



San Francisco Fire Department

**Deputy Chief of Administration
Thomas O'Connor**

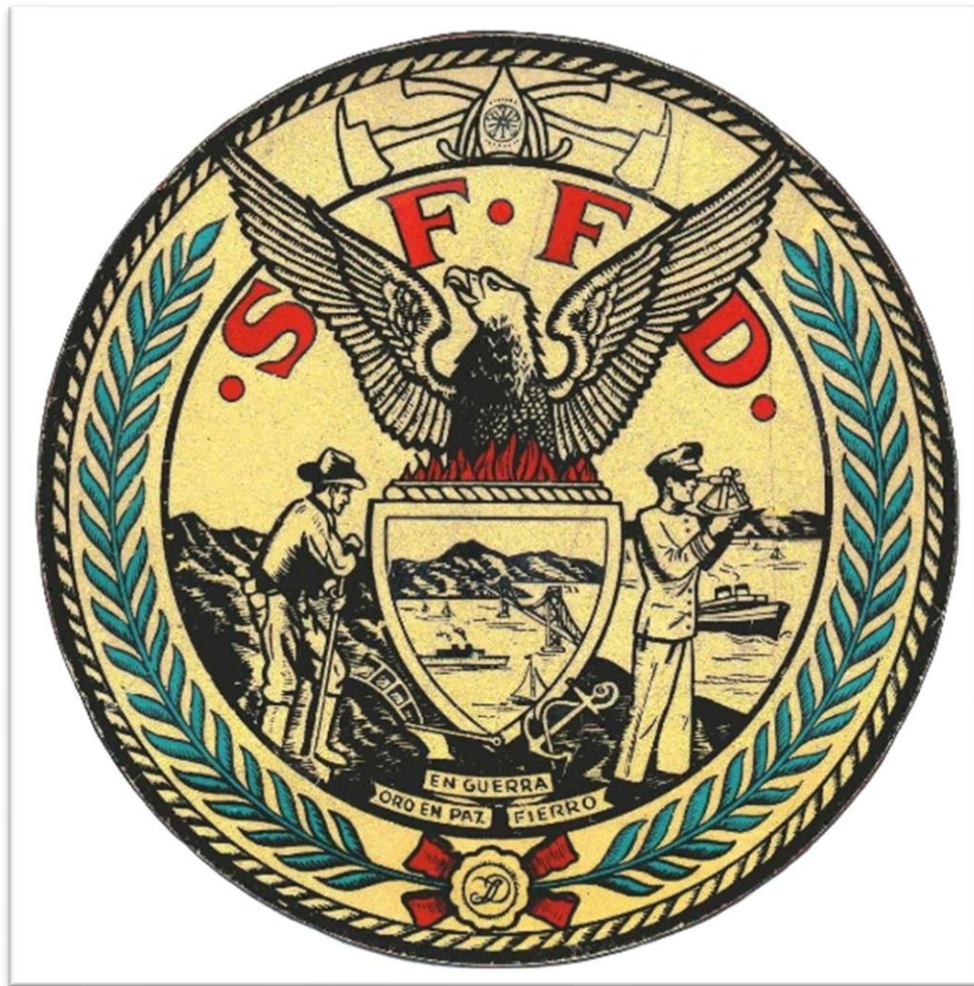
**Fire Commission Report
August 2022**

Glossary of Terms

5/5	Out of service/Out of order
300A Form	OSHA Summary of Work-Related Injuries and Illnesses
3807 Event	Injury Report - did not require medical treatment
5020 Event	Injury Report - required medical treatment
ACLS	Advanced Cardiac Life Support
ACS	Auxiliary Communications Service
ADF	Ambulance Deployment Facility
AHIMT	All Hazards Incident Management Team
AOA	Airfield Operating Area (secured airfield area)
ARFF	Aircraft Rescue Firefighting (airport apparatus used on the airfield for fighting aircraft incidents)
AWSS	Auxiliary Water Supply System
BAAQMD	Bay Area Air Quality Management District
BATEP	Bay Area Training & Exercise Program
BAUASI	Bay Area Urban Areas Security Initiative
BBR	Bureau of Building Repair (Department of Public Works)
BHU	Behavioral Health Unit (formerly known as the Stress Unit)
BLS	Basic Life Support
BOE	Bureau of Equipment
BUF	Bureau of Urban Forestry
CA TF3	California Task Force 3 - Urban Search and Rescue
CERS	California Environmental Reporting System
CIRT	Critical Incident Response Team
CJAC	California Fire Fighter Joint Apprenticeship Committee
DBE	Design-Build Entity
DBI	Department of Building Inspection
D & D	Doffing and Donning
DEM	Department of Emergency Management
DOC	Department Operations Center
DOC	Daily Operational Check
DOT	Department of Training
EAP	Event Action Plan for Planned Events
EAP	Employee Assistance Program
EFWS	Emergency Firefighting Water System
EHMR	Elastomeric Half-Mask Respirator
EMS PIP	EMS Performance Improvement Plan
EOC	Emergency Operations Center
FAR	Federal Aviation Regulations (FAA guidelines for operating)
FDOC	Fire Department Operations Center
FFCCS	Fire Fighter Cancer Cohort Study
HAZWOPER	Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response
HPH	High Pressure Hydrant
HRET	High Reach Extendable Turret (piercing nozzle on ARFF rig)
HSS	Health Service System
IAFF	International Association of Firefighters

IAP	Incident Action Plan
IPSDI	International Public Safety Data Institute
JOC	Job Order Contracting
LARRO	Low Angle Rope Rescue Operational
LODD	Line of Duty Death
MCI	Multi Casualty Incident
MEP	Mechanical, Electrical and Plumbing
MSE	Minor Sidewalk Repair
NCRIC	Northern California Regional Intelligence Center – member of the National
NFA	National Fire Academy
NFORS	National Fire Operations Reporting System
NIOSH	National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health
NTP	Notice to Proceed
OES	Office of Emergency Services
ORD	Outreach, Recruitment and Development
PSS	Peer Support Team
PX Members	Probationary Members
RC	Rescue Captain
RS	Rescue Squad
SCBA	Self Contained Breathing Apparatus
SFIA	San Francisco International Airport
SPCC	Spill Prevention Control and Countermeasures Plan
TDA	Tractor Drawn Aerials
TITF	Treasure Island Training Facility
USCG	United States Coast Guard
UST	Underground Storage Tank
VAR	Vehicle Acquisition Request
WDO	Working Day Off
WOW	Wellbeing at Work
WMD	Weapons of Mass Destruction

Homeland Security



***Homeland Security
ADC Erica Arteseros Brown
August 2022***

Meetings/ Training & Exercises Attended:

- SFFD
 - CD1 Monthly Meeting
 - CD3 weekly meetings
 - Fire Commission Meeting 8/24
 - Budget meeting – Grants Update
 - G191 EOC Interface Training Course
 - Wide Area Search (WAS) for disaster response training course
 - Committees
 - High Rise

- Training & Exercise
 - G626 Emergency Operations Center Planning Course
 - Drone refresher training for SFFD pilots
 - Active Shooter Drill with SFPD
 - NERT/SFFD Disaster rescue drill

- CCSF
 - EOC bi-weekly update meetings
 - Outside Lands Planning Meeting
 - Sharkfest Swim response debrief
 - Across the Bay 12k race Citywide meeting
 - Portola Music Festival Citywide planning meeting

- NorCal Incident Management Team Working Group (AHIMT)

- DEM
 - Training, Exercise, Credentialing & Planning Meeting
 - Credentialing Task Force Meeting
 - Citywide Integrated Preparedness and Training Plan (IPP) workshop

- FEMA CA-TF3
 - Canine Unit
 - Monthly Drills
 - New Handler recruitment attendance at training
 - Rescue/Hazmat/Logistics/Comms specialists
 - Monthly drills

- Mutual Aid
 - No IMT deployments in August

- Department of Homeland Security n/a
- Fleet Week
 - DSCA* Exercise Planning Meetings
 - 2022 Overall Fleet Week August Planning meeting with Military Partners
- Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI)
 - SPR Workshop: The Stakeholder Preparedness Review (SPR) is a self-assessment of a jurisdiction's current capability levels against the targets identified in the Threat and Hazard Identification and Risk Assessment (THIRA) for operational Coordination, Preparedness and Situational Awareness
 - SPR Workshop as above for Recovery for critical infrastructure
 - UASI Approval Authority pre-meeting
 - Securing the Cities (STC) Principal Partners Meeting

Incident Management Team Development:

- Emergency Operations Center (EOC) courses for Fire Department Operations Center (FDOC) staffing and Department of Emergency Management (DEM) support. All G611 series classes offered.

