

CLASS OF 2020



Malcom Kemp

Malcolm "Mac" Kemp has been in Emergency Medical Services (EMS) since 1977. He has worked in private, non-profit, hospital, and governmental agencies. Kemp is currently Deputy Chief of Clinical Affairs at Leon County EMS.

Over the course of his career, Kemp has worked as a street Paramedic, road supervisor, training officer, quality management officer, dispatcher, and command staff officer. In the past he was a reserve deputy for 12 years and a volunteer firefighter. Kemp holds an Associate Degree from Tallahassee Community College, a Bachelor's and Master's Degree in Health Education from Florida State University, and a Master's Degree in Homeland Security from the Naval Post Graduate School, Center for Homeland Defense and Security in Monterey, CA.

Kemp is the current Chair of the Florida EMS Advisory Council, which is appointed by the Florida Surgeon General and is a member of the Florida Trauma System Advisory Council which is appointed by the Florida Governor. Kemp also participates in many state and national EMS organizations and committees including the Florida EMS Advisory Data Committee, the Florida EMS Advisory Council Legislative Committee, the Florida Council of EMS Chief's, the Florida Association of County EMS, the Florida EMS Grants Review Team, the Florida Child Abuse Death Review Team, and the National Association of EMT's among others.

Kemp is also the Chairman and Flight Director for Honor Flight Tallahassee, a non-profit organization that flies Veterans to Washington D.C. to see the war memorials that were built for them. He works as a private grants consultant for the Louisiana State University, National Center for Biomedical Research and Training, designing and instructing a variety of homeland security courses. Kemp has written several articles for national journals and has received numerous awards during his career.

Kemp is married to Lori and is the proud father of four children; Brian, Melissa, Jacob, and Anna.

Watch the video presented at the 2020 Heroes in Public Safety Lifetime Achievement Award Ceremony of Chad Abrams speaking on behalf of Malcom Kemp <u>HERE</u>.