

7. Case of Fire Fighter William Benevelli, Rescue Company 2

On October 3, 1999, while off duty and visiting in Stamford, Connecticut, he was notified of a neighbor who had collapsed on the lawn next door, unconscious and not breathing. He responded and began CPR with the assistance of his brother and continued until the arrival of the Fire Department. The man was then shocked and a pulse was detected.

Because of his dedicated actions, the Fire Commissioner highly commended Fire Fighter William Benevelli of Rescue Company 2 in General Order No. 30 of 1999.

The Board recommends that Fire Fighter William Benevelli of Rescue Company 2 be awarded the Distinguished Service Award.