

**Lowry First Responders
Awarded Grant from Prairie Lakes Coop**



Photo: L to R: Lowry First Responders: Virgil and June Coziahr, Shawn Stoen and Prairie Lakes Coop Grain Division Manager, Dan Kvitek.

Tuesday, March 02, 2010– Lowry, Minn. – Lowry First Responders recently received a \$1000 grant from Prairie Lakes Coop as part of the company’s Community Grant Program.

Prairie Lakes Coop selected Lowry First Responders to receive a \$1000 grant towards their objective of replacing pagers.

Applying schools and local community organizations have to indicate their plans for the grant money, supply general information about the schools/organizations, project,

and purpose of the request, along with specific financial needs and projected outcomes. Applications can be found online at www.prairielakescoop.com.

“Pagers are an essential tool to the Lowry First Responders. This is how they are notified of an emergency. We are proud to be able to provide funding directly to local organizations which enhance the quality of life for farmers and rural communities,” says Brad Manderschied, Prairie Lakes Coop General Manager.

Members of the Lowry First Responders are: Karin Anderson, June Coziahr, Virgil Caziahr, Ann Drewes, Brenda Hvezda, Dennis Jones, Lisa Olson, Bob Paulzine, Jake Paulzine, Mary Paulzine, Jeannie Person, Deb Peikarski, Kristie Reuss, Teresa Sarff, Jeanette Stoen, Shawn Stoen, Dan Sutton, Denny Tolifson, Greg Tolifson, Adam Zins and Elizabeth Zins.

Prairie Lakes Coop awarded this \$1000 grant to the Lowry First Responders on behalf of its local member owners. Prairie Lakes Coop (prairielakescoop.com), a CHS Service Center, provides products and services in the agronomy, energy, and grain markets to meet the needs of its patrons. Prairie Lakes Coop has locations in the communities of Cyrus, Hoffman, Elrosa, Lowry, Long Prairie, Park Rapids, Glenwood and Starbuck creating relationships with customers in agronomy inputs, propane, fuel, and grain marketing.