

## The Stone Store Donates Materials for a Memorial Garden to Honor Lt. John Ulmschneider



June 22, 2016 - Hanover, Maryland – Last week The Stone Store donated materials to the Prince George's County Fire/EMS Department Station 830, located in Landover Hills, to create a Memorial Garden in honor of Lt. John Ulmschneider. Earlier this year, Lt. Ulmschneider was tragically killed in the line of duty while attempting to assist a citizen of Prince George's County. The products provided by The Stone Store were used to create a path in front of the station that leads to a boulder with a remembrance plaque.

The Stone Store has made countless donations to the community throughout the years, but this one was very different. Kim Himmel, Vice President of The Stone Store, stated, "It was a no brainer. We knew this was a special project to the Ulmschneider family, everyone at Station 830, to the community, and to all of us at The Stone Store. It was the least we could do to express our sympathy for such a tragedy."

Lt. Ulmschneider, also known as Skillet, was a 13 year veteran of Prince George's County Fire Department. He is survived by his wife and 2-year-old daughter. One of his fellow colleges, Sean Moorhouse, recalled him as an "outstanding firefighter, but more importantly, the type of person who would give you the shirt off his back without hesitation." Thanks to the efforts of local businesses and the firefighters of Station 830, the community now has a place to honor the courageous and wonderful man Lt. John Ulmschneider was.

## **About The Stone Store**

The Stone Store provides one of the largest and most unique selections of natural stone and earth products in the Maryland, DC, and Northern Virginia areas. Offering displays including a state-of-the-art showroom and outdoor interactive patios, The Stone Store will help to visualize and plan the next landscape, construction, or decor project. The Stone Store is located at 7535 Railroad Avenue, Hanover, Maryland 21076 (for electronic mapping please enter the city at Harmans). For more information on The Stone Store visit www.thestonestore.com or call 410-766-4242.