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To: Honorable LOCSO Board of Directors
From: Paul Provence, Battalion Chief
Subject: **Agenda Item 2A – October 2, 2025 Board Meeting**
District /CAL FIRE Chief Report for September 2025

ADMINISTRATION

1. During the month of September, Reserve Firefighters Owen Taffe and Canyon Wisz resigned. We thank them for their time with Station 15 – South Bay and wish them luck in their future endeavors!
2. Fire Apparatus Engineer – Paramedic, Connor Pompa, left Station 15 – South Bay to accept a Captain promotion. Connor has served the community of Los Osos for 15 months. We wish him a bright and successful future!
3. Station 15 – South Bay hired Staff Services Analyst, Krystian Rodriguez, but the newly added Fire Apparatus Engineer position remains vacant at this time.

SPECIAL PROGRAMS/PROJECTS

4. Throughout the month of September, Station 15 – South Bay Staff continued working with lots within the District for violations to the Los Osos Community Services District Ordinance 2025-01. In total there are 5 final properties that have not been compliant.
5. On September 7, 2025, Station 15 – South Bay participated in the Family Fun Fair - Grandparents Day at South Bay Community Center, presented by the Los Osos Rotary Club.
6. On September 21, 2025, Station 15 – South Bay participated in the Los Osos International Festival, presented by St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church.
7. Station 15 – South Bay is always accepting Reserve Firefighter applications. Applications may be picked up and turned in at 2315 Bayview Heights Drive Los Osos, CA 93402. The application packet may also be found online at <https://www.losososcsd.org/hiring-reserve-firefighters>.

Respectfully Submitted,

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