Planned Events:

Outside Lands
Pistahan Parade and Festival

NCRIC:

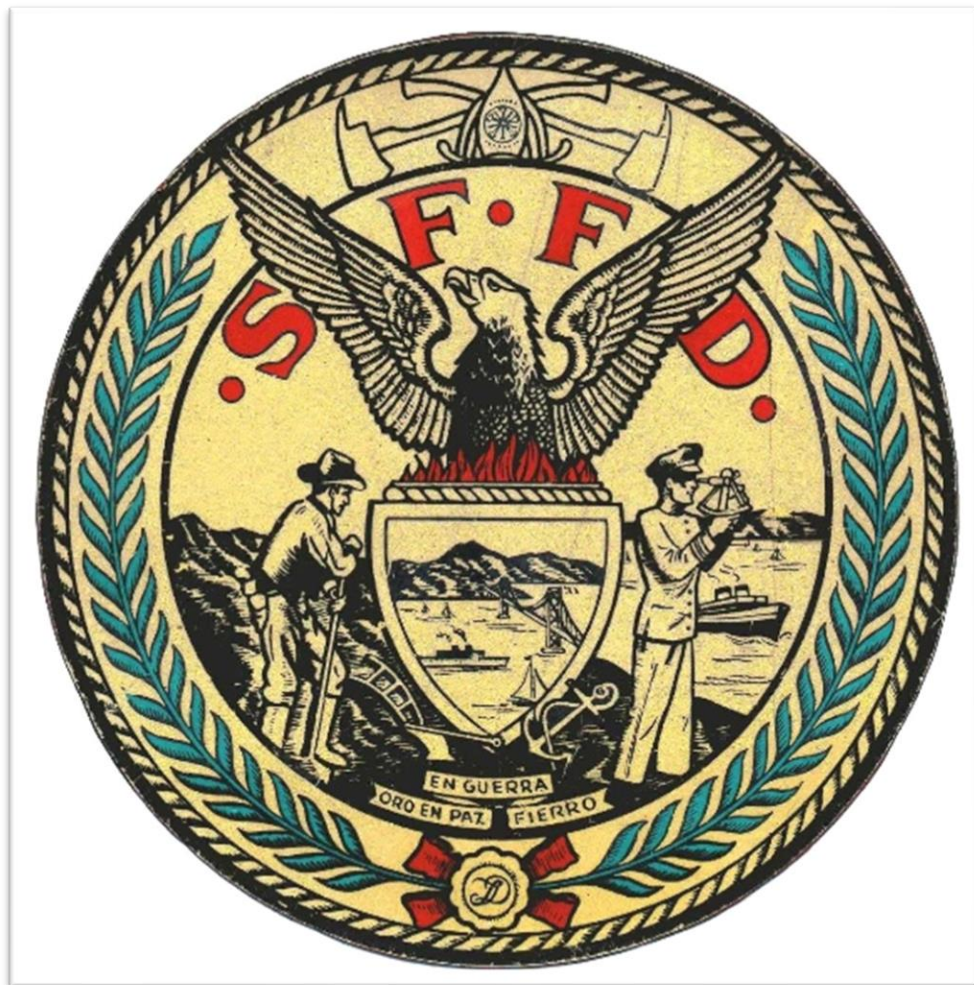
- SAR (suspicious activity report) reporting and review of alerts
- Situational Awareness Distribution to EAP Group
- Update meeting with Terrorism Liaison Officer (TLO)

On-going Coordination/Projects:

- Mobile Command- Next Steps and On-going Training
- Disaster Manual updates ongoing- Committee Chair coordination
- Disaster Checklist Project
- UASI grants management
- FDOC
 - Maintain situational awareness
- SFPD Operational Orders distribution

*DSCA. Defense Security Cooperation Agency. Department of Defense agency for cooperation with Civilian entities.

Health, Safety and Wellness



Health, Safety and Wellness
BC Matthew Alba

Commission Meeting Report for Health, Safety, and Wellness August 2022

Every Other Monday: Health and Safety Roundtable
Every Tuesday: Meet with Chief O'Connor
Every other Tuesday: Health and Safety Meeting
Every Wednesday: Meet with Behavioral Health Unit
Third Thursday: PEER support & Critical Incident Response Team Meeting

- Chaplaincy Program – HS&W is seeking 3-5 members to be on the Chaplaincy Program Committee.
- Post-Strike Team Deployment Protocols – Recognizing we don't have any health information upon returning from deployments, I have created a list of 3-4 health supplements along with information about: Nutrition, Sleep, & Hydration. It is currently in preparation stage and will consult with the Physician's Office before requesting CD1 approval to distribute members returning from strike team deployments.
- Facility Dog Policy – Completed and awaiting approval from CD1
- Resiliency Training was given to the 130th Recruit Class (4 hours) by our BHU Member
- Our 2 BHU Members are contacted by an average of 5-6 people per day for various reasons. (For example: Stress, Alcohol & substance Abuse, PTSD, marital/partner problems...)
 - Each person who contacts our BHU Member spends anywhere from 30 minutes – 4 hours average / person.
- COVID tests have been reordered. We currently have 1700 tests with an expiration date of March 2023. Reorder amount: 2240 tests and 450 confirmatory tests. (Arriving in late September)
- I have requested the San Francisco Firefighters Cancer Prevention Foundation to purchase Gear Bags for the purpose of minimizing exposures with the goal of having it be incorporated in next year's equipment budget.
 - Because Firefighters (when detailed) must take their turnouts in their car and if it's not a pickup truck, the turnouts are in a shared space with other family members.

- FDNY Cancer in Kids Study - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dz23_Wj2ArE
- Attended an audit of SDFD's Family Wellness Day in San Diego.
 - It covered topics such as: Behavioral Wellness Overview, Critical Incident Testimony, Dealing with Anger & Management
 - The second half of the day the recruit's family members were invited to hear a breakout of the trials and tribulations of having a child/partner in the fire service and explaining things to expect: Mandatories, Deployments, being gone a long time. At the same time, the recruits were given a lecture on what to expect at their first house and what to expect with the fire culture
 - I am having conversations with ADC Kaialoa to bring this to the SFFD

