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New deputy fire chief for Jackson Township Fire Division

Jackson Township Fire Division Capt. Randy Little will be sworn in at the Dec. 2, 2014 Jackson Township Board of Trustees meeting to fill the deputy fire chief position that has been vacant for six months.

Jackson Township Board of Trustees unanimously voted at the Nov. 18, 2014 meeting to appoint Capt. Little, who is a Grove City native and 20-year employee. He has an associate's degree in fire science administration and is a medal of valor award recipient.

"Randy has exhibited an impeccable work ethic, consistent professionalism and notable leadership qualities," said Michael Lilly, Jackson Township Administrator. "He will step into the deputy fire chief job with enthusiasm and impressive qualifications."

Capt. Little, who is married and the father of four, said his vision is to strive to make Jackson Township Fire Division a premier fire department in Central Ohio, and he hopes to increase the division's community relations programs especially for senior citizens in Grove City, Jackson Township and Urbancrest.

About Jackson Township Fire Division

The Jackson Township Fire Division provides fire and emergency medical services to 40,608 residents in the Grove City, Urbancrest and unincorporated area of Jackson Township. The division has four fire stations and employs 110 personnel including firefighter/paramedics, fire inspectors and prevention officers, and administrators. The Jackson Township Fire Division — which responds to an average of a combined 8,358 fire and EMS calls per year — has four emergency medical vehicles; four fire engines, two with heavy rescue equipment; and a ladder truck.

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