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Wylie Pins Newest Firefighter

Wylie, TX, Aug. 21, 2015 – Kate Hull, the newest member of Wylie Fire Rescue, was ceremonially pinned by her father Daniel Hull Aug. 21 in a reception at Wylie’s Fire Station 3.

Mayor Eric Hogue welcomed Hull to the Wylie family, noting that the community is a “special place,” recently honored by MONEY magazine as one of the Best Places to Live in America. “We look out for each other,” he said. “We’re glad you’re here.”

Chief Brent Parker also welcomed her to the WFR family, noting the support given by City Manager Mindy Manson and members of Wylie City Council. “They give us the tools we need so we can all go home safe at the end of our shifts. I don’t take that lightly.”

In addition to her father, on hand at the celebration were her mother, Diana Hull; her grandmother, Dolores Carrel; her twin sister Kristin Hull, her sister Sarah Hull; and her brothers Andrew and Samuel Hull.

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About Wylie Fire Rescue – Incorporated in 1887, the City of Wylie is located just 24 miles from downtown Dallas in Collin, Dallas and Rockwall counties. Possessing an outstanding school district, a low crime rate, and an expanding business climate, Wylie (population 44,938) is one of the fastest-growing communities in the State of Texas with a 197-percent increase since 2000. Wylie Fire Rescue is one of only 13 departments in the state and 56 in the country with the top Public Protection

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