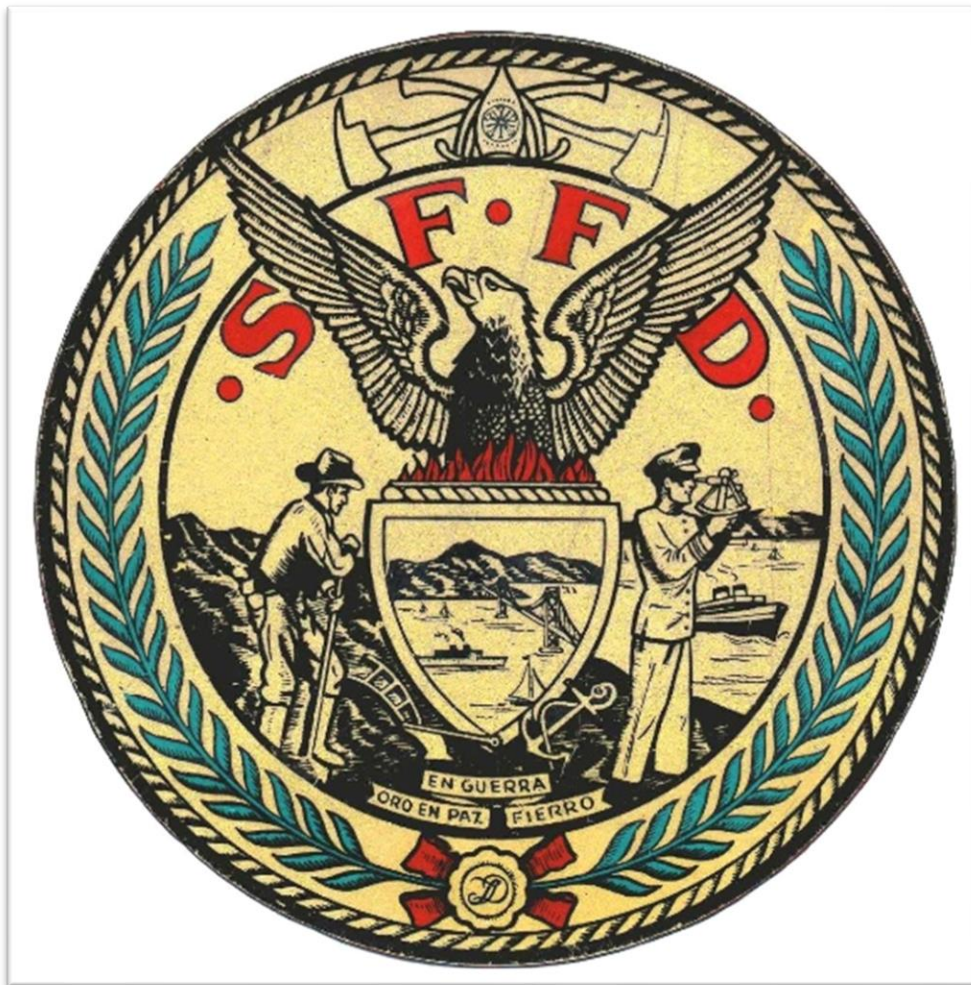
MEDIA

- I was interviewed by PBS Newshour, along with CD1 and Tony Stefani (President of the San Francisco Firefighters Cancer Prevention Foundation). We did a ride-along with Engine 1. They are doing a story on PFAS in our turnouts and how it contributes to our high amounts of occupational cancer. Expected airing of this story will be sometime between September 12 – 23.
- CBS National News is doing a PFAS story.
- SF Chronicle is doing a story about the Health Impacts of smoke and the lack of respiratory protection in the wildland / WUI settings. (No date as of yet for this story to be in print).

***Environmental Occupational Health and Safety
Anthony Boone, CIH, CSP, CHMM, CEI
August 2022***

- Conducted Monthly Spill Prevention Control and Countermeasures Plan (SPCC) inspections
- Reviewed Monthly UST inspections
- Attended monthly health and safety meetings
- Continued review of COVID trends at city, state, and country levels
- Annual Certificates for Hazardous Materials Business Plans for 18 stations last month received and distributed
- Collected and provide data for violent incidents
- Continued working on draft of SPCC plan for Station 35
- Conducting SCBA mask fit test for 130th Recruit Class 8/30 and 8/31

Physician's Office



*Office of the Department Physician
Jennifer Brokaw, MD, Supervising Physician
August 2022*

1. The Physician’s Office has obtained permission to change its name to the **Office of Employee Health** at SF Fire Department. This reflects the multi-disciplinary nature of our team and recognizes that we address the health of the department and not simply “work status.”
2. We watched the July surge of COVID abate in August and are now down to about 1 case per day with 9 people out on isolation at this writing. This is one of the lowest case rates we’ve had since the pandemic began.
3. We are planning our fall influenza vaccine clinics for October. We have the opportunity to offer a limited number of the bivalent COVID vaccine too. We will likely set up separate clinics for each.
4. Our department hosted the **UCSF Occupational Medicine** residents and Fellows at Treasure Island to observe a live burn on August 9. It was an excellent morning for them and for Dr. Brokaw, who’d never seen a live burn. See photo below.
5. Usual business in August:
Promotion exams: 8
End of Probation: 23
DMV: 2
Return to Duty: TMTC (too many to count due to COVID returns)



Stephanie Phelps, RN, NP
August 2022

**Summary of Work-Related Injuries and Illness Report
For Period 8/1/22 through 8/31/22**

3807 Events by Body Part		3807 Events by Rank	
Head	4	H 2	38
Eye	2	H 3 L1	6
Neck	1	H 3 L2	9
Shoulder	6	H 3 L3	4
Arm	5	H 4	1
Hand	5	H 16	1
Finger	6	H 20	4
Back	12	H 30	1
Trunk	3	H 33	1
Hip	2	H 40	1
Leg	5	H 43	1
Knee	4	Civilian Personnel	1
Foot	5	Total	68
Exhaustion	1		
Stress	2		
COVID	4		
Other	1		
Total	68		

5020 Events by Body Part

Head	1
Eye	2
Ear	3
Shoulder	7
Arm	6
Hand	1
Back	7
Leg	1
Knee	2
Foot	1
Internal Organ	2
Strain	1
COVID	26
Other	5
Total	65

5020 Events by Rank

Command Staff	1
H 2	26
H 3 L1	9
H 3 L2	7
H 3 L3	4
H 4	1
H 9	1
H 20	4
H 28	1
H 30	4
H 33	2
H 40	3
Civilian Personnel	2
Total	65

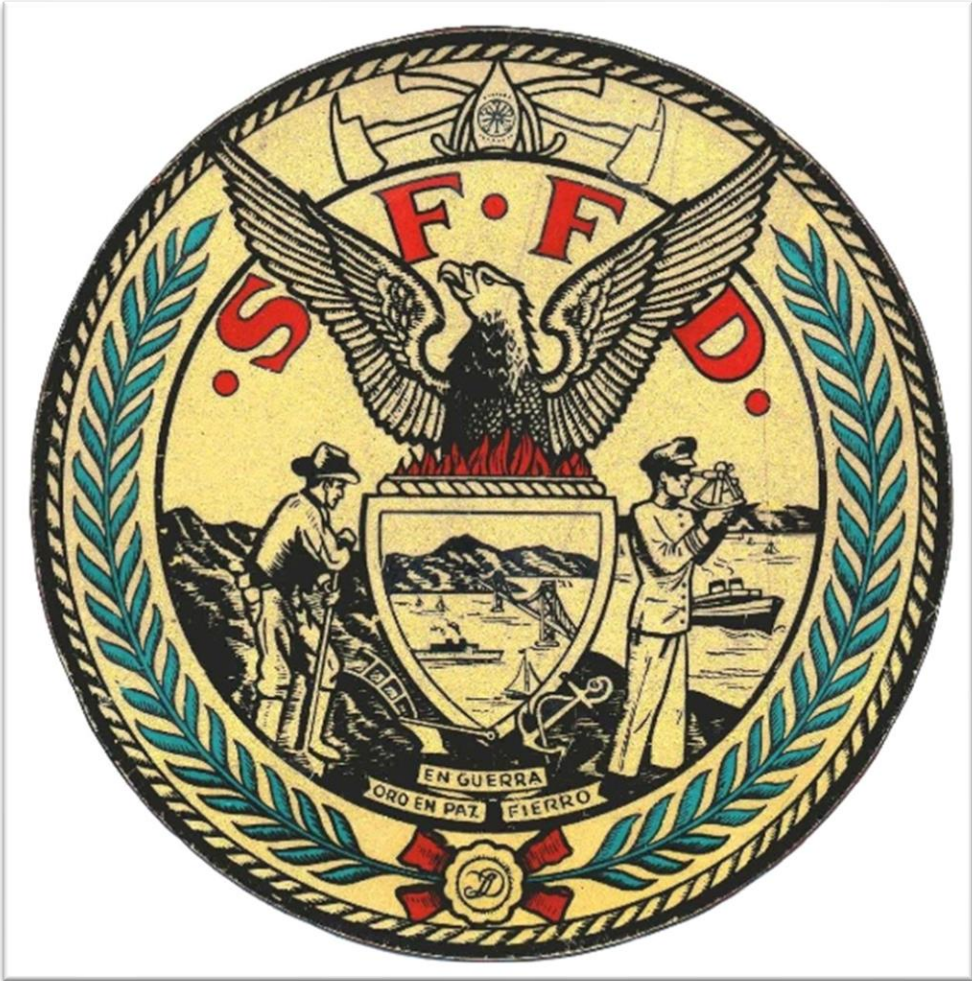
5020 Events by Time Lost

Lost Time Injuries	19
No Lost Time Injuries	46
Total	65

DP Experience**Days**

Total off duty at start of period:	70
Reporting off duty during period:	25
Report on duty during period:	28
Total off duty at end of period:	69
Total absences:	93

Investigative Services Bureau



***Investigative Services Bureau
Captain Lars Aspelin
August 2022***

Random Alcohol and Drug Testing Program

27 (Twenty-seven) members were randomly selected and tested; results were negative. Reviewed current Contracts with CDT to streamline testing and cut costs. Working with Physician's office on new proposal. Lt. Tibbitts has provided assistance with field testing.

