

7- Would you support providing additional funding for the rural counties to raise the compensation level of EMT's and Paramedics in each jurisdiction to reduce the critical EMT/Paramedic Shortage in rural areas?

Yes.

Would you support legislation for any of the above issues – Please indicate below:

Yes.

As a former volunteer EMT with the Jefferson Volunteer Fire Company and the Frederick EMT Bike Team, as well as having served as a volunteer Ice Water Rescue and Recover Diver for the 5th District Volunteer Fire Department in Howard County, I understand the issues facing our fire departments and the crisis in the terms of funding. I also believe that we should provide appropriate benefits for those who put their lives on the line serving our state as firemen and EMT's.

Signature: Craig Wolf