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**Robert Lewin, Fire Chief**

October 1, 2015

**To: Honorable LOCSD Board of Directors**

**From: Phill Veneris, Battalion Chief**

**Subject: Agenda Item 9A – October 1, 2015 Board Meeting  
District /CAL FIRE Chief Report for August 2015**

**EMERGENCY ACTIVITY**

1. Station 15 - South Bay responded to 97 calls in August with 6 Simultaneous Calls (Back to Back). Five of the Simultaneous Calls required Advanced Life Support (1st: 2, 2nd: 1, Both: 3). Of these 97 incidents, 69 were Medical calls with 42 requiring Advanced Life Support provided by Paramedics; A CAL FIRE Firefighter rode in to the hospital with SLO Ambulance one time during the month of August. Zero calls required Staging; Two incidents were reported as Traffic Collision; Seven incidents were reported as Fire, 14 as Public Service Assists, and seven as Emergency.
2. Company 15 was called to cover the station or respond to emergencies in the month of August a total of 4 times.

**ADMINISTRATION**

1. In August, Station 15 – South Bay started planning for Fire Prevention Week, to be held from October 4 – 10. The campaign message this year is to install smoke alarms in every bedroom, outside each separate sleeping area, and on every level of your home, including the basement. Larger homes may need more alarms. Included in this campaign is the Burn Relay. This year, on Thursday October 8, Medic Engine 215 will visit elementary schools from Nipomo to Los Osos teaching children about fire safety. At the end of the day, a check will be presented to the Alisa Ann Ruch Burn Foundation of annual donations collected by Reserve Company 15.
2. During the month of August, Station 15 – South Bay Staff began preparations for the Annual Fire Safety Fair, previously called Open House, including distribution of a flyer in the LOCSD Water Bills. This year's event will be held on Saturday, October 10, 2015 from 11 am – 3 pm in the Rite-Aid Parking Lot and will feature tours of the SLO County Fire Safety House, Medic Engine 15, Medic Engine 215 and Boat 15. Attendees can also participate in our Gift Certificate Raffle or our Silent Auction, benefitting the Alisa Ann Ruch Burn Foundation ([www.aarbf.org](http://www.aarbf.org)), with a variety of gift baskets for kids of all ages. Firefighters will demonstrate Rescue 42s (struts), Heavy Lifting Airbag Device, "Jaws of Life" and Extinguisher Flash Pan. Experts will also be teaching the technique of 'Hands-Only CPR.' Other Emergency Service Agencies, such as SLO County Sheriff's, San Luis Ambulance, Community Emergency Response Team (C.E.R.T) and Los Osos Focus Group/Emergency Services Advisory Committee will be presenting interesting displays, raffles and vehicles throughout the event. A pulled pork lunch will be available for purchase, provided by our very own South Bay Reserve Company.

## ADMINISTRATION

3. On August 26, 2015 Medic Rescue was taken out of service due to a severe leak in the coolant system. CAL FIRE/Station 15 – South Bay staff immediately staffed Engine 215 and called the on duty CAL FIRE mechanic. The CAL FIRE mechanic purchased the equipment as part of the Cooperative Agreement at no cost to the LOCSD and responded to Station 15 – South Bay. Working with Station 15 – South Bay staff, the CAL FIRE mechanic was able to complete the repair and return Medic Rescue 15 to service the same day.

## SPECIAL PROGRAMS/PROJECTS

4. On Sunday, August 2, 2015, Station 15 – South Bay hosted a CPR/AED Class at the South Bay Community Center. This class was at full capacity with 24 students in attendance. Funding was largely provided by the Fireman's Fund Insurance Company grant award. Assisting with this course, the South Bay Community Center donated their facility and Central Coast CPR provided a 33% discount per student. These collective discounts made it possible for Station 15 – South Bay to offer the course at a rate of \$10/per person.
5. A local mother, who was seeking ways to educate her children and her children's friends about fire safety contacted our office and requested a tour. On August 12, 2015, Station 15 – South Bay hosted a tour with 7 children, ranging in ages from 1-12. Firefighters provided a tour of the Firehouse, Medic Engine 15, Medic Rescue 15, and an overview of firefighting gear along with basic fire safety tips.
6. During the month of August, Station 15 – South Bay advertised on Craigslist and sent out press releases to several media outlets regarding new applicants for our Reserve Company. Applications must be submitted to Station 15 – South Bay by Friday, September 25, 2015. (See attached press release and Tribune article)

