

Mosquito Fire Protection District Monthly Progress

Meeting Date:

December 19, 2024

To The Community

We here at the Fire District want to wish each and everyone, a Merry Christmas, with a blessed and Happy New Year.

It has been a very crazy year to say the least. There have been considerable accomplishments and successes here, with so much to be proud of. Looking back, If I were to choose what I believe was the greatest accomplishment, I'd have to say it is our personnel both on the Fire side and Support Group side. Their growth and development of capabilities as firefighters and emergency medical and Community Emergency Responders has been considerable. Their ability to conduct operations in all hazards emergency management and professional growth is to me unprecedented.

This year our personnel have faced considerable challenges in Emergency Response. On the line for the Crozier Fire, 6 structure fires with 4 building saves. Treatment management and transportation of critical medical patients all who have recovered well. We have opened avenues of communication throughout the community, allowing community groups to part of what serves this Fire District.

We still have considerable obstacles to navigate, to ensure that the community is best served. We are looking at all funding streams, as we find new ways to increase income to our personnel without impacting the budget, these go hand and hand with service. As we increase our members' professional abilities, we also increase the Fire Districts' potential for revenue generation as we provide to the community a higher level of service.

This last Fire Season, our personnel deployed to the Crozier Fire, 2 Preposition Task Force Assignments and the Bridge Fire.

Revenue generated from working the Crozier Fire and the two proposition Task Force Deployments, equals \$86,475.20, when subtracting personnel costs, the Fire District earned an income of \$57,000.06 for roughly 15 days' work.

We were also able to increase our personnel's income by 1/3 of their annual income, without impacting our budget. **

This does not include employee fees and all are estimates of earnings

Public Safety and Training:

Nothing to report

Support Group Training:

Monthly Training on the first Saturday of each month.

Department Training and Safety:

Driver Operator 1-A January 12-15

1- B will be conducted. January 21-25

All District Members are welcome to be present, currently only Firefighters will be assigned to the class for Certification

Operations Report:

Delegation of Operational Assignments are being made to Fire Personnel, to better organize and build on the Fire District's Service Capabilities. More information to come.

Recruitment & Retention:

The Support Group/Firefighters will be holding a Recognition Night in February. Date to be determined. I will be asking the Support Group to vote for Support Group Member of the year, and the Firefighters will vote for Firefighter of the year.

REQUSTS FOR SERVICE

Medical Calls:	18
Motor Vehicle Accidents:	0
Structure Fires:	1
Public Assist:	2
Smoke Check:	0
Medicals	15

Logistics: Nothing to report.

Fire Chief's Association/El Dorado County Regional Fire Authority:

Nothing to report.