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PRESS RELEASE

The Elizabethton Fire Department in partnership with the State Fire Marshal's Office has received 2,000 smoke alarms. This is great news for Elizabethton as the alarms will be immediately available for installation and will be free. These alarms contain the 10 year sealed batteries, which eliminates the need for changing batteries. These alarms are app. \$20.00 at the store.

Simply put—smoke alarms save lives. Smoke spreads fast when there is a fire, and smoke alarms give you time to get out. Smoke alarms could reduce your risk of dying from a fire in your home by almost half. We will be installing these and while we are at your house we will be happy to assist you with any questions about making your home safer.

We will also be partnering with other organizations in the area that will assist in the installations of the alarms. We need more organizations to help out; any organization that would be interested in helping can call Fire Marshal Jack Buckles at (423)292-3843.

For any resident that would like to set up an appointment for installation, feel free to call Fire Station 1 at (423)542-5421

We will start our door to door campaign on Oct. 11th; we will be partnering with the Red Cross and will be covering the following streets in Elizabethton.

West Riverside Dr., Mill Street, Ash, Mulberry, Hemlock, Hickory, Walnut, N. Roan, Manning, Cambridge, Graham, Cottage Avenue, Merry, Race, Locust, Willow, Barker and Majestic View Court,

We also will be partnering with Grace Baptist Church in Lynn Valley on Nov 1st, and will be covering every road in Lynn Valley from Hwy 19-E to the City limits.

Any questions on the program please call Fire Marshal Jack Buckles at 423-292-3843

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