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## San Francisco Fire Department Meritorious Awards Ceremony

## \*\*Media Opportunity\*\*

On Wednesday, November 15, 2017, the San Francisco Fire Department will host an awards ceremony, recognizing their members for Meritorious Conduct, actions that go above and beyond the call of duty.

"Our members consider everything that they do as their call of duty, but it's important for them to know that their actions don't go unnoticed," said Fire Chief Joanne Hayes-White. "Day in and day out, our members do great things. This is a time that we set aside to acknowledge them and to thank them for upholding the finest traditions of the San Francisco Fire Department...saving lives and property. This is also an opportunity for their families to see why the sacrifices they make to support their loved ones are worth it."

Awards will be presented for meritorious conduct, on and off-duty. Multiple Unit Citations, Class A, Class B and Class C Medals will be issued. In addition, the Chief of Department will be presenting an Endowed Medal for the most heroic Act in the two-year award cycle (http://sf-fire.org/meritorious-conduct-awards).

WHO:	Chief Joanne Hayes-White San Francisco Fire Department Command Staff
WHAT:	San Francisco Fire Department Meritorious Awards Ceremony
WHEN:	Wednesday, November 15, 2017 – Ceremony will begin at 6:30PM
WHERE:	Archbishop Riordan High School in the Lindland Theatre, 175 Phelan Ave, San Francisco, CA 94112

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