

**Brett House**  
**Oklahoma City Police Department**  
**2009 Stafford Unsung Hero Award Winner**



Inspector Don Hull, Oklahoma City Police Department and 2008 Unsung Hero; Brett House, Oklahoma City Police Department and 2009 Stafford Unsung Hero; Misty Stafford Lipps; and Chief Van Guillotte, Oklahoma Highway Patrol.

An inspirational “Guardian of the Flame” for the past 11 years, Brett House has been a dedicated and remarkable volunteer for Special Olympics Oklahoma for the past 16 years. Described as selfless, compassionate, big-hearted, loyal and devoted, House has been heavily involved in numerous fundraising events such as Polar Plunge, roof sits, motorcycle rides, golf tournaments, Cops on Doughnut Shops and bachelor auctions.

Since 1995 Brett has volunteered for the Unified Softball event at Summer Games in Stillwater and is currently the Assistant Director. On many occasions House has used personal vacation time from work in order to participate and volunteer.

House played a crucial role in the planning of the 2008 International Law Enforcement Torch Run Conference. His responsibility included planning transportation during the conference for more than 1,000 law enforcement officers from around the world during their stay in Oklahoma.

He is a true “Guardian of the Flame.” His devotion to the Law Enforcement Torch Run and Special Olympics is truly rare and inspiring.