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Fort Collins, CO—Poudre Fire Authority will be holding its' 2010 Annual Awards & Recognition Ceremony this Friday, February 5 at 6:00 p.m. The ceremony will be held at the Sunset Events Center, 242 Linden Street in Fort Collins. Recognitions are for the 2009 calendar year.

Poudre Fire Authority holds this event to recognize both citizens and employees for exceptional actions or service. The categories and recipients are:

Citizen Partnership Award is given to individuals or businesses that make notable efforts to support the Poudre Fire Authority in our goal of community service. Examples include significant contributions toward training, public education, or other support of our department or its mission: Christina Packard; Poudre Valley Ambulance Service EMT's and medics, Jen Murphy, Kim Powers, Jay Scarlett, John Stitt and Kyle Williams (Reserve EMT).

Citizen Lifesaving Award, for an action taken by a citizen of the community in a direct effort to save the life or lives of others: Amanda Huggins.

Meritorious Service Award, to recognize acts of Poudre Fire Authority personnel, either on-duty or off-duty, that are above and beyond reasonable expectation and exemplify the highest principals of our organization: Bryan Hanson, Chad Myers, Dan Santillanes, Jon McKeon, Robert Garner, Ross Reinking, Ryan McLean.

PFA Mission, Vision and Values Award, for uniformed and staff personnel in recognition of outstanding effort within the scope of duty that reflect PFA's core values: Arturo Gallegos, Brad Kobielsuz, Brandon Garcia, Dustin DeBaere, Dustin Hampton, Eric Nelson, John Lippert, Mary Makris, Matt Housley, Randy Hatfield, Tom Hatfield, Tony Dragan, Tyson Barela, Tyler Giliotti.

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