## TRAINING

7. On August 19, 2015, Company 15 and CAL FIRE on duty staff at Station 15 – South Bay received the first of several training sessions from Cathy Collins from the SLO County Emergency Medical Division on a new program called "High Performance Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation" or HP CPR. The new program teaches emergency responders how to provide more effective CPR by working more efficiently as a team during CPR. The training basically teaches responders to increase the rate, depth and quality of compressions as well as assigning specific duties and timing the rotation of responders to limit fatigue. Studies have shown that when HP CPR is used, a significantly higher number of patients are saved; especially when CPR is initiated early by bystanders. More HP CPR courses in conjunction with additional civilian training in "Hands Only CPR" in Los Osos is planned by Station 15 – South Bay staff.

## FIRE PREVENTION

8. In early August, 2015, inspections continued on the 4 remaining fire code violations in the District. Station 15 Staff has maintained personal contact with each property owner to encourage compliance prior to citations being issued.

Respectfully Submitted,

Rob Lewin, Unit Chief

**CAL FIRE** / San Luis Obispo County Fire Department



By Phill Veneris, North Coast Battalion Chief

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**CAL FIRE STATION 15 - SOUTH BAY**

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ADV. LIFE SUPPORT	48	25	34	27	36	28	31	42					271
TRAFFIC COLLISION	3	6	2	0	3	2	6	2					24
*SERVICE ASSISTS	27	21	20	8	18	15	13	14					136
*EMERGENCY	3	9	3	6	4	0	5	7					37
CODE 2 RESPONSE	10	8	10	3	7	5	6	11					60
-ZONE I	5	1	1	2	2	0	0	0					11
-MDO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					0
-MUTUAL AID	5	1	1	0	0	0	0	0					25
SUBTOTAL: OUT OF DISTRICT	10	2	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	36
SUBTOTAL: BACK-TO-BACK	4	3	2	1	1	0	1	1					13
SUBTOTAL: BACK-TO-BACK (ALS)	6	1	2	0	1	1	2	5					18
<b>2015 TOTAL - MONTHLY</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>777</b>

<b>2015 CALLS YTD</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>237</b>	<b>335</b>	<b>416</b>	<b>515</b>	<b>599</b>	<b>680</b>	<b>777</b>	<b>777</b>	<b>777</b>	<b>777</b>	<b>777</b>	<b>777</b>
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<b>2014 TOTAL - MONTHLY</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>1252</b>
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<b>2011 TOTAL - MONTHLY</b>	111	72	81	106	97	115	99	91	112	131	89	84	1188
<b>2010 TOTAL - MONTHLY</b>	121	79	93	88	98	86	115	100	103	104	94	96	1177
<b>2009 TOTAL - MONTHLY</b>	84	79	74	126	89	80	86	77	87	148	99	177	1206
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<b>2006 TOTAL - MONTHLY</b>	112	83	81	88	97	84	94	86	72	93	87	99	1076

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## SAN LUIS OBISPO UNIT SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY FIRE



**CONTACT: Phill Veneris, Battalion Chief    RELEASE DATE: August 25, 2015  
(805) 528-1053**

### Reserve Firefighters Wanted

The Los Osos Community Services District, in cooperation with *CAL FIRE/SLO* County Fire Department, Station 15 - South Bay has initiated a hiring process to select prospective LOCSO 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 *CAL FIRE/Station 15 - South Bay*.

In order to qualify for the Reserve Firefighter position, an application must be submitted by Friday, September 25, 2015 no later than 5:00pm with a valid form of ID, a Social Security Card, and a DMV report, dated within 30-days. Reserve Firefighter applications and additional information can be obtained at *CAL FIRE/Station 15 - South Bay*, located at 2315 Bayview Heights Drive in Los Osos, CA (Monday-Friday 8:00am-5:00pm).

The hiring process consists of a Firefighter Physical Ability Test to be held at *CAL FIRE/Station 15 - South Bay*, tentatively set for Saturday, October 17, 2015 at 8:00am. The next step would be Oral Interviews, tentatively set for Sunday, October 18, 2015. The final step will be a background investigation and a successful completion of a pre-employment physical.

If you have any questions, please contact *CAL FIRE/Station 15 - South Bay* Fire Department at (805) 528-1053.

