

Sarasota Police Department

Life Saving Medal

Officer Adam Barlow
Officer Patrick Comac
Officer Erick Raulerson

On August 17, 2015, Officers Barlow, Comac, and Raulerson responded to a call reference a suicidal subject at 1012 N. Tamiami Trail. Upon arrival, they observed the subject had severely cut his wrists with razor blades. The subject refused to comply with Officers' commands to drop the blade and continued to cut himself. Officers Barlow and Comac continued to speak with the subject and created enough of a distraction so Officer Raulerson could approach the subject from behind. Officer Raulerson deployed his Taser and the Officers were able to take the subject into custody safely.

These Officers were able to maintain control of the situation without further harm to the subject or any bystanders. For their efforts, the Sarasota Police Department is proud to present Officers Adam Barlow, Patrick Comac and Erick Raulerson with Life Saving Medals.