Post-Accident Alcohol and Drug Testing Program

One (1) Post-Accident Alcohol and Drug test were administered this month, results negative.

Conditional Offer, Promotional and End-of-Probation Alcohol and Drug Testing Program

Cpt. Aspelin provided supply materials to Physician's office.

Breathalyzers

Five (5) have been sent in for the next round of re-certifications. The process is complete and they have been shipped.

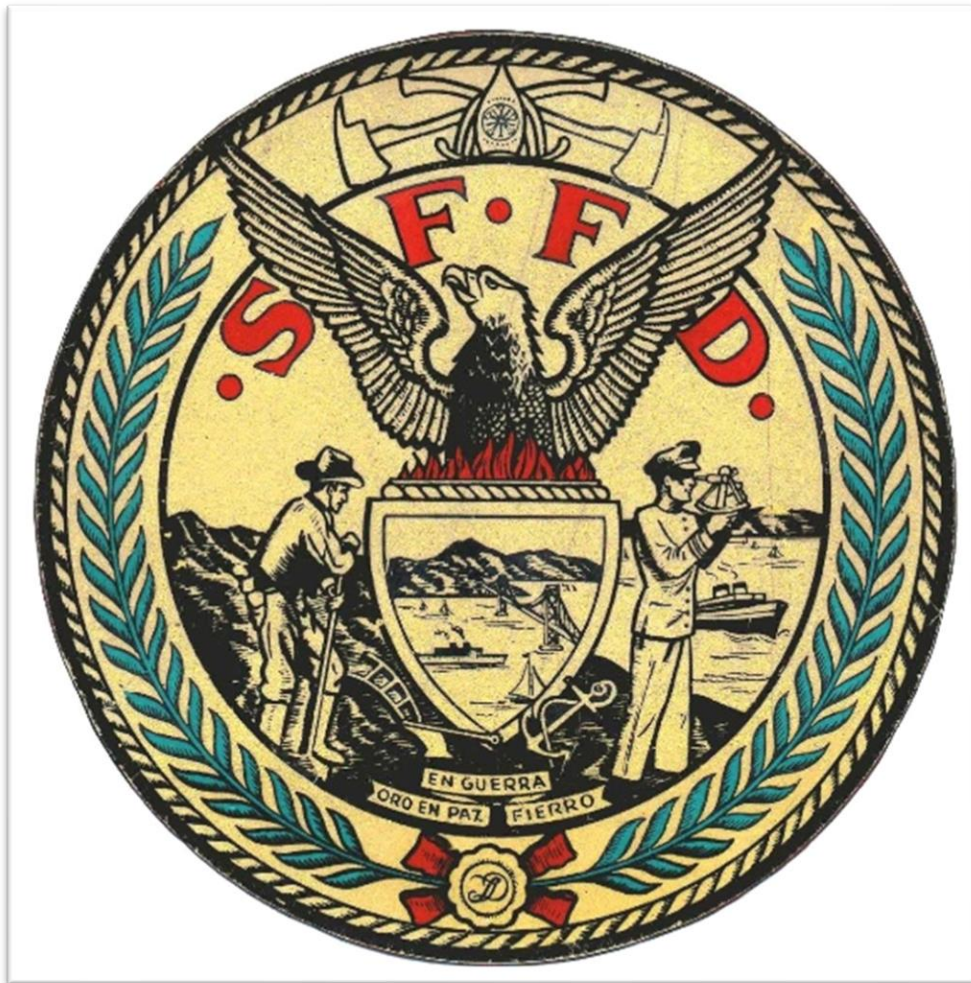
California Driver Licenses (CDL)

Cpt. Aspelin continued to monitor members' driver licenses and updating tracking software. Currently, there are Three (3) members with a suspended license and 1 (one) expired. We are also looking at switching to the DMV monitoring portal and leaving our 3rd party provider. This will save the Department an estimated 20,000\$ annually.

Training

Captain Aspelin has been providing training to ISB2 Lt. Tibbitts, to provide coverage for ISB1. In addition, Captain Aspelin attended the FEMA Wide Area Search class.

Research and Planning

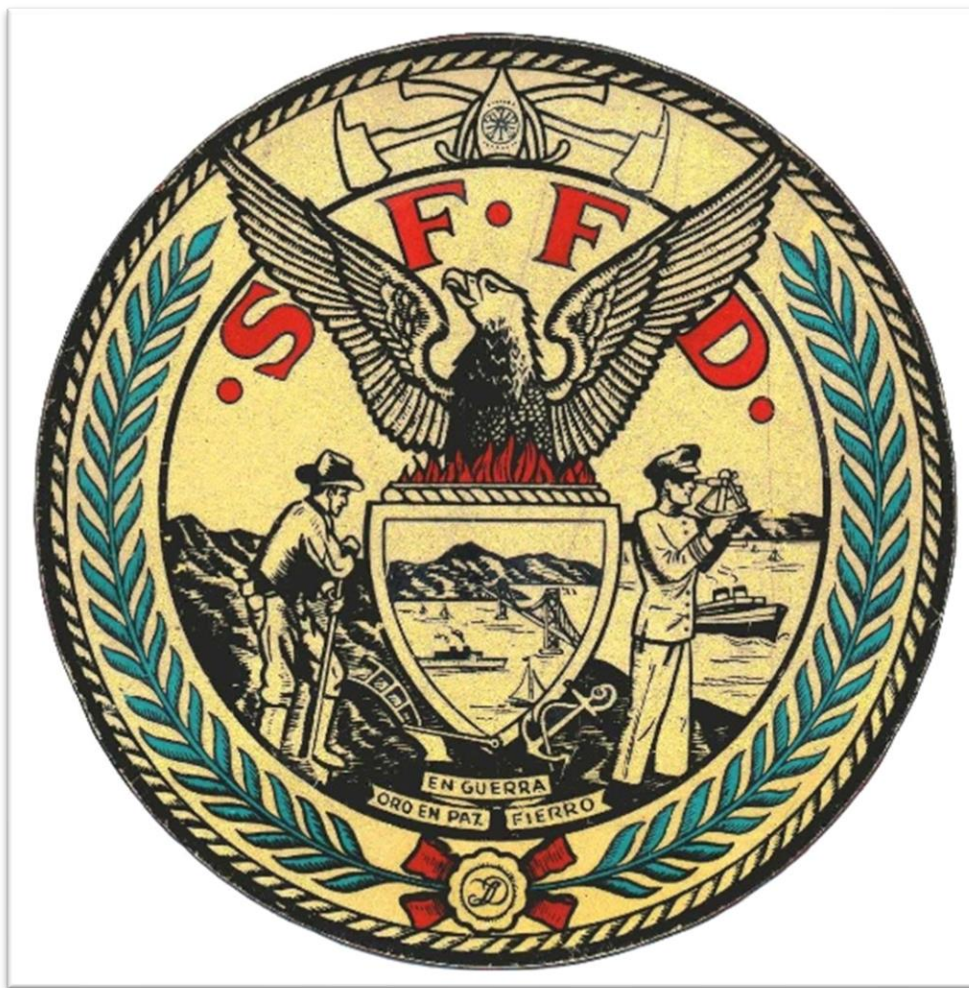


Research and Planning (Assignment Office)
A/Captain Ed Chu

List of recent activity in the Assignment office for **August 2022**

- Assignment Office is working with EMS Division and Community Paramedicine for on-going staffing and scheduling.
- Working with EMS training with new bump-up and hybrid Academy.
- Working with the Airport Division in scheduling new VR members for training. And returning VR members from the airport to the city.
- Worked with Homeland security and EMS to provide additional coverage for Special event, Outsides Land.
- Posting of the annual Seniority list.
- Preparing for the annual vacancy.
- Ongoing work with Fire Prevention on staffing.
- The EMS WDO-In-Advance continues per General Order 20 A-08. In accordance with the policy, pre-hiring 75% of open ambulance shifts seven days in advance.
- Continues to assist Physician's Office with assigning personnel to Temporary Modified Duty Positions.
- Continue new WDO-In-Advance Pilot Policy for Suppression members, General Order 21A-64. Pre-hiring of 50% of shortage seven days in advance on Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.
- Continue Mandatory Credit given WDOs for weekends to increase voluntary WDOs.