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## Los Osos is hiring reserve firefighters

BY MATT FOUNTAIN

mfountain@htribunenews.com August 25, 2015



The Los Osos Community Services District, in cooperation with Cal Fire Station 15 in the South Bay, is looking to hire a minimum of six reserve firefighters by year's end, a Cal Fire spokeswoman said Tuesday.

Reserve firefighters are expected to cover two 12-hour shifts per month, attend required training and respond to emergency calls at the South Bay station.

In order to qualify, applications must be submitted no later than 5 p.m. on Nov. 17, along with presentation of a valid form of identification, a Social Security card and a DMV report dated within 30 days. Applications and further information can be obtained at the station, 2315 Bayview Heights Drive in Los Osos, between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Should an application be accepted, the hiring process will consist of a physical ability test tentatively scheduled to be held at the station at 8 a.m. on Nov. 22, followed by oral interviews, tentatively set for Nov. 23. The final step will include a background check and successful completion of a pre-employment physical.

For more information, contact the South Bay station at 528-1053.



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*Robert Lewin, Fire Chief*

**November 5, 2015**

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**Subject: Agenda Item 9A – November 5, 2015 Board Meeting  
District /CAL FIRE Chief Report for September 2015**

**EMERGENCY ACTIVITY**

1. Station 15 - South Bay responded to 86 calls in September with 5 Simultaneous Calls (Back to Back). Four of the Simultaneous Calls required Advanced Life Support (1st: 3, 2nd: 0, Both: 1). Of these 86 incidents, 66 were Medical calls with 45 requiring Advanced Life Support provided by Paramedics; A CAL FIRE Firefighter rode in to the hospital with SLO Ambulance twice during the month of September. Three calls required Staging; Nine incidents were reported as Traffic Collision; Three incidents were reported as Fire, 12 as Public Service Assists, and five as Emergency.
2. Company 15 was called to cover the station or respond to emergencies in the month of September a total of 12 times.

**ADMINISTRATION**

1. In September, Station 15 – South Bay continued planning for Fire Prevention Week, to be held from October 4 – 10. The campaign message this year is to install smoke alarms in every bedroom, outside each separate sleeping area, and on every level of your home, including the basement. Larger homes may need more alarms. Included in this campaign is the Burn Relay. This year, on Thursday, October 8th, Medic Engine 215 will visit elementary schools from Nipomo to Los Osos teaching children about fire safety. At the end of the day, a check will be presented to the Alisa Ann Ruch Burn Foundation of annual donations collected by Reserve Company 15.
2. During the month of September, Station 15 – South Bay Staff continued preparations for the Annual Fire Safety Fair, previously called Open House, including distribution of a flyer in the LOCSD Water Bills. This year's event will be held on Saturday, October 10, 2015 from 11 am – 3 pm in the Rite-Aid Parking Lot and will feature tours of the SLO County Fire Safety House, Medic Engine 15, Medic Engine 215 and Boat 15. Attendees can also participate in our Quarter (\$0.25) or Grand Raffles or our Silent Auction, benefitting the Alisa Ann Ruch Burn Foundation ([www.aarbf.org](http://www.aarbf.org)), with a variety of gift baskets for kids of all ages. Firefighters will demonstrate Rescue 42s (struts), Heavy Lifting Airbag Device, "Jaws of Life" and Extinguisher Flash Pan. Experts will also be teaching the technique of 'Hands-Only CPR.' Other Emergency Service Agencies, such as SLO County Sheriff's, San Luis Ambulance, Community Emergency Response Team (C.E.R.T) and Los Osos Focus Group/Emergency Services Advisory Committee will be presenting interesting displays, raffles and vehicles throughout the event. A pulled pork lunch will be available for purchase, provided by our very own South Bay Reserve Company.

## ADMINISTRATION

3. On September 28, 2015, Reserve Firefighter Samuel McElhinney submitted his resignation with 6 years of faithful service to the community of Los Osos. Sam resigned after being offered a full time position as a Fire Engineer – Paramedic position in San Diego. His commitment as the Company Training Liaison was a valuable asset and we wish him great success.

