

# SIERRA COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT #1

## 2021 ACCOMPLISHMENT REPORT

- ✓ Provided Suppression Resources to support:
  - ❖ Beckwourth Complex
  - ❖ Dixie Fire
  - ❖ Tennant Fire
  - ❖ Windy Fire
  - ❖ CAL-OES Local Pre-Position Contingency
- ✓ Appointed Interim Chief Connolly to SCFPD #1 District Chief
- ✓ Acquired Type II Engine (E-282)
- ✓ Replaced Siding on Calpine Station
- ✓ 90% Complete on PSPS Grant by installing generators at Calpine and Sierraville Stations
- ✓ Completed 50/50 VFA grant for Wildland PPE
- ✓ Supported Fire Wise efforts in: Sierra Brooks, Loyalton Pines, Sierraville, Calpine and Verdi
- ✓ Established a new Cooperative Agreement with Tahoe NF
- ✓ Established payment policy for volunteers responding to fires on the Tahoe NF
- ✓ Accomplished FY 20/21 Mitigation Fee Report
- ✓ Negotiated new tracking system with the County for Mitigation Fees.
- ✓ Invested \$5,000 in Mitigation Fees in Verdi Cistern Parking Control System
- ✓ Supported County effort on correcting 2 public nuisance properties in Sierraville and engaged in enforcement on one case in Loyalton Pines and one in Verdi.
- ✓ Supported Calpine Water District's effort to dredge Calpine Reservoir
- ✓ Revised Conflict of Interest Policy
- ✓ Established new Financial and Investment Policy including Finance Committee and Credit Card Use Policies
- ✓ Established new agreement with the Roen Company for use of dozers
- ✓ Implemented new on-line incident reporting system

- ✓ Linked Verdi CA into TM Fires' Community Connection System
- ✓ Supported Sierra County's "Sierra Valley Community Protection Project" grant
- ✓ Supported USFS "Blatchley Project"
- ✓ Recruited Commissioner (McCollum)
- ✓ Continued planning with Sheriff for new dispatch system
- ✓ Participated with TM Fire and Sierra Co. regarding open fire prohibitions
- ✓ Established Apparatus Standing Committee
- ✓ Surplused excess equipment and apparatus (Grass 7 and Maintenance Vehicle)
- ✓ Established new purchase tracking system and vehicle maintenance scheduling format
- ✓ Adopted a MOU between the District and Sierraville PUD Regarding Hydrant Maintenance and Water Supply
- ✓ Collected and studied emergency response data from Truckee Meadows Fire District, Loyalton Fire Department and SCFDP#1.
- ✓ Maintained National Reporting Requirements.
- ✓ Supported CXA Special Districts Assoc. in their Legislative efforts to secure Federal Funding for COVID 19 relief for Special Districts.
- ✓ Reviewed and ensured proper funding for Loyalton Fire Department from the City of Loyalton per terms of Fire Service Agreement
- ✓ Conducted a District Meeting in Verdi to answer Residents Questions and to give an overview of how the District is organized.
- ✓ Purchased a surplused 2006 Chevy 2500 Cal Fire vehicle to serve as an updated command vehicle and equipped it with state of the art communication equipment
- ✓ Contracted with a training and retention consultant for ongoing support for those activities.
- ✓ Conducted a fuels reduction operation at 100 E. Main in Sierraville to protect Station 82 and at the Calpine Water District Well to protect critical infrastructure.
- ✓ Supported three grant based fuels reduction projects within the District.
- ✓ Conducted a Fire Hydrant inventory and inspection on all hydrants in the District.
- ✓ Adopted an updated pre-payment policy for Volunteers who participate in paid suppression responses.

- ✓ Adopted proposal to Re-Number apparatus
- ✓ Participated in Robert DeMartini's 50 year service celebration