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SPRINGFIELD POLICE WILL HONOR FORMER VOLUNTEER

Lee Thoms was a mail courier for the City of Springfield in 2015 and 2016. He overcame developmental and physical disabilities to become an important part of our volunteer program. He was recognized for his outstanding volunteer service in 2015 by our Mayor and City Council.

Lee passed away unexpectedly at the end of April. There is a planned event to celebrate his life at the Arc of Lane County at 4181 E. Street in Springfield on Tuesday June 14th at 6 p.m.

The Police Department will be delivering Lee's ashes to the Celebration of Life as a tribute to his outstanding service as well as standing in honor at the ceremony. It was Lee's dream job to be a Police Officer and work for the Police Department.