## SPECIAL PROGRAMS/PROJECTS

4. 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 24 applications. Three were determined to be incomplete and the applicants were notified. The remaining applicants were scheduled for a Physical Ability test to be held on October 17, 2015. 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 2016. Reserve Company 15 currently has 20 of 25 positions filled with one on an approved Leave of Absence. 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.
5. On September 13, 2015, 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.
6. On September 21, 2015 A.M. Sun Solar began the installation of solar panels on the southern portion of the Station 15 – South Bay roof. The installation phase of the project concluded on September 25th and PG&E completed an inspection with positive results on September 28th.

## TRAINING

7. On September 2, 2015, 4 South Bay Reserve Firefighters attended a training course at CAL FIRE Station 12 on how to properly refill self-contained breathing apparatus’. This training was coordinated in an effort to reduce the timeframe South Bay staff has previously waited for bottles to be refilled by a third party, as well as assist staff in better tracking LOCSD owned SCBA bottles.
8. On September 15, 2015, Fire Captain – Paramedic Brendan Coalwell lead an on-site facility fire safety training to include the P.A.S.S. method and use of fire extinguishers, along with emergency operations for a probation facility related emergency for approximately 12 newly hired employees of the SLO County Probation Department.

Respectfully Submitted,

Rob Lewin, Unit Chief  
**CAL FIRE** / San Luis Obispo County Fire Department



By Phill Veneris, North Coast Battalion Chief  
**CAL FIRE** / San Luis Obispo County Fire Department



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## Reserve Firefighters Wanted (Los Osos)



compensation: **Starting wage is \$9/hour w/**  
employment type: **contract**

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In order to qualify for the Reserve Firefighter position, an application must be submitted by Friday, September 25, 2015 no later than 5:00pm with a valid form of ID, a Social Security Card, and a DMV report, dated within 30-days. Reserve Firefighter applications and additional information can be obtained at CAL FIRE/Station 15 - South Bay, located at 2315 Bayview Heights Drive in Los Osos, CA (Monday-Friday 8:00am-5:00pm). Applications will not be sent over email under any circumstance.

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If you have any questions, please contact CAL FIRE/Station 15 - South Bay Fire Department at (805) 528-1053.

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venue: Haggen Lot (in Los Osos)

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☎ 805-528-1053



Join us for a super fun day on Saturday, October 10th from 11am-3pm in the Haggen/Rite-Aid Lot. You can meet our Firefighters, learn about fire safety in the home, as well as personal safety through our partnership with agencies like the Sheriff's Department and SLO Ambulance among others. Enjoy some award-winning Bar-B-Q made by our very own, Reserve Company 15.

Participants can spray a live fire using a tool called a fire extinguisher flash pan prop; children can use their imagination while being hoisted on a stokes basket and lowered into a chimney prop to rescue a teddy bear; Attendees can watch our Firefighters in a live auto extrication demonstration where they use the "jaws of life" to remove doors, peel back the roof and much more; kids practice how to get low and get out of the home as they crawl through the SLO County Firehouse, which is a smoke machine equipped RV designed to look like a miniature home complete with a kitchen, living room and bathroom.

In addition, we have booths where kids can play games, dress up, win a sweet treat, along with a Silent Auction featuring 15 custom-made baskets; wine baskets, summer themed baskets, home décor baskets and tons more, with all proceeds benefitting the Alisa Ann Ruch Burn Foundation (national non-profit).

We're so excited!! See you there!

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## Fire Safety Fair – Station 15 South Bay

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October 10, 2015 @ 11 am - 3 pm

Haggen - Rite Aid Parking Lot  
1110 Los Osos Valley Road, Los Osos, CA

(805) 528-1053

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Overview

Comments

South Bay hosts an Annual Fire Safety Fair that seeks to educate the community about health and safety issues and provide a fun event for families. We look forward to our 11th year of this event in the Rite-Aid/Haggen parking lot (1110 Los Osos Valley Road).

The event is a super fun and successful day that serves as a vehicle for our Firefighters to meet the community, teach children and adults about fire safety in the home, as well as personal safety through our partnership with agencies like the Sheriff's Department and SLO Ambulance among others. Last year, we were proud to have taught Hands-Only CPR to over 150 children. Participants can learn about how to use a fire extinguisher on a live fire using a tool called a fire extinguisher flash pan prop; children can use their imagination while being hoisted on a stokes basket and lowered into a chimney prop to rescue a teddy bear; Attendees can watch our Firefighters in a live auto extrication demonstration where they use the "jaws of life" to remove doors, peel back the roof and much more; kids practice how to get low and get out of the home as they crawl through the SLO County Firehouse, which is a smoke machine equipped RV designed to look like a miniature home complete with a kitchen, living room and bathroom.

