

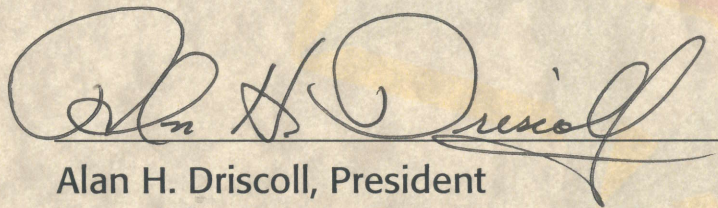
The K9 Medal for Exceptional Service

Presented to

BESY - L444

BESY, who with her handler SSgt. Samantha D. Navarrette, was engaged in 1,250 hours of border patrols and checkpoint operations in Southern Afghanistan as part of Operation Enduring Freedom. Additionally BESY was involved in counter-explosives detection raids in the Wanoke Valley and Lowy Kalay in Nangarhar Province, Afghanistan. In recognition of these accomplishments, BESY is awarded the K9 Medal for Exceptional Service - Number 17.

For uncompromising loyalty and devotion to duty and master, this canine, in union with his courageous partner, have, with complete disregard for the team's personal safety, detected and eliminated terrorist threats to life and property. These actions reflect the highest degree of credit upon the team and the United States Air Force.



Alan H. Driscoll, President
K9s of the War on Terror, Inc.

