

MEDIA RELEASE

SON PERFORMS C.P.R. ON FATHER AND SAVES HIS LIFE

Lifesaving Award presentation announced

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ALBION, MI – On April 25, 2021, at 10:00 AM, Albion Community Ambulance and the Parma-Sandstone Fire Department was called to a reported unconscious man on Hoag Road in Sandstone Township, Michigan, which is north of Parma. Within minutes, the patient’s autistic son, Warren McMurtrie, began Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) on the scene.

First responders and paramedics arrived and provided advanced care, and then transported the patient in critical condition to Henry Ford Allegiance Hospital in Jackson. The patient recovered and has been discharged from the hospital.

First responders reported that they witnessed Warren performing “highly effective” CPR before taking over resuscitation efforts. Upon reviewing the incident, it was determined these quick and efficient initial response efforts significantly contributed to the patient’s survival and recovery. The actions taken by Warren McMurtrie saved his father’s life.

Albion Community Ambulance will present a Lifesaving Award to Warren during a meeting of the Parma-Sandstone Fire Department Board at 7:00 PM on Monday, June 7, 2021. The meeting will be conducted at the Parma Fire Station at 297 North Union St. in Parma, MI.

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