Support Services



*Support Services – ADC Ramon Serrano
August 2022*

FACILITY MAINTENANCE & PLANNING (June Waechtler, SFFD)

A total of 155 requests for service were initiated during the month of August 2022. 106 service orders were completed and closed out. Minor plumbing and pest management issues made up the majority of the requests.

PLUMBING

- Twenty-one (21) service calls were placed to resolve minor plumbing issues (faucet, toilet, urinal repairs; clogged sinks, shower drains) in the month of August 2022.
- Three (3) sewage backups were reported during August 2022 (FS 11, 15, 1415 Evans).

HVAC/HEATING/BOILERS

- FS 14 – DPW Steamfitters to replace entire rooftop HVAC unit. Parts bid awarded to lowest bidder PO to be generated once vendor's required paperwork is submitted. DPW Steamfitters anticipate duct manufacturing will take 3-4 weeks. Total work estimated at 6-8 weeks. Job assigned to vendor Norman S. Wright. Requested and received construction schedule for removal and installation of new equipment. All deteriorated HVAC equipment and duct work was removed from rooftop on 2/16/22. Curb development commenced. New equipment set on rooftop by crane on 3/23/22. DPW Steamfitters reported replacement of all rooftop MUA furnace units is needed. DPW's Steamfitters, Electricians, Sheetmetal and Roofers performed initial site walk-thru with vendor and SFFD in February 2022, and DPW Steamfitters submitted estimate for replacement. Walk-thru with SFFD personnel completed. Project approximately 95% completed.

Status Update: Sheetmetal shop is finalizing work being performed on roof.

- FS 1 – Drying Room Heater is 5/5. After numerous repairs have been made, it is recommended that a new heater be installed.
Status Update: waiting for parts – expected to arrive week of 9/5/22.
- FS 10 – Boiler pump is damaged and needs to be replaced. Parts were ordered and have now been received.
Status Update: New pump ordered; waiting for parts to arrive.
- FS 34 – In-line pump motor issue with Boiler.
Status Update: DPW in touch with vendor to replace warranty item.
- Old FS 35 – Replace ignition wire on Boiler; install piping upgrade kit.
Status Update: Waiting on arrival of upgrade kit.
- FS 43 – Radiant heat is operational. HHW Boiler controls need to be repaired. SFFD gave approval to proceed with replacing boiler controls. DPW has obtained parts needed.
Status Update: Waiting for labor availability.

GENERATORS

- Minor issues were reported with stand-by generators located at 9, 10, 24, 26, 42 in the month of August 2022. All units were repaired and returned to service. Staff is working with a generator contractor to relocate generator from Old FS 35 and install at the TI Training Facility.

CARPENTRY

No major carpentry issues were reported.

CEMENT/ASPHALT

No major cement/asphalt issues were reported.

ELECTRICAL

No major electrical issues were reported.

EXHAUST EXTRACTORS

- FS 3, 28, 32 and 51 reported minor repairs needed to station's exhaust extractors. All units were repaired and returned to service during the month of August.

GLASS/WINDOWS/SCREENS

No major glass/windows/screens were reported.

LANDSCAPING

- Conducted site visit with DPW's Bureau of Forestry to obtain a quote for monthly maintenance.

PAINT

No major paint/graffiti issues were reported.

PEST MANAGEMENT

No major pest management issues were reported.

E.S.E.R. BOND 2010 NFS – Updates through August 2022

Seismic Improvement Program (Magdalena Ryor, San Francisco Public Works):

- **Fire Station 16 (\$14.2M)** – Final Completion was achieved on July 18, 2019. Project is financially completed. Final PA was issued in June 2022.

Additional Focused Scope Program (Sherry Katz, San Francisco Public Works):

Emergency Generators:

- **Fire Station 14** – Scope of work: replacement of existing generator with new rooftop generator, new subgrade fuel fill port at the sidewalk in front of the station, and new fuel piping from sidewalk to generator.
 - Building Permit issued on 6/17/21.
 - This project has been on hold to accommodate potential costs at Fireboat Station 35.
 - Invitation to Bid will be advertised in mid FY22-23

E.S.E.R. BOND 2014 NFS – Updates through August 2022

Seismic Improvement Program (Magdalena Ryor, San Francisco Public Works):

Fireboat Station 35 (\$50.5M) – NTP for Design-Build Services was issued on October 10, 2017. Substantial Completion was achieved on February 28, 2022. Interior and Exterior Punchlists were completed.

Issuance of the Final Completion Certificate projected in December 2022 after change order work is completed (lead time for utility enclosures requested by the BCDC is between four to six months).



Focused Scope Program (Sherry Katz, San Francisco Public Works):

Total Funding allocated for the Focused Scope Program is \$21,407,279, approved by SFFD on 8/17/17.

Work progresses through the 9 scope categories comprising Emergency Generator Replacements, Roofing, Apparatus Bay Door Replacements, Exterior Envelope Improvements, Windows, Showers, HVAC/Mechanical, Sidewalk/Slabs, and Security Access Control.

Emergency Generators:

FS 2 – Scope of work: replace existing rooftop generator set, structurally strengthen roof structure to support new fuel tank with capacity for 72-hour run time and provide new fuel fill port and piping to generator.

- Substantial Completion Certificate issued on 8/24/22
- Final Completion is scheduled for 10/9/22

FS 19 – Scope of work: replace existing generator at grade and replace main electrical panel.

- This project has been on hold to accommodate potential costs for Fireboat Station 35.
- This project will now be packaged together (by BOA) with FS 19 and an Invitation to Bid will be advertised in late 2022/ early 2023

Exterior Envelope:

- **Package 1 (FS 8, 20, 23, 29)** – FS 8, 20, and 29 are complete; Note that on 1/15/21, SFFD requested a hold on FS 23 painting due to other priorities.

Package 2 (FS 24, 34) – This project is on HOLD at the request of Capital Planning.

E.S.E.R. BOND 2020 NFS – Updates through August 2022

New Fire Training Facility (San Francisco Public Works)

Budget: \$TBD

Phase: Planning

Schedule:

- Estimated Start of Construction – TBD
- Estimated Substantial Completion – TBD

Highlights:

- Memorandum of Understanding between SFFD and Public Works submitted to SFFD in April 2021; comments received in June 2022; **all SFFD revisions accepted, and all signatures acquired.**
- Project Programming (functional spaces needed) meetings started in October 2021 and suspended after first session at request of SFFD. **Restart expected upon approval of a Contract Service Order and NTP issues – assumed to occur in late September 2022.**
- Public Works published the shortlist of three (3) Architect-Engineer teams on 1/20/22; interview invites were sent to the shortlisted proposers on 2/1/22; oral interviews were scheduled for 2/18/22 but suspended at request of SFFD. **Interview of three firms held and the team led by RDC Architects was elected. Negotiations are to occur throughout 2022 with an expected agreement approval and NTP issued in first quarter of 2023.**
- RFQ for Construction Manager/General Contractor (CM/GC) with Design-Assist Core Trade Subcontractors – suspended as of 10/18/21 at request of SFFD. **Expect to issue the RFQ solicitation in November 2022.**
- Environmental Review:
 - CEQA Final Mitigated Negative Declaration (FMND) heard and approved by the Board of Supervisors on 2/8/22. *File No. 220054, Motion No. M22-016.*

Fire Station 7 Replacement (Sherry Katz, San Francisco Public Works)

Budget: \$TBD

Phase: Planning **ON HOLD per SFFD**

Schedule:

- Estimated Start of Construction – TBD
- Estimated Substantial Completion – TBD

Highlights:

- 2/8/22 meeting with SF Planning to review target CEQA and existing property information.
- 2300 Folsom Street is on the Cortese List (list of hazardous waste and substances sites); a Categorical Exemption (Cat Ex) is not applicable to Cortese sites; TBD if a Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) will be required.
- Preservation planner will provide a determination regarding need for EIR based on impact of replacement of FS 7 on the California Register-eligible 1952 Firehouse Bond Act Thematic Historic District.

