



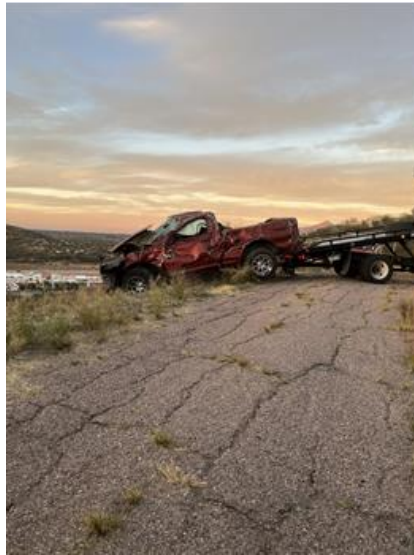
Fire Chief's Weekly Update – November 18, 2022

- ❖ Chief Horvath and DC Rivera attended the Southern Arizona School Safety Preparedness Consortium Meeting hosted at Rio Rico High School on Tuesday. Topics at the meeting included Reunification, Emergency Operations, and Emergency Communications.
- ❖ Chief Horvath met with SC County Unified School District and SC County Community Development to discuss and prepare for a planning grant. The intent of the planning grant will be to study the feasibility of a thoroughfare between I-19 and Pendleton near Santa Gertrudis Lane.
- ❖ Chief Horvath attended the Pima County Fire Chiefs meeting on Wednesday morning at Drexel Heights Fire District.
- ❖ SCC Board of Supervisors will canvas the election results at their meeting on Tuesday. We will have final election results after the meeting on Tuesday. Here are the election results as of today:
 - Herb Wisdom – 1,864 votes
 - Sandy Johnson – 1,693 votes
 - Mindy Maddock – 1,654 votes
- ❖ Unfortunately Prop #310 did not pass statewide. Arizona Fire District Association is currently assessing the results and will continue pursuing other revenue options for fire districts.
- ❖ Administration Offices will be closed next Thursday and Friday. There will not be a weekly update next week.

Operations Report – DC Guerrero

- ❖ Tubac Fire hosted an internal Advanced Cardiac Life Support class for recertification on Monday with 5 internal participants. Thank you Laura for setting this up.
- ❖ Met with Santa Cruz Valley Fire and discussed grant funding options for Hazard Mitigation and adopting a Fire Wise community model.
- ❖ DC B. Guerrero assisted Nogales Fire with their Captains promotional process.
- ❖ Tim Slate and Tim Zamora completed the Blue Card training last week and are now certified Blue Card Incident Commanders.
- ❖ Handtevy application has been updated with the latest protocols updates and with the new CPR assist. Provider course dates to be determined.
- ❖ Thank you to those that reached out about the Blue Card online training. Reyver and Charlie will be completing the online portion and will participate in the Sim Lab training early next year. If you are interested in attending please let me know, I may be able to squeeze one more in.
- ❖ Henry and Uriel attended the confined space training this week as they continue to learn all the disciplines needed to be Technical Rescue Technicians.

- ❖ A-Shift responded to a vehicle roll-over last weekend involving 3 minors. Two of the patients were ejected, one was flown out and the other two patients were transported with serious injuries.



- ❖ Crews will be working on First In Hazmat SOG and training this month as part of our monthly crew trainings.
- ❖ B-shift participated in a safety day and Turkey Trot event at San Cayetano. They responded mutual aid to Arivaca for a structure fire in Tender 721.
- ❖ Fire Academy is set to begin November 28th. The recruits are finishing up the onboarding process.

Public Education Update - Charlie Alvarez

- ❖ Crews participated in the San Cayetano Turkey Trot and Safety Day on Wednesday
- ❖ CPR is now offered in Spanish.
- ❖ Charlie Alvarez is now considered a faculty instructor which means he can now teach a CPR instructor class. We are looking for 3 instructor candidates.



Wildland Update

- ❖ All crews and vehicles in service in district.

Update from DC Rivera

- ❖ Meeting with Santa Cruz Valley Fire to discuss fuel mitigation funding potential. More to come later.
- ❖ Attended Southern Arizona School training at Rio Rico High School, was very informative. Looking at reviewing Emergency Operation Plan for the school.
- ❖ Attended LEPC meeting more talk about Title 42 end and possible impact to the community. Very good discussion by Law enforcement and CBP.

“Whoever is on your mind probably needs your time.”
Brian G. Jett



***Happy Birthday Mary Dahl
(November 20), and Martin
Lujan (November 24)!!***



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Those impacted by mental health issues and substance use are often faced with additional challenges during the holiday season. Advanced Recovery Systems created a series of webinars for individuals and health care providers to provide a better understanding about how to help support those in need during the holidays. Below are the upcoming webinars and registration links:

- November 21: Navigating the Holiday Season

(1:30 PM- 3:00 PM EST/ 11:30 AM- 1:00 PM MST)

>https://my.demio.com/ref/8oA7xyYwz5DRbJs/?utm_source=marketing_cloud&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=eventemail

- November 22: Supporting Loved Ones During the Holiday Season

(1:30 PM- 3:00 PM EST/ 11:30 AM- 1:00 PM MST)

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- November 30: Managing Holiday Stress

(12:00 PM- 1:30 PM EST/ 10:00 AM- 11:30 AM MST)

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- December 27: Planning for the New Year & Setting SMART Goals

(1:30 PM- 3:00 PM EST/ 11:30 AM- 1:00 PM MST)

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