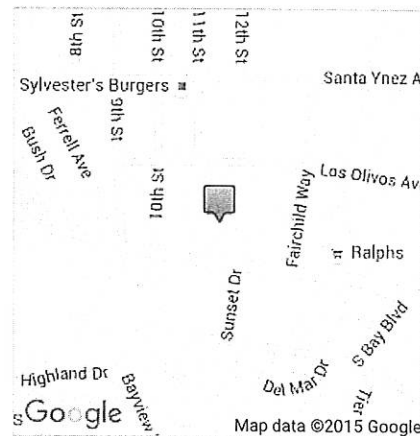
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October 1, 2015 - A Gathering of Scarecrows

October 31, 2015 - Halloween Party

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October 22, 2015 - Poetry in the Library

October 21, 2015 - Kids Craft – Make n' Take

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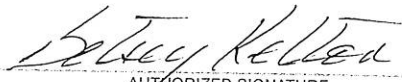
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**Date: 09/09/2015**

REFERENCE	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
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## Roundup

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of life-saving techniques and learn fire safety tips.

A barbecue, raffle, silent auction and appearances by Smokey Bear and Sparky the Fire Dog also will be featured.

Staff from Cal Fire, San Luis Ambulance Services, the San Luis Obispo County Sheriff's Office

and other emergency organizations will be on hand to answer questions.

Firefighters will offer demonstrations of vehicle stabilization, the Jaws of Life and hands-only CPR.

All proceeds from the barbecue, raffle and auction will benefit the Alisa Ann Ruch Burn Foundation.

— Matt Fountain

## Fire Safety Fair set for Los Osos

Cal Fire Station 15 in Los Osos will host a family friendly Fire Safety Fair on Saturday in honor of National Fire Prevention Week.

The free event will be from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Rite Aid parking lot at 1110 Los Osos Valley Road.

The public will be able to tour emergency vehicles, see demonstrations

Please see ROUNDUP, B2

Thank you very  
much for fixing  
the water problem.  
Sept 29th.

I am so grateful.  
May God Bless you.

Sincerely

[Redacted signature]



## Thank you FAE Borja and FAE Garcia

Lewin, Robert@CALFIRE

**Sent:** Thursday, October 15, 2015 3:18 PM

**To:** CALFIRE SLU; CALFIRE Southern Operations Unit and Region Chiefs; Buckshi, Dan@San Luis Obispo; Mike Wright (Rwright2@farmersagent.com); Lewis, James [JLewis@PismoBeach.org]; bgibson@co.slo.ca.us; darnold@co.slo.ca.us; Frank Mecham [fmecham@co.slo.ca.us]; lcompton@co.slo.ca.us; ahill@co.slo.ca.us; slofiredon@yahoo.com; Richard, Danny@CALFIRE

**Attachments:** Gerarda Letter.pdf (313 KB)

I received a handwritten letter retyped in the italics below and attached.

*Dear Sir,*

*I am a very disabled lady, confined to a motorized wheelchair. On 26 September, the day before my 90<sup>th</sup> birthday, I accidentally broke a hosepipe and created a geyser in my backyard. I was so upset and frightened. I didn't know what else to do, so I called 911 and they sent the fire department.*

*Engineer Teddy Borja and Gabriel Garcia arrived within minutes and were so kind. They calmed me down, shut off the water, went to the hardware store and out of their own pocket purchased repair materials, returned and fixed the pipe, and even put out my 3 trash barrels. They left, but an hour later returned with two more firemen and presented me with a balloon that said Happy Birthday and then they sang Happy Birthday to me.*

*Where do we find such men?*

*Sincerely,*



I know that every day our people are humbly serving our community and performing amazing acts of kindness. The actions of Engineer/Medic Teddy Borja and Engineer/Medic Gabriel Garcia demonstrate the goodness of our people and the dedication to service our CAL FIRE family believes in. I am both touched by their actions and proud that I can be in the ranks of a Department where individuals like this exist.

Thank you to these two firefighters, and to all of you who have, even without notice, done the same.

**This is what we do. This is who we are.**

Robert Lewin, Fire Chief  
CAL FIRE/San Luis Obispo  
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