
U.S. Representative

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One of ten in the nation

Rock Hill Fire Dept. Wins Fire Safety Grant

WASHINGTON — U. S. Rep. John Spratt (D-SC) announced today that the Rock Hill Fire Department is one of 10 departments in the nation chosen to receive a grant from the U.S. Fire Administration.

According to Spratt, the \$25,000 grant to the department's Fire Prevention Bureau will go toward its "Movin' On Up" fire safety program for school children, senior citizens, and neighborhood associations.

"This is a big honor for the Rock Hill Fire Department," said Spratt. "These grants are very hard to come by because the selection process is extremely rigorous. The administrator of the agency says only the best fire safety programs — ones that have made a difference — are funded with a grant.

"I'm delighted to salute the Rock Hill Fire Department's Fire Prevention Bureau as one of our nation's best."

Spratt said the nine other grants went to departments in Virginia, Colorado, Delaware, Kentucky, Washington, California, Indiana, Texas, and Ohio.

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