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LPD OFFICER PRESENTED WITH LIFE SAVING AWARD

Lexington, S.C. (April 11, 2016) – Last week at the monthly Town of Lexington Council Meeting, Chief Terrence Green presented Patrolman First Class Trey Kerwin with the "Life Saving Award" for his timely response to a medical incident that occurred in December 2015.

On December 12, 2015, PFC Trey Kerwin responded to a call of a victim who had collapsed on the sidewalk on Hendrix Street. PFC Trey Kerwin arrived and immediately began giving first aid to the victim who was found laying face down with a pool of blood around his head. PFC Trey Kerwin found that the victim was not breathing and he could not find a pulse. PFC Trey Kerwin used the automated external defibrillator and began to do cardiopulmonary resuscitation until Lexington County Fire Service and EMS arrived on scene to continue life saving efforts. While on scene the victim began breathing on his own and was then transported to the Lexington Medical Center for further treatment.

Chief Terrence Green stated, *"Patrolman First Class Trey Kerwin's quick and decisive actions represent the best tradition in law enforcement and First Responders as a whole. His actions reflect great credit upon himself, the Lexington Police Department and the Town of Lexington in his part with the saving of this life."*

PFC Trey Kerwin has been with the Lexington Police Department since June of 2008 and is assigned to the Patrol Division.

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