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Blair to Honor Local Heroes with Prestigious Code Save Award

Blair, NE — The City of Blair is proud to recognize several outstanding members of the Blair Police Department and the Blair Volunteer Fire and Rescue Department for their exceptional service and life-saving efforts. During the upcoming City Council meeting on **Tuesday, May 13th at 7:00 PM**, these public safety professionals will be presented with the **Code Save Award**, one of the highest honors in the emergency services field.

The Code Save Award recognizes a coordinated and successful effort in saving a life following cardiac arrest. This distinction is only awarded when first responders carry out critical interventions—such as CPR or defibrillation—that ultimately lead to the patient walking out of the hospital under their own power.

The recipients of this distinguished award are:

- **Blair Police Department**
 - Officer Brandon Guern
- **Blair Volunteer Fire and Rescue Department**
 - Firefighter Logan Thallas
 - Fire Captain Anthony Borders
 - Registered Nurse Bob Horst
 - Senior Cadet Chasity Hahn
 - Senior Cadet Landon Holtz
 - EMS Captain Ty Hernes
 - Assistant Chief Jake Dunn

The City of Blair is truly fortunate to have these brave and skilled individuals, as well as the entire Blair Police and Fire Departments, dedicated to protecting our community every day.

In addition to the Code Save Awards, the City Council will also conduct the official swearing-in of Blair's new Police Chief, Jeremy Kinsey, and welcome two new officers, Jedzia Radke and Paige Arent, to the department.

We are better together.

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