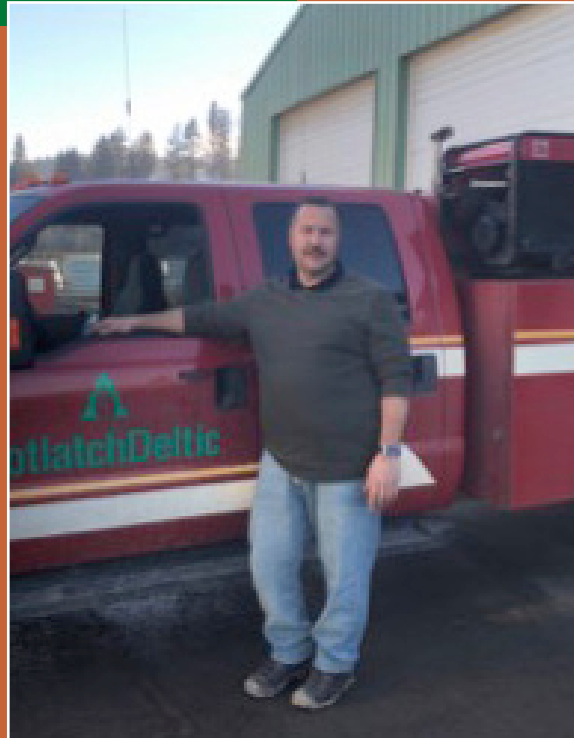
**RON DICKERSON***- St. Maries, Idaho*

**Ron Dickerson** has been an EMT in the St. Maries community for 20 years. Ron puts in two 12-hour shifts a week and two 24-hour weekend shifts a month as a volunteer EMT. Ron is called out to run on any second out ambulances as needed.

Ron is a certified EMT and CPR/First aid instructor as well. Ron provides all the CPR/First Aid training at our site and to the St. Maries community. Ron works on average - 50 hours a week at the complex and still serves his community as one of our most experienced EMT's.

Ron also is a volunteer fire fighter with the St. Maries Fire Department for the past 24 years. Ron always carries a pager with him and responds to calls when he can. Ron told me that "he has probably responded to over 500 calls over the years" Ron said the fire department not only responds to structure fires, but the department is also called out to vehicle accidents and are very good at extracting people from serious car accidents that are trapped.

Ron finds this volunteer work very rewarding and has his family's full support. There have been many holidays that Ron has not been home because of his service to the community.