



# **San Francisco Fire Department**

**Deputy Chief of Administration  
Shayne Kaialoa**

**Fire Commission Report  
June 2024**



## 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)
APEC	Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation
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
COES	California Office of Emergency Services
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
DSCA	Defense Security Cooperation Agency
DWC	Division of Workers Compensation
EAP	Event Action Plan for Planned Events
EAP	Employee Assistance Program
EFWS	Emergency Firefighting Water System
HER	Electronic Health Records
EHMR	Elastomeric Half-Mask Respirator
EMS PIP	EMS Performance Improvement Plan
EOC	Emergency Operations Center
EtOH	Ethyl Alcohol
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
OFA	Opportunities For All
OOS	Out of Service
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
SWOT	Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities and Threats
TDA	Tractor Drawn Aerials
TITF	Treasure Island Training Facility
USCG	United States Coast Guard
US&R	Urban Search and Rescue
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***  
***June 2024***

Meetings/ Events/ Training & Exercises Attended

- SFFD
  - CD1 High Level meeting
  - CD1 Quarterly Check-in
  - HS1/CD3 weekly meetings
  - Fire Commission Meetings
  - Juneteenth Parade
  - Post Naval Academy presentation for member development
  - Pride Parade
  
- Training & Exercise
  - Port Ship Lithium Ion Battery (LiB) Exercise weekly planning meetings
  
- CCSF
  - Juneteenth event planning meeting
  - Escape From Alcatraz Triathlon planning Meeting
  - Pride Weekend event planning meeting
  - Lifelines Council Meeting with Capital Planning and Resilience Office
  - Heat Air Quality (HAQR) Committee Meeting with Capital Planning and Resilience Office
  
- Department of Emergency Management (DEM)
  - Emergency Operations credentialing task force meeting
  - Disaster Preparedness Coordinators' (DPC) meeting
  - CCSF Emergency Operations Plan (EOP) update meeting
  - CCSF Family Assistance Plan workgroup meetings – weekly
  - Training, Exercise, Credentialing and Planning Steering Committee
  - Emergency Routes Re-opening Guide Workshop

FEMA CA-TF3

- Search Canine Unit
  - Monthly Drills
- Rescue/Hazmat/Logistics/Comms specialists
  - Monthly drills
  - BLUE team on standby
- Applications open to field for new members for TF3

## Federal Department of Homeland Security/United States Secret Service (USSS)

- VPOTUS visit planning meeting

## Fleet Week

- DSCA Exercise Planning meeting
- Fleet Week overall planning meeting

## Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI)

- Community Preparedness Focus Group meeting
- UASI Approval Authority pre-planning review meeting
- UASI Approval Authority Meeting
- RCPGP Grant Notice of Funding Review
- Emergency Management Workgroup Meeting

## Incident Management Team Development:

- EAP development workshops
- Fire Department Operations Center (FDOC) orientation drills for all Battalion Chiefs

## Drone Program

Awaiting arrival of new drones

## NCRIC (Northern California Regional Intelligence Center):

- Lt. Mauberret NCRIC update report
- SAR (suspicious activity report) reporting and review of alerts
- Situational Awareness Distribution to EAP Group

## Major Incident Planning

- NBA Allstar Game 2025
- Superbowl 2025
- World Cup Soccer 2025
  - CalOES World Cup Communications Working Group meeting
  - Medical Group including Dr Lacoque held first meeting

## On-going Coordination/Projects:

- Disaster Manual updates & Disaster Checklist Project ongoing- Committee Chair coordination
- UASI grants management
- FDOC
  - Maintain situational awareness



- FDOC Battalion & Satellite Phone Planning Meeting with MIS and Support Services
- Starlink Demo with MIS and B from Radio
- SFPD Operational Orders distribution

Activation:

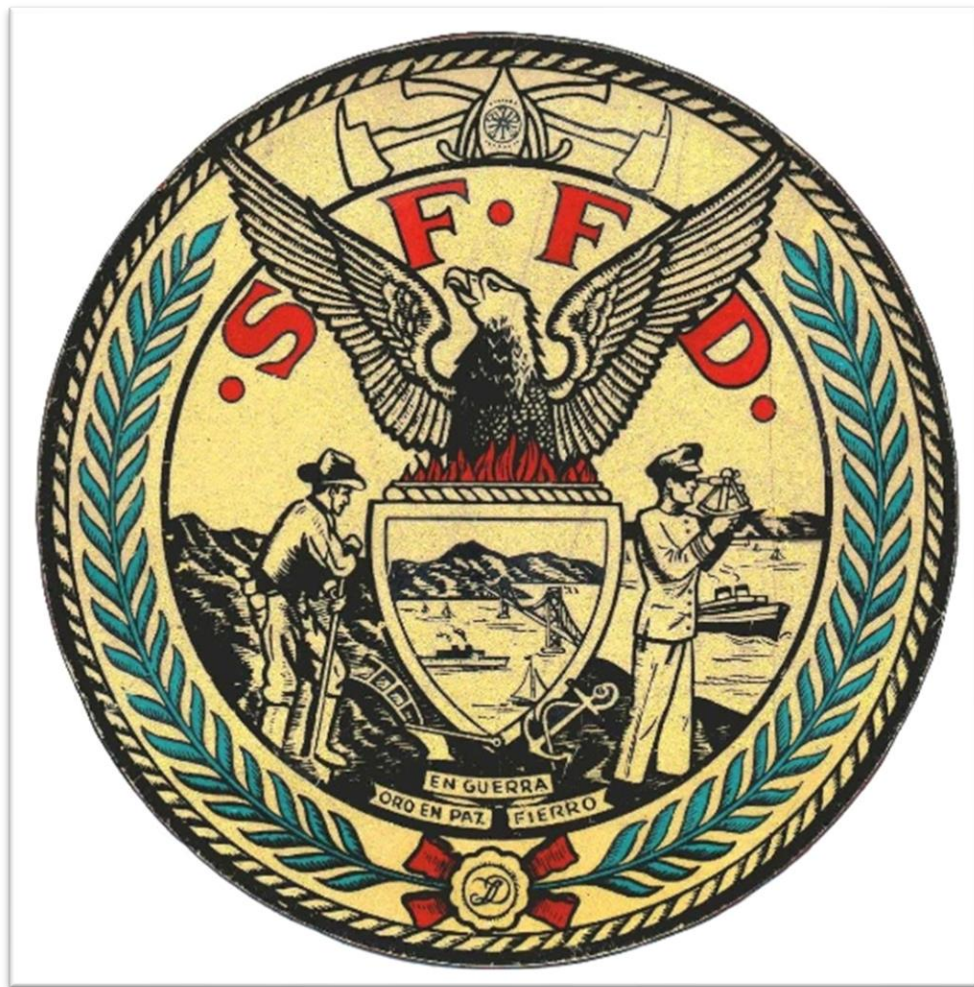
Pride Weekend

Event/Incident Action Plans (EAP/IAP) Completed:

- Juneteenth Parade
- Pride Weekend
- USSS VPOTUS visit



# Diversity, Equity, Inclusion





*Diversity, Equity, Inclusion Office  
ADC Shon Buford  
June 2024*

**Recent ORD Activity – June 1 - 30, 2024**

134 Recruit Academy

- Make final selections for the 134<sup>th</sup> Recruit Class

135 Recruit Academy

- Continue Recruitment of candidates from the FCTC SEL candidates
- Coordinate with DHR and FCTC to establish the next H2 Eligible List
- Secure location to conduct preliminary panel interview.

SF Pride 2024

- Staff Pride Booth with volunteers and BFP's Community Outreach and Education team.



## SF Gov TV Video Projects

- Work on Engine, Truck, Rescue Squad and Ambulance specific videos.
- Collaborate with SF Gov TV on content to produce the videos.
- Film Engine video with Capt. Piper.



## FCTC Written Test Class

- Conduct the first FCTC written test at an SFFD facility





## OFA

- Host two cohorts of Opportunities For All internships under the SFFD DEIO with Firefighter Wilson.
- Cohort 1 has 20 participants who are recent graduates from Mission High and Galileo High Schools. The participants are enrolled in CCSF's EMT 100 and working on obtaining their EMT certification.
- Cohort 2 has 14 participants and are enrolled in EMT 14 and are receiving disaster preparedness training through NERT.
- Manage payroll of all participants through JCYC



## HRD

- Meet with the Department of Human Resources Diversity and Modernization teams to learn about recruitment options through Smart Recruiters.

## HBCU B2SF Kick-off/Welcome Reception

- Attend in-person reception with HRC, ADC Buford, Firefighter Wilson and HBCU interns.





### ORE Workshop on Prop 209