P.H.S. BOND 2016 NFS – Updates through August 2022

The total funding allocated for Neighborhood Fire Stations is \$9.1M.

Seismic Improvement Program (Sherry Katz, San Francisco Public Works):

- **Hose Tower Removal & Roofing (FS 6, 11, 12, 21, 38) – Complete.**

- **Hose Tower Removal & Replacement (FS 15)** – Funding will be made available by way of reallocation of funds back to PHS NFS from PHS ADF, and an Invitation to Bid will be advertised early 2023

Focused Scope Program (Sherry Katz, San Francisco Public Works):

Emergency Generators:

- **FS 37 & 44:**
 - Project was bid on August 3, 2022; BBJ, the sole bidder, was deemed non - responsive; City is in negotiations with BBJ who has met LBE requirements so that the project can be awarded to BBJ.
 - Target date for SFPW Commission approval under Prop B is tentatively December 2nd, at which time a Notice of Award may be issued to BBJ.
- **FS 18:**
 - Funding will be made available by way of reallocation of funds back to PHS NFS from PHS ADF
 - An Invitation to Bid will be advertised in 2023, following FS 15 Hose Tower, depending on available remaining funds to implement the construction phase.

P.H.S. BOND 2016 AMBULANCE DEPLOYMENT FACILITY (ADF) / STATION 49 – Updates through August 2022 (Kathleen O’Day, San Francisco Public Works)

- Project final completion is anticipated in November 2022
 - Remaining change order work (locker replacement and garage installation) are anticipated to be completed by mid-October.
 - Art Enrichment Part II Fence and Gate Metal Art Panel installations at Jerrold and McKinnon Street are scheduled to begin in early October 2022.
- Contractor addressed the following warranty items: installation of a water hammer arrester on 4th floor to fix pipe vibration and replacement of photocell for exterior lights.
- Contractor is currently addressing 8 warranty items outstanding, such as recent backflow preventer malfunction and a reoccurring duct detector malfunction.

E.S.E.R.—Emergency Firefighting Water System (EFWS) / Auxiliary Water Supply System (David Myerson, Ada Zhu SFPUC)

- 19th Avenue EFWS Pipeline – Construction contract continued. Expect completion July 2023.
- Clarendon Supply EFWS Pipeline – Construction contract continued. Expect completion April 2023.
- Fireboat Manifold – Construction of new pipeline and fireboat manifold near Fort Mason Pier 2 and Pier 35.5 for fire suppression. Planning in progress.
- Pumping Station 2 – Construction contract continued. Expect completion December 2022.
- Vicente EFWS Pipeline – Construction contract continued.
- Potable Emergency Firefighting Water System (PEFWS) project – Planning for the Richmond and Sunset areas continued.

BOE/FLEET MANAGEMENT (Captain Vince Wong, SFFD)

- BOE is assisting in the logistics of ordering, obtaining, and delivering of supplies critical to the department during the current pandemic. We are currently distributing all necessary PPE to the members.
- Ten new Engines have been distributed to the field, and the eleventh is waiting for parts to arrive.
- The Hose Tender build continues at Rosenbauer with mid-point inspection completed.
- Eight 12-passenger Ford vans and an RC Buggy for the Community Paramedicine Division have now been ordered, but no ETA currently due to auto industry chip/parts shortage. Conversions of two (2) MTA vans and two (2) Paratransit Transport vehicles at Upfitters.
- Coordinated with EMS team to finalize specs for a new Type-1 ambulance. Specs are now finalized and were submitted to OCA, where they are currently being reviewed. In process to acquire 9 new ambulances.
- Two Type-6 Pumpers for wildland/mutual have been delivered from HiTech Fire Apparatus.
- The BOE continues to research and test out new equipment for our firefighters.
- The BOE would like to thank everyone in Support Services for their continued assistance and support. They are a vital part of our crew.

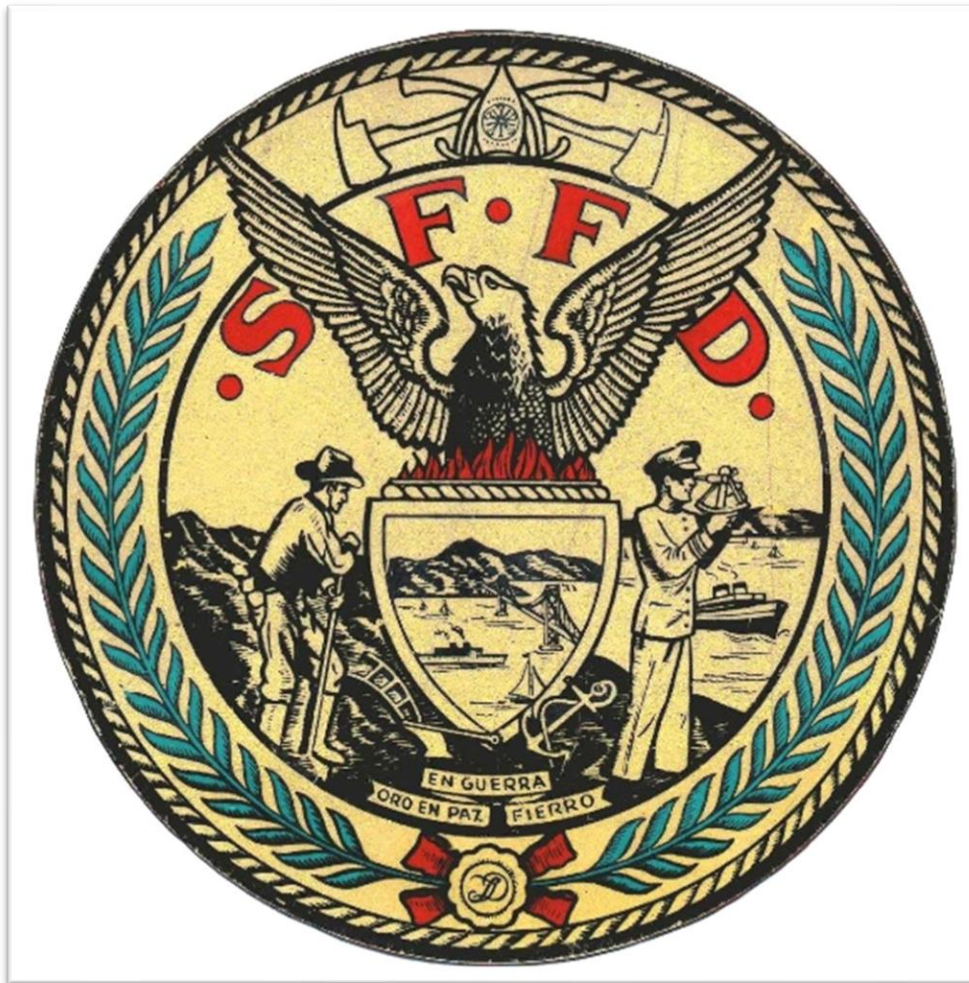
DEPARTMENT ENGINEERING (Stationary Engineer Avo Sarkissian, SFFD)

- Ongoing and routine maintenance at Fire HQ and ADF
- Tenant improvement project at 1415 Evans 80% complete. EMS has moved in and are occupying building.
 - HVAC units on order; as of 7/12/22 no ETA for units.
- Assisted ADC Serrano with the coordination of an outside vendor replacing a section of damaged fencing and adding K-Rails at the new training center on Carroll Avenue.
 - Application to PUC has been submitted for energizing power pole for lighting.
- Assisting ADC Serrano with logistics and planning of the new trades people being hired in the coming months.

