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The quick and clear thinking of our team member and Project Inspector, Kris Savage, assisted in saving Mr. Agostino Tarantino's life on June 21, 2016. Kris was honored by the Town Council of Herndon this week and reunited with the gentleman whose life he helped to save.

Kris's humble and gentle nature does not seek recognition, but his quick thinking and courageous actions are deserving of our admiration. Through his actions, Kris Savage served to save a complete stranger. His is a profile in courage and that commitment is what makes a difference. We are proud to call Kris our co-worker.

**Town of Herndon
Responsible Citizen Award**

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A man whose life was saved was able to meet in person -- and thank -- the three people who helped save him. These three truly outstanding citizens were recognized at last night's town council meeting. Rick Reynolds, **Kris Savage**, and Katie Simpson received Responsible Citizen Awards in recognition of their life-saving actions.

These three individuals were not known to each other when, on the night of June 21st of this year, in the middle of a sudden torrential rain storm, they came upon a stranger lying face down on the sidewalk in the 200 Block of Herndon Parkway. What made these three unique that night was not only that they decided to stop and get involved, but also that they worked together to help save a man's life.

The man who was lying face down was unconscious, and it turned out, in need of life-saving CPR. Rick Reynolds, Kris Savage, and Katie Simpson called 9-1-1, provided the emergency call-taker with their location, and information concerning the man's physical status. Then, following the call-taker's directions, they provided CPR until EMS arrived on-scene and were able to take over. Once at the hospital the man was stabilized, and eventually went on to make a full recovery.

Both EMS personnel and hospital staff told us that the quick thinking and action taken by our three award recipients directly aided in Mr. Tarantino's survival.



These three, Katherine Renee Simpson, Kristjan Miles Savage, and Ricky Mark Reynolds, are truly deserving of the Responsible Citizen Award. Last night's recognition ceremony was made extra special by the attendance of the man whose life was saved, Mr. Agostino (Tino) Tarantino.



Kris Savage reuniting with Tino Tarantino during the Town of Herndon – Town Council Meeting

