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Silver Star Recipient

Vilas County, WI Friday, May 24, 2013

Deputy Sheriff Greg Fulton (First Sergeant, US Army) will be receiving a Silver Star from the US Army on May 31, 2013 at Volk Field during a senior leadership conference and award ceremony. This prestigious military decoration will be awarded to First Sergeant Fulton for his leadership and participation in combat operations in support of Operation Enduring Freedom in Afghanistan.

Sheriff Tomlanovich and his staff are extremely proud of Deputy Greg Fulton and his service to the Country. Greg has worked for Vilas County for 13 years. He is a certified law enforcement trainer, a natural leader and a true asset to the Sheriff's Office.

SILVER STAR



The Silver Star is the third-highest military combat decoration that can be awarded to a member of the United States Armed Forces. It is awarded for gallantry in action:

While engaged in action against an enemy of the United States;

While engaged in military operations involving conflict with an opposing foreign force; or

While serving with friendly foreign forces engaged in an armed conflict against an opposing armed force in which the United States is not a belligerent party.

Actions that merit the Silver Star must be of such a high degree that they are above those required for all other U.S. combat decorations but do not merit award of the Medal of Honor or a Service Cross (Distinguished Service Cross, the Navy Cross, or the Air Force Cross).