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To: Honorable LOCSO Board of Directors

From: Greg Alex, Battalion Chief

**Subject: Agenda Item 4A – August 2, 2018 Board Meeting
District /CAL FIRE Chief Report for July 2018**

EMERGENCY ACTIVITY

1. Station 15 - South Bay responded to 138 calls between June 20-July 23, including 102 Medical Aids and 6 Traffic Collisions; 3 incidents were reported as Fire, 1 as Hazardous; 18 as Public Service Assists.
2. Company 15 was called to cover the station or respond to emergencies 3 times between June 20-July 23.

ADMINISTRATION

3. The Emergency Services Advisory Committee met on July 24th to discuss the capabilities of Station 15 – South Bay Fire and SLO County Fire, as well as the Fire Department's Work Plan.

SPECIAL PROGRAMS/PROJECTS

4. The eight prospective Station 15 – South Bay Reserve Firefighter candidates continued completing steps needed to become employees of the LOCSO. In July, all of the candidates successfully completed a medical evaluation and were cleared by a doctor to be Fit Tested for Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus as required by OSHA as well as to work for the LOCSO. Each candidate was issued a department uniform and personal protective equipment (turn-outs).
5. During the month of July, Staff began collecting competitive price quotes to purchase a new Command Vehicle in FY 2017/2018 that meets the municipal needs of Los Osos, as well as CAL FIRE/SLO County Fire Department.
6. During the month of July, Station 15 – South Bay Fire advertised the sale of Medic Rescue 15 in an on-line magazine, Firetec. The Medic Rescue is a 2003 Ford F-550 4WD with 63,464 miles. A company based in Hawaii requested purchase of the vehicle for the negotiated price of \$30,000. FireTec, the Apparatus Vendor, is processing the necessary paperwork to secure the sale in August 2018.

TRAINING

7. On July 21, 2018, Station 15 – South Bay Fire hosted a local citizen who is interested in joining the fire service for an 8-hour Ride-Along. This young man was able to observe what it's like to live in a firehouse. He also observed firefighters while responding to emergency calls, and participated in daily chores, exercise routines and vehicle checks/maintenance.


8. On July 28 and 29, a Rookie Academy was held at Station 15 – South Bay Fire for the prospective Reserve Firefighter candidates. The Rookie Academy includes 16-hours of training and instruction on fire and medical response, as well as cliff rescues.

FIRE PREVENTION

9. From July 16 through July 18, 2018 Station 15 – South Bay Staff and Reserve Firefighters conducted second inspections on the 421 original lots found in violation of the fire code. In total, 116 violations remained (Vegetation Violations: 79, Address Violations: 37) and notices were sent to the property owners. They were given two weeks to correct the violations.

Respectfully Submitted,

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CAL FIRE STATION 15 - SOUTH BAY

2018 ANNUAL ACTIVITY LOG

ACTIVITY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
FIRE - ALL TYPES	13	14	8	3	9	5	3						
FALSE ALARM	11	8	3	2	7	3	3						
HAZ-MAT	5	5	6	4	4	2	1						
RESCUE - EMS	89	79	63	63	94	53	102						
TRAFFIC COLLISION	5	2	4	3	6	4	6						
SURF RESCUE	2	3	2	3	1	0	2						
SERVICE ASSIST	13	19	17	26	17	8	18						
COMPANY 15 CALLBACK	11	6	10	6	7	0	3						
2018 TOTAL - MONTHLY*	149	136	113	110	145	75	138	0	0	0	0	0	866

2018 CALLS YTD	149	285	398	508	653	728	866	866	866	866	866	866	866
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PREVIOUS ACTIVITY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
2017 TOTAL - MONTHLY	129	104	130	124	96	123	121	100	132	108	106	97	1370
2016 TOTAL - MONTHLY	123	92	105	95	102	89	96	108	105	93	102	141	1251
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

* Note: The total monthly statistic is a combination of main categories (shaded) and sub-categories (not shaded).