



**State Fire Marshal Announces 50th Smoke Alarm Save**  
*Get Alarmed program saving lives across Tennessee!*

Commissioner and State Fire Marshal Julie Mix McPeak is proud to announce that the Get Alarmed smoke alarm installation program has saved 50 Tennesseans from fire.

The State Fire Marshal's Office has distributed more than 50,000 alarms to fire departments across Tennessee, including the Smyrna Fire Department. The installation of these smoke alarms not only provides lifesaving early alerts for homes in high-risk areas, but it also allows individuals to meet their local firefighters, ask questions and learn about how to keep their loved ones safe from fire.

If you know of someone who has a need for smoke alarm installation, please contact the Smyrna Fire Department at 615-459-9735. The Department has installed fifteen alarms through the Get Alarmed Program for our citizens.

"The Get Alarmed program is on the front lines of fighting fire fatalities in Tennessee," said McPeak. "With every life saved, we demonstrate the necessity of working smoke alarms and the importance of having conversations about residential fire safety with every Tennessean."

The Gates Fire Department in West Tennessee installed the smoke alarm responsible for the 50th save. The smoke alarm was installed one week before the fire happened. Assistant Commissioner for Fire Prevention Gary West said of the 50th save, "This program is a true example of what can happen when communities come together. The State Fire Marshal's Office provides fire departments with the smoke alarms and the conversations that then happen [while the alarms are being installed] between firefighters and residents can be the difference between life and death."