

**Law and Order Presentation #1 by PC Dennis Madden**

**Suffolk County Convention**

**June 9, 2018**

**Suffolk County Police Officer Thomas Wilson**

This bio is reduced from 3 typewritten pages for the sake of expedience:  
Officer Wilson is a U S Army Veteran and proud member of Patchogue Post 269  
He served in Bosnia with the 423<sup>rd</sup> Military Police unit  
Former NYPD drug enforcement & arrest awards  
Former NYPD detective Bureau, Manhattan Warrant Squad  
Promoted to Sergeant.  
9/11/2001 participant at the Williamsburg Bridge, Ground ZERO and Fresh Kills  
Nov 2002, left NYPD for SCPD & 6<sup>th</sup> Pct COPE duty  
Led 6<sup>th</sup> Pct in arrests for multiple years (1500+ arrests)  
4 months of surgery and treatment for WTC oral cancer & returned to full duty.  
2 Cop of the Year awards & multiple other recognitions  
Numerous line of duty wounds never deterred him from Active Policing  
Numerous life-saving recognitions  
Son of a Vietnam vet and Purple Heart recipient  
Grandson of WW II vet in Army Air Corp

It is my honor to recognize S C P D Officer Thomas Wilson a 2018 Law and Order Award recipient from the Suffolk County American Legion for his dedicated life-long service to the people of the great State of New York and Suffolk County and his continued service to veterans everywhere.

Attending with him were: his dad, Tom Wilson II, a Vietnam vet and Purple Heart recipient, his wife Marilyn, Officer Tom's wife, Jennifer and their 5 children; Tom the IV, Ryan, Louis, Connor and Kate Ann, and his two Commanding Officers, Capt Jim Strack and Sgt Mike Kelly.

**Law and Order Presentation #2 by PC Dennis Madden**

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**Greenlawn Fire Dept. Rescue Squad**

Recipient of the 2017 national Association of Emergency Medical Technicians (NAEMT) award, chosen from hundreds of applications from all areas of the United States for contributions to the EMS profession and the patient they serve.

John McKenna, a 46 year member of the Dept. and EMT for 41 years is only 1 of 38 volunteer EMT's and 3 Paramedics

They handle 2300 + calls annually

Recipients of the 2017 Suffolk Regional Emergency Medical Service Council award, chosen as the best of the 18 Regional Districts in NY State.

It is my distinct honor to recognize the Greenlawn Fire Dept Rescue Squad, their member John McKenna and their Chief, Mike Bellis for their dedicated service to the community and hamlet of Greenlawn, my Post's home !

Thank you, Commander Pankowski, for the appointment to Chair this Committee.