CLOTHING DEPOT & LOGISTICS (Lt. Michael Teupel, SFFD)

- The Clothing Depot fulfilled approximately 230 clothing voucher requests in the month of August 2022.
- 98% of Surf Rescue PPE has now arrived. Distribution to qualified personnel will commence late August 2022.
- The 129th academy graduated and PPE's were fulfilled. 1st set for the 130th also fulfilled and class has begun.
- We are currently working with our vendors with the 130 to obtain sizing for the 2nd PPE issue at graduation.

Human Resources



Human Resources
Maryann Poon
August 2022

Reporting the following PERMANENT PROBATIONARY appointment effective August 6, 2022:

H-4 Inspector

Hom, Clarence (vice: Christian Murphy)

Reporting the following PERMANENT PROBATIONARY appointment effective August 17, 2022:

H-22 Lieutenant, BFP

Gauer, Gerald C. (vice: Edward Londono)

H-4 Inspector

Jaymes, Neal (vice: Kjell Harshman)

Reporting the following PERMANENT PROBATIONARY appointment effective August 20, 2022:

H-40 Battalion Chief

Alba, Matthew (vice: Peter Gross)

Reporting the following PERMANENT PROBATIONARY appointment effective August 27, 2022:

H-22 Lieutenant, BFP

Li, Michele (vice: Carol Wyley Wong)

Reporting the following PERMANENT (reinstatement) appointment effective September 3, 2022:

H-2 Firefighter

Aldridge, Jason (vice: Marilyn Chavez)

Separations

<i>No. of Members</i>	<i>Rank</i>
2	H3 EMT/Firefighter/Paramedic
2	H2 Firefighter

Human Resources
Lucy Chu
August 2022

Leaves of Absence with Pay

Submitting requests for leaves of absence with pay for the time period from August 2021 through January 2023 for the following:

<i>No. of Members</i>	<i>Rank</i>	<i>Total Amount of Leave (Days)</i>
3	H33 EMS Captain	13
4	H30 Captain	7
9	H20 Lieutenant	19
1	BFP/I Officers	6
1	Training Officers	20
2	H4/H6 Inspector/Investigator	11
45	H3 EMT/PM/FF PM	211
25	H2 Firefighter	197
4	Civilian Staff	24
	Total Number of Days with Pay	508

Intermittent Leaves with Pay

Submitting requests for intermittent leaves with pay for the time period from April 4, 2022 through November 30, 2023 for the following:

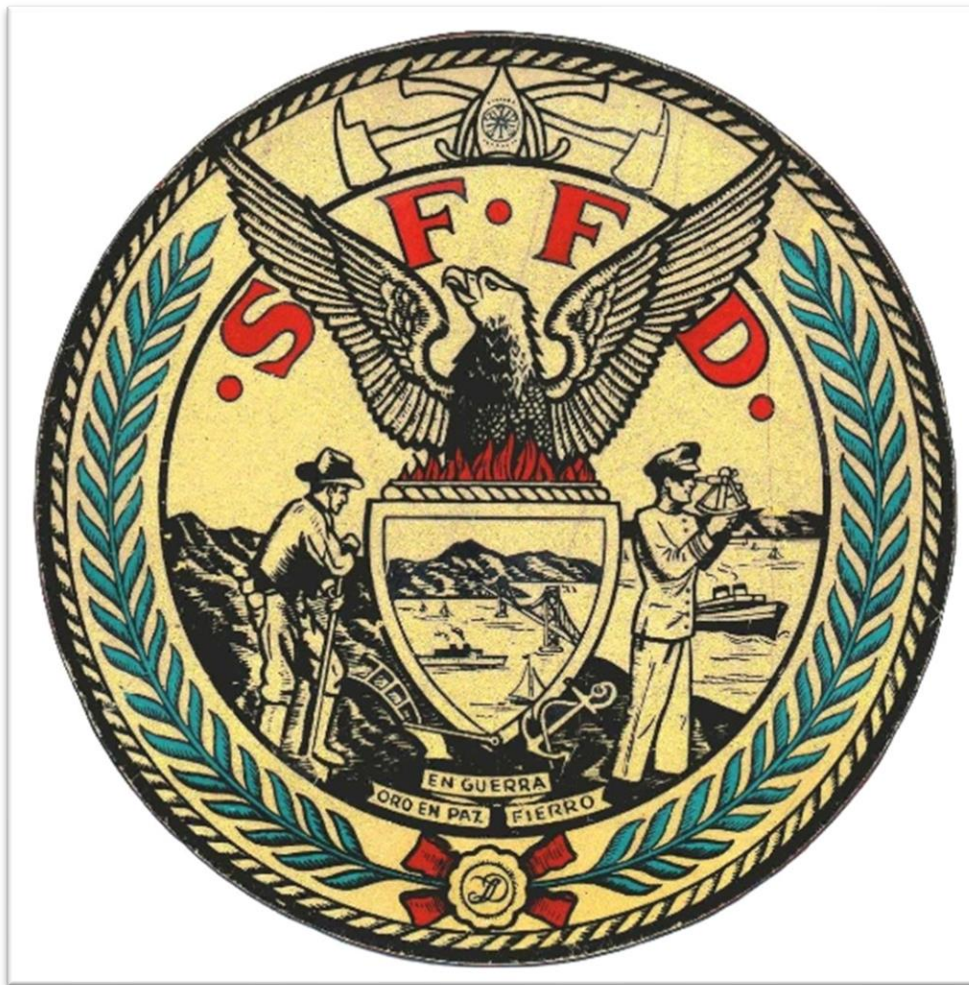
<i>No. of Members</i>	<i>Rank</i>	<i>Dates of Leave</i>	
4	Chief Officers	Apr. 4, 2022	- Aug. 29, 2023
3	H20 Lieutenant	Aug. 12, 2022	- Oct. 3, 2023
1	H4/H6 Inspector/Investigator	Aug. 15, 2022	- Aug. 16, 2023
5	H3 EMT/PM/FF PM	Jun. 26, 2022	- Aug. 17, 2023
10	H2 Firefighter	Aug. 7, 2022	- Nov. 30, 2023

Leaves of Absence without Pay

Submitting requests for leaves of absence without pay for the period from August 2022 through January 2023 for the following:

<i>No. of Members</i>	<i>Rank</i>	<i>Total Amount of Leave (Days)</i>
1	H3 EMT/PM/FF PM	88
	Total Number of Days without Pay	88

Public Information Office



*Public Information Officer
Lt. Jonathan Baxter
August 2022*

REVOLVING MONTHLY OUTREACH

- Multiple Public Safety announcements were provided throughout the month.
- Engine companies continue to pass fire prevention and education material on calls or the public. This material is now available on our website in multiple languages.
- Coastal Rescue companies continue to give Surf Hazard Education to the community while on calls or while out in public (Targeted to Ocean Beach Area)
- Cliff Rescue units provide cliff rescue and animal safety community outreach in areas such as Fort Funston.
- Recruitment efforts towards all populations continue.
- "See the Red Lights Pull to the Right" campaign for yielding to emergency vehicles is striking comments from the public regarding what to do when they see an emergency vehicle.
- Bicycle safety messages on social media and in public areas promote safe riding habits: wear your helmet, follow the traffic laws, yield to pedestrians and emergency vehicles, and more. These efforts are to help reduce bicycle-related accidents and injuries.
- Pedestrian Safety and distracted driver safety messages on social media: "Look don't like" (referring to texting), yield to pedestrians, share the road with a bicyclist, to name a few.
- P.E.T. safety tips for fire and environment-related issues are placed on social media and shared with media outlets. Examples would be: "Do not forget your pets when making a home or work escape or disaster plan."
- Cliff and hiking safety messaging on social media help reduce falls, entrapments, and rescue incidents.
- Information on the station rebuilds and the ESER 2014 BONDS has been posted on social media to help keep the community informed.
- The Department has joined a national fire Service campaign: "[Close your Door before you Doze.](#)" These efforts encourage closing bedroom doors at sleep to increase your chances of survival or saving during a fire. The temperature outside a door can be 1000 degrees, and in the bedroom with a closed door, 100 degrees.
- The Department has teamed up with D.E.M. promoting: "When to Call 911" campaign to help reduce non-emergency calls to 911.
- The Department worked with SF-Environment to promote fire extinguisher disposal.
- The Department assisted SF-Environment with battery safety information and disposed of them properly. When improperly disposed of, old batteries can cause fires. To learn more, visit: www.sfbatterysafe.org

