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# NEWS RELEASE

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**PROSPER DRUG TAKE BACK SETS NEW RECORD** – This year’s Drug Take Back event in Prosper shattered previous collection records by almost double. Fire Chief Ronnie Tucker (left) along with Firefighter/Paramedic Marty Nevil (center) and Police Officer Erin Hubbard (right) oversaw the four-hour collection on Saturday, April 30 along with Firefighter/Paramedic Dwayne Norvell. In all, the Prosper community turned in enough expired, outdated or unwanted drugs and medications to fill 11 boxes, representing 213 pounds. That’s about twice as much as had been collected last year. The event, cosponsored by the Police and Fire Departments in Prosper, seeks to remove these drugs from the possibility of abuse as well as prevent them from being placed in the trash or water supply system.

*Note: A photo file accompanies this release.*

**ABOUT THE TOWN OF PROSPER** – The Town of Prosper is a fast-growing suburb with small town charm, located 30 miles north of Dallas at the cross roads of U.S. 380, Preston Road and the Dallas North Tollway in Collin and Denton Counties. Prosper sits on 27 square miles and is home to more than 17,800 people. A home-rule municipality, governed by a council-manager form of government, the town has full-time fire and police departments, including its own dispatch service. As the Town grows to its projected build-out population of 70,000 residents, Prosper’s vision is to remain a “Place Where Everyone Matters.”