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KDOL Honors Ly Tran for Distinguished Accomplishments

TOPEKA, Kan. - The Kansas Department of Labor (KDOL) is proud to announce the winner of its November Employee Recognition and Award Program, Ly Tran who was honored for Distinguished Accomplishments. The KDOL Award Program is designed to recognize individual efforts that epitomize excellence. The success as an agency depends on each and every employee providing premier service, working in a team environment, producing results with cost control in mind, creativity and innovation, while serving their community. KDOL rewards employees who embrace these ideals as their own, taking them to the highest personal level possible in job performance.

Tran applied for and was selected to attend the Wichita/Sedgwick County Citizen Police Academy (CPA). Participants in the CPA program attended weekly sessions for 13 weeks in which they learned about the Wichita Police Department and the Sedgwick County Sheriff's Office. Classroom presentations included topics such as patrol procedures, use of force, SWAT procedures, criminal and traffic crash investigation. Part of the training included dinner and a tour of the Sedgwick County Adult Detention Facility, fingerprint comparison and identification, criminal gang information and the role of the District Attorney's Office. The program included shift rides with a Wichita Police Officer and a Sedgwick County Sheriff's Deputy.

Tran intends to further expand her learning by being a part of the Citizen Police Academy Alumni Association which will afford her with volunteer opportunities both with the Wichita Police Department and the Sedgwick County Sheriff's Office.

Her completion of the Citizen Police Academy is a notable event of achievement that is significant in scope, effort or impact on government operations and service to citizens. This experience will greatly benefit her in the role of Unemployment Tax/Audit investigations.

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