AUGUST SPECIFIC OUTREACH BY THE PIO

- Vision Zero topics such as walking, biking, driving
- Share the road with emergency vehicles
- Lightning safety tips
- Listos and NERT awareness
- Pet evacuation tips
- Pet safety during fires and heat
- Emergency worker's safety tips
- Bike safety
- Pedestrian Safety
- Weather safety tips
- PSPS awareness
- Fire Extinguisher Safety
- Covid-19 Safety and info
- Tent Safety info to various locations
- MUNI – Safety program
- Overdose Prevention
- Suicide prevention

AUGUST MEDIA CLIPS

Over **25-Million** people were reached from P.I.O. media efforts for 08/2022

- Total National TV Audience 822,799
- Total National TV Publicity USD 291,853
- Total Local TV Audience 822,799
- Total Local TV Publicity USD 291,853
- Total Radio Audience 24,807,344
- Total Publicity Value USD 42,250
- Total Online News Audience 525,361,497
- Total Online News Publicity USD 14,224,393
- Total Social Followers 75,929

Total Number of MEDIA EVENTS: 643

THE PIO PROVIDED OVER 15 MILLION DOLLARS WORTH OF MEDIA SERVICES FOR AUGUST OF 2022

INCIDENTS THAT THE PIO COVERED/RESPONDED TO:

***** This is NOT a complete list of calls for service; it reflects only the Calls the P.I.O. responded to/covered*****

**FIRE INDEX: 1-ALARM—2-ALARM—3-ALARM—4-ALARM—5 ALARM—SIB
SMOKE/SMALL FIRE IN BLDG**

RESCUE INDEX: WATER-RELATED—LAND-RELATED

EMS 5,073

Fire 3,519

- Fire/EMS 5,498 ○ **Water rescue/drowning 25**
- Outside Fires 493
- **Behavioral Emergency 1,017**

• Total: 14,090

1. 08/01/22 420 JONES ST
2. 08/03/22 758 48TH AV
3. 08/03/2022 20:40 1969 SUNNYDALE AV
4. 08/03/2022 SFO ALERT 2 – RESOLVED
5. 08/04/2022 MUTUAL AID DEPLOYMENT
- 6.08/07/2022 BAY RESCUE HYDE PIER 2 RESCUED
- 7.08/07/2022 BAY RESCUE FT MASON
8. 08/07/22 925 MARKET ST
9. 08/07/2022 SFO ALERT 2- RESOLVED
10. 08/08/22 2949 VICENTE ST
11. 08/08/2022 15:59 1776 46TH AV
12. 08/09/2022 15:23 1197 THOMAS AV
13. 08/09/22 BATTERY ST/GREEN ST
14. 08/10/22 16TH ST/HOFF ST
15. 08/10/2022 SFO LAERT 2 – RESOLVED
- 16.08/11/2022 CLIFF RESCUE LANDS END
17. 08/12/2022 13:10 210 COLLEGE AV
- 18.08/13/2022 BAY RESCUE FORT POINT
- 19.08/14/2022 BAY RESCUE AQUATIC PARK
- 20.08/14/2022 SURF RESCUE MILE ROCK BEACH
21. 08/14/22 EVANS AV/MENDELL ST
22. 08/15/2022 WILLAND FIRE BERNAL HIEGHTS
23. 08/16/2022 07:09 516 OFARRELL ST
24. 08/16/2022 13:46 541 EDINBURGH ST
25. 08/16/2022 LARGE ENCAMPMENT FIRE MARIPOSA AT HAMPSHIRE
26. 08/17/2022 SFO ALERT 2- RESOLVED
- 27.08/17/2022 CLIFF RESCUE FT FUNSTON
28. 08/17/22 17TH ST/MISSION ST
29. 08/18/22 623 VALENCIA ST
30. 08/19/2022 18:15 18TH ST/DANVERS ST
31. 08/20/2022 WILDLAND FIRE GOLDEN GATE PARK
32. 08/20/2022 19:09 509 6TH ST
33. 08/20/22 1065 OAKDALE AV
34. 08/21/2022 SFO ALERT 2- RESOLVED
35. 08/22/2022 00:51 1030 FILLMORE ST
- 36.08/22/2022 SURF RESCUE OCEAN BEACH
37. 08/22/22 2048 POLK ST
38. 08/23/2022 12:05 1604 MCALLISTER ST
39. 08/23/2022 14:14 3298 VAN NESS AV
40. 08/24/22 528 VALENCIA ST
41. 0 08/24/22 4528 17TH ST
42. 0 08/24/22 1008 GUERRERO ST
43. 08/25/2022 19:21 2235 BEACH ST
- 44.08/25/2022 BAY RESCUE AQUATIC PARK

- 45.08/25/2022 2NDBAY RESCUE AQUATIC PARK
- 46. 08/26/22 IVY ST/FRANKLIN ST
- 47. 08/28/2022 SMALL FIRE 24TH BART
- 48.08/28/2022 BAY RESCUE OFF GIANTS' STADIUM
- 49. 08/29/2022 MUTUAL AID RESPONSE
- 50. 08/31/2022 15:22 DIVISADERO ST/HAIGHT ST
- 51. 08/31/2022 03:25 1215 FITZGERALD AV
- 52. 08/31/22 1800 35TH AV
- 53. 08/31/2022 SFO LAERT 2 RESOLVED

SOCIAL MEDIA RESPONSES:

- 1. Twitter: *Thank you for saving our block-3rd alarm.*
- 2. Facebook: *Thank you for all you do.*
- 3. Instagram: *SF fire, you saved our block! Thank you – 3rd alarm*
- 4. Citizen App: *Updates are appreciated, thank you*

FUNCTIONS:

(M.O.D. = daily operational duties)

- 1. MOD-Youth outreach engine based
- 2. MOD-Listos programs
- 3. MOD-NERT programs
- 4. MOD-Coastal safety outreach events
- 5. MOD-Virtual school visits
- 6. MOD-Virtual Community-Based Organizations (C.B.O) visits
- 7. MOD-Outreach on wildland fire safety
- 8. M.O.D.- Fire Preparedness events by the P.I.O.
- 9. Muni Safety at fires event
- 10. Bay Area Joint Information training (PIO)
- 11. Unsheltered care and messaging (PIO)
- 12. ADVANCED cardiac Life Support class (EMS)
- 13. CBRNE planning
- 14. Fleet week planning
- 15. Future of Spanish for first responders joint meeting with SFPD SFSO (PIO)
- 16. How to report a fire safety issue video with SFGOVTV planning meeting (PIO)
- 17. 1-Year anniversary of SORT
- 18. What's that filming with SFGOVTV
- 19. Wild land PSA videos with DOT
- 20. Mutual aid PSA videos with DOT
- 21. Recruitment video with DOT a
- 22. Heat Safety and Coastal Safety events
- 23. Commercial return to workplace safety events
- 24. Campus return to school events

OUTREACH AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT:
(10,00 CONTACTS FOR JULY 2022 BY THE PIO)

1. P.I.O. handed out safety materials downtown
2. P.I.O. engaged for Pulse Point system with EMSA
3. P.I.O. handed out motor home safety material to encampments
4. P.I.O. handed out tent safety throughout many tent encampments in S.F.
5. Mission High Fire classes
6. Mission High E.M.T. class
7. SCRT outreach
8. SORT outreach
9. Heat Safety events
10. Heat Preparedness events
11. Traveling hotel-motel Safety with Hotel Council
12. Muni Safety class by P.I.O.
13. Law Enforcement safety class by P.I.O.
14. Trash against buildings outreach
15. AAU SAFETY FILMING
16. Crises communications education
17. Backpack give away for school
18. Campus Safety Education
19. Overdose prevention and education

COMMUNITY OUTREACH ON SOCIAL MEDIA FOR REMAINDER OF MONTH
PIO ACTIVITIES

1. 82 Meetings with City, Community, Federal, and State entities covered.
2. 210 On-camera interviews were conducted.
3. 22 Radio interviews were conducted.
4. Responded to 53 incidents and covered 300 out of 14,000 PLUS incidents.