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WORLD TRADE CENTER 5-5-8087



EMS LT Jeffrey L. Halpern

With regret, the Department announces the death of retired EMS Lieutenant *Jeffrey L. Halpern*, Station 39, appointed September 26, 1983, retired June 21, 2007, which occurred on February 13, 2026. This member bravely served this Department protecting life and property in the City of New York in the rescue and recovery at Manhattan Box 5-5-8087 World Trade Center.

The heartfelt sympathy of the entire Department is extended to the family, relatives, and friends of the deceased in the midst of the great loss that they and the Department have sustained.

A private funeral service for family will be held in Florida.

By Order of: **Lillian Bonsignore, Fire Commissioner**
John M. Esposito, Chief of Department