

In Memory of John McGregor

We are devastated at the loss of our friend and valued member of the Firehouse team, John McGregor. John came to The Firehouse by way of AmeriCorps. He immediately became a valued member of our team, always willing to help the men who needed it most. John worked as a case manager, and was especially fond of working with Veterans who were experiencing homelessness.

John loved going out with the Street Outreach team, even as a new employee. He was never afraid to go into abandoned houses or other places considered inhabitable, which worried staff at first. However, once we got to know him, we realized that we didn't have to worry about the Marine! He was quiet and calm, but was always focused and alert. John truly had a heart and a passion for helping the underserved, and had expressed interest in going back to school to get his Master of Social Work degree.

John will forever be part of the Firehouse family. His name often comes up with staff, and with clients he helped. Over the upcoming months, we will use our grief at this tragic loss and work hard to channel it into ways that would make John proud. It was an honor and privilege to know him.

