194
<b>Support Truck</b>	13	2	4	13	7	4	15	2	2	0	5	6	73
<b>Transport Team</b>	95	11	7	3	1	0	1	6	0	0	8	0	132
<b>SORT Truck</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Out-of-County</b>													0
<b>Other</b>													5
<b>TOTAL</b>	394	343	140	390	76	89	205	145	157	23	189	34	2190



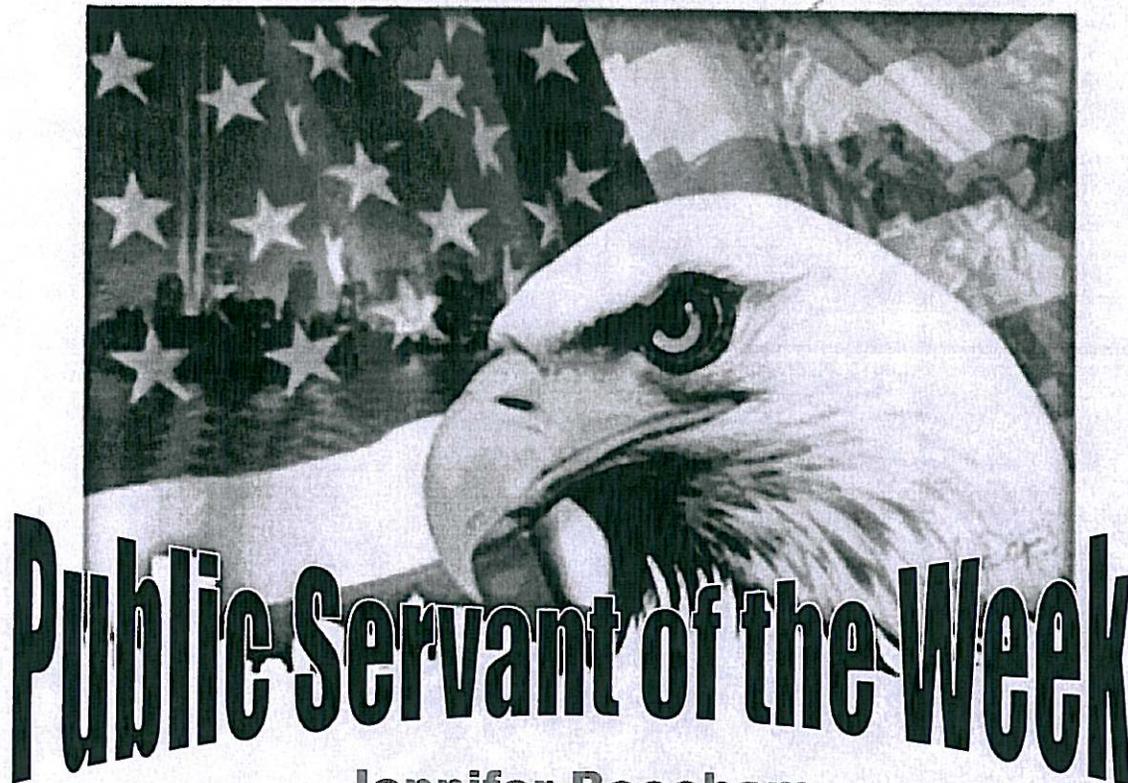
# Public Servant of the Week

**Corey Daniel**  
**Rutherford County EMS**  
**November 3, 2014**

The professional manner in which you conduct yourself on and off duty is recognized with this award. Someone took time to submit your name to *WGNS Talk Radio* and a give a description of your "caring actions". You are being recognized because of your professionalism and dedication to duties as well as willingness to help. Our community is better off thanks to caring and professional public servants like you! There is no limit on the number of times you are eligible to be "Public Servant of the Week". You are considered every time a citizen sees you "going the extra mile"!

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**Jennifer Beecham**

**Rutherford County EMS**

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## Melanie Meshotto

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**From:** Mike Nunley  
**Sent:** Friday, November 07, 2014 2:29 PM  
**To:** Clay Jackson; Jessica Harding  
**Cc:** EMS Administration

Jessica and Clay, I'm sorry I can't remember the guy's name but he was the son in law of the patient you picked up on 231 recently. He called to give special commendations to you for the professional and caring way you treated his mother in law and her family. Thank you for what you do and for representing RCEMS in such a positive manner.

Mike

## FW: Funeral detail for Allen Bowman (11/30/2014)

Mike Nunley

Tue 12/2/2014 9:56 AM

Inbox

To:Melanie Meshotto <mmeshotto@rutherfordcountyttn.gov>; EMS Administration <EMSAdmin@rutherfordcountyttn.gov>;

FYI

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**From:** Tony Peden  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 02, 2014 9:38 AM  
**To:** Mike Nunley; Travis Pitts  
**Subject:** Funeral detail for Allen Bowman (11/30/2014)

Mike and Travis,

On Thursday Nov 27, 2014 , I was contacted by Danny Burton (EMT-P), representing the family of Allen Bowman (EMT-P/FF/ TARS diver). Allen had been a paramedic for over 25 years and had worked for DeKalb and Putnam EMS as well as Opryland Hotel Ems before he lost his long battle with Cancer. Allen had passed Thursday morning after being on hospice for some time. he left behind a mother, 21 year old daughter and a 14 year old son. Allen's children had just lost their mother two years ago. Danny requested RCEMS Honor Guard attend and retire the flag as well as present it to next of kin.

After obtaining the approval from the Honor Guard administrative liaison (Travis Pitts EMT-P) and approval from the director of RCEMS (Mike Nunley EMT-P/RN) I contacted Mr. Burton to finalize the arrangements and times. RCEMS would provide two Honor Guard members (Nicole Reed (EMT-P/ station manager, Josh Wright EMT-P) and a detail leader (Tony Peden EMT-P/ HG captain) RCEMS would also provide the memorial/ casket flag to present to the family. Mr. Burton was to provide facilities for RCEMS HG to prepare and dress and patches from agencies that the deceased had previously worked.

The funeral was Sunday Nov 30, 2014 at 1300 at Baxter Funeral home in Baxter , TN with burial immediately following at Palmer Cemetery in Silver Springs, TN. RCEMS HG arrived at the funeral home prior to the service to receive any last minute instructions and finalize last minute instructions to Mr. Burton. Mr. Burton was instructed to make to make sure the flag was draped properly over the casket once it had been placed in the ambulance , prior to it leaving the funeral home, and to be certain the when the casket was carried to the site from the ambulance that under no conditions was the flag to be allowed to touch the ground. He agreed. The HG then prepared by Changing into RCEMS HG class 'A' uniform and drove to the burial site to await the deceased arrival.

On scene at Palmer Cemetery the HG did preplanning and went over every detail of how the service would go. There was a small hill over looking the site that was the first thing that came into sight as you turned on to the road. HG staged on that hill, as the funeral procession turned onto the road RCEMS HG , standing at attention, was the first thing to be noticed. As the casket was pulled from the ambulance, draped in the US flag, HG came to present arms and held the salute until the casket was placed over the site. The two HG members that were charged with retiring the flag then took their positions at the head

and foot of the casket and remained there during the eulogy. The detail leader posted next to the family. After the eulogy had been delivered the two members , with utmost care and respect, retired the Flag by properly folding it in a manor prescribed by the US flag code and US military standards. After the flag was properly folded it was given to the detail leader to present to the designated recipient, in this case, Mr. Burtons 14 year old son.

Once the flag was received by the detail commander a Putnam EMS and a DeKalb EMS patch was placed on top. While the HG members came to attention and presented arms the detail leader presented the folded flag with these words:

"On behalf of Rutherford county EMS and all paramedics across the state , we would like to present you with this flag as a token of respect and honor for your fathers long and faithful service to his community and to the people of TN. "

After the flag was presented all HG members marched , in file , to the van and promptly left. After the funeral Mr. Burton called the detail commander to repeatedly offer his sincere thanks and gratitude on his and the family's behalf. He stated that all agencies in attendance commented on the professionalism and precision of the RCEMS HG. He then asked what our fee would be for performing the detail, it was quickly explained to him that it was an honor for us and that we do not charge a fee nor accept donations to perform funeral services for any Paramedic/EMT. He again offered his most sincere thanks and ask that his gratitude be relayed to the director of RCEMS for allowing the HG to preform the services.

Tony Peden EMT-P  
HG Captain