



CAL FIRE
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Scott M. Jalbert, Unit Chief

November 3, 2016

To: Honorable LOCSD Board of Directors
From: Tom McEwen, Battalion Chief
Subject: Agenda Item 9A – November 3, 2016 Board Meeting
District /CAL FIRE Chief Report for September 2016

EMERGENCY ACTIVITY

1. Station 15 - South Bay responded to 105 calls in September with 3 Simultaneous Calls (Back to Back). One of the Simultaneous Calls required Advanced Life Support (1st: 1, 2nd: 0, Both: 0). Of these 105 incidents, 63 were Medical Calls with 27 requiring Advanced Life Support provided by Paramedics; A CAL FIRE Firefighter rode in to the hospital with SLO Ambulance zero times during the month of September. Two calls required Staging; Two incidents were reported as Traffic Collision; Seven incidents were reported as Fire, 23 as Public Service Assists, and twelve as Emergency.
2. Company 15 was called to cover the station or respond to emergencies in the month of September a total of seven times.

ADMINISTRATION

3. On April 17, 2016 Medic Engine 215 was sent to the Emergency Vehicle Group in Anaheim for mechanical and electrical issues and remained in the shop through September. While Medic Engine 215 was in the shop, SLO County Medic Engine 212 was assigned to Station 15 - South Bay to maintain two vehicles for emergency response.

SPECIAL PROGRAMS/PROJECTS

4. During the month of September, Staff continued preparations for the upcoming Fire Safety Fair that was scheduled to take place on Saturday, October 8, 2016 from 11am-3pm in the Rite-Aid Parking Lot. This annual event includes tours of the Fire Engines, a true-to-life training in the SLO County Firehouse that teaches children to get low, get out and call for help when they see smoke indoors, demonstrations by SLO Ambulance, SLO County Sheriff's Office and SLO County Sheriff's Search & Rescue. In addition, Station 15 – South Bay demonstrate auto extrication techniques using the jaws of life and children can try their hand at our Extinguisher Flash Pan booth or conduct a cliff rescue to save a teddy bear. Smokey Bear enjoys meeting everybody and kids love to participate in our Stamp Station Game for free homemade baked treats.

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5. On September 10, 2016, the on-duty crew attended the Memorial Service for retired South Bay Fire Chief Sam Fields. The service was attended by many current and previous members of South Bay Fire and CAL FIRE. On behalf of Station 15 – South Bay Fire and the LOCSD, retired South Bay Reserve Firefighter Jerry Dillingham presented the family with a framed American Flag that had been flown on the grounds of Station 15 – South Bay Fire.
6. On September 10, 2016, Station 15 – South Bay participated in the “Old Goats & Little Kids” Grandparents’ Day sponsored by the Rotary Club of Los Osos at the South Bay Community Center with tours of Medic Engine 15 and Medic Rescue 15. In addition, Staff distributed brochures and fun trinkets for kids.
7. During the month of September, Station 15 – South Bay advertised in local media and sent out press releases to several media outlets regarding new applicants for our Reserve Company. Upon the application deadline Staff had collected 19 applications. The applicants were scheduled for a Physical Ability test to be held on October 22, 2016 and Oral Interviews were scheduled for October 23, 2016. The application process is the first step in a multi month hiring process for Company 15. Prospective applicants that successfully complete the Physical Ability will be interviewed, receive a background check, and be medically cleared by a physician. Applicants that successfully complete this process will then be provided between 48 and 275 hours of training, depending on pre-existing training prior to being eligible to work shifts or respond to call backs at Station 15 - South Bay. Staff anticipates that the first of these applicants will be eligible to respond in early 2017. Reserve Company 15 currently has 18 of 25 positions filled. With the likelihood of additional Reserves submitting resignations due to advanced career opportunities in the next few months, staff expects to hire 9 applicants, depending on training needs of prospective Reserves.

FIRE PREVENTION

8. On September 21, 2016, Station 15 – South Bay hosted 18 kids (ages 5-9) and their parents from Inspire Charter School for a tour of the Firehouse, including a demonstration of structure fire gear and a chance to climb around in the cab of the Fire Engine. At the conclusion, all the kids went home with a fire hat and sticker badge.

Respectfully Submitted,

Scott Jalbert, Unit Chief
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By Tom McEwen, North Coast Battalion Chief
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CAL FIRE STATION 15 - SOUTH BAY

2016 ANNUAL ACTIVITY LOG

ACTIVITY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
*FIRES - ALL TYPES	7	7	2	5	7	4	3	3	7				45
FALSE ALARMS	3	5	6	3	1	5	8	8	9				48
*RESCUE - EMS	86	59	74	77	74	66	77	83	63				659
ADV. LIFE SUPPORT	46	36	35	37	46	50	50	51	27				378
TRAFFIC COLLISION	1	5	2	3	3	3	5	5	2				29
*SERVICE ASSISTS	18	16	24	10	16	14	15	15	23				151
*EMERGENCY	12	10	5	3	5	5	1	7	12				60
CODE 2 RESPONSE	9	5	9	1	0	15	15	13	5				72
-ZONE I	2	2	0	0	0	1	4	4	1				14
-MDO	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	1				4
-MUTUAL AID	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0				24
SUBTOTAL: OUT OF DISTRICT	2	4	0	0	0	3	5	5	2	0	0	0	42
SUBTOTAL: BACK-TO-BACK	7	2	7	1	1	0	3	4	2				27
SUBTOTAL: BACK-TO-BACK (ALS)	3	1	4	4	3	1	2	2	1				21
2016 TOTAL - MONTHLY	123	92	105	95	102	89	96	108	105	0	0	0	915

2016 CALLS YTD	123	215	320	415	517	606	702	810	915	915	915	915	915
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2015 TOTAL - MONTHLY	135	102	98	81	99	84	81	97	86	94	97	110	1164
2014 TOTAL - MONTHLY	104	85	102	99	109	111	109	92	94	121	95	131	1252
2013 TOTAL - MONTHLY	108	87	108	98	100	122	102	112	115	102	83	113	1250
2012 TOTAL - MONTHLY	95	98	105	100	94	83	105	119	94	118	121	127	1259
2011 TOTAL - MONTHLY	111	72	81	106	97	115	99	91	112	131	89	84	1188
2010 TOTAL - MONTHLY	121	79	93	88	98	86	115	100	103	104	94	96	1177
2009 TOTAL - MONTHLY	84	79	74	126	89	80	86	77	87	148	99	177	1206
2008 TOTAL - MONTHLY	126	123	101	89	110	98	71	105	71	73	77	110	1154
2007 TOTAL - MONTHLY	100	87	90	88	100	60	77	80	94	76	70	95	1017



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Reserve firefighters needed in Los Osos

By Selena Alvarado

The Los Osos Community Services District, along with CAL FIRE and San Luis Obispo County Fire Department Station 15, are looking to hire LOCSD reserve firefighters.

Reserve firefighters are expected to cover two 12-hour shifts per month, attend required training and drills, and return for emergency call backs at Station 15.



Applications must be submitted by Friday, October 14 no later than 5 p.m. with a valid form of ID, Social Security Card, and a DMV report, dated within 30 days. Applicants also will need to turn in a resume. Applications and additional information can be obtained at CAL FIRE Station 15 at 2315 Bayview Heights Drive in Los Osos between Monday-Friday 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

If you have any questions you can call CAL FIRE Station 15 at (805) 528-1053.

Address Inquiries to: (805) 781-5831

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