



GOLDEN GATE

Fire Protection District

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To: Board of Directors

From: Damian DiFeo, Fire Chief

Subject: April Chief's Report

Date: April 15, 2021

Administration

- Still working on cleaning up QuickBooks

Personnel

- Currently have 16 members on the department. 11 in-district (including myself), 4 shift & 1 resident Firefighter.
- We brought on three new members in April and will bring on one more in a few months when he finishes EMT class.

Operations

- We have run 22 calls to date, compared to 21 at this time last year.

Communications/Jeffcom

- No report

Stadium Ambulance

- No report

Strategic plan

- Chief Ondr and I have completed the feasibility study document and we will be presenting that to our study committee for review and will schedule a meeting to discuss.

Budget

- No report

Education/Training & Travel

- I met with TLFDD training division and did a first quarter review of our training IGA. TLFDD is currently spending about 2-4 hours a week working on GGFD training stuff which is inline with our original estimate of 12-hours per month. We are going to adjust the payment for those services to a quarterly payment rather than monthly to simplify the process.

- Our new recruits will be attending 130/190 wildland academy at TLFD starting April 27th.
- We have one recruit from our last onboarding in a FF I/Haz-Mat OP's academy at Pleasant View Fire & one recruit in Goldens academy.

Inspections/planning & Zoning

- Completed one sprinkler system review & issued permit.
- The Wilde ranch rezoning application has been withdrawn.
- Did one driveway inspection and issued permit letter.
- Issued three insurance letters.

Grants

- No report

Stations/Maintenance/Equipment

- No report

Miscellaneous

- Looking into satellite internet service for station 83 with a company called Starlink
- I am also talking to a company that wants to bring fiber up the canyon and give us free internet service in exchange for housing their internet equipment at station 81 & 83.

Chief activity/meetings since last board meeting

- Interviewed two Paramedic applicants for Stadium Medical at Golden Fire
- Attended Central fire monthly EMS meeting (zoom)
- Attended the Jeffcom board meeting (zoom)
- Attended CODE RED review and update with Jeffcom (zoom)
- Attended the Jeffco wildfire risk reduction meeting (zoom)
- Attended Jefferson County Fire Marshals meeting (zoom)
- Attended meeting with TLFD to review training IGA (zoom)
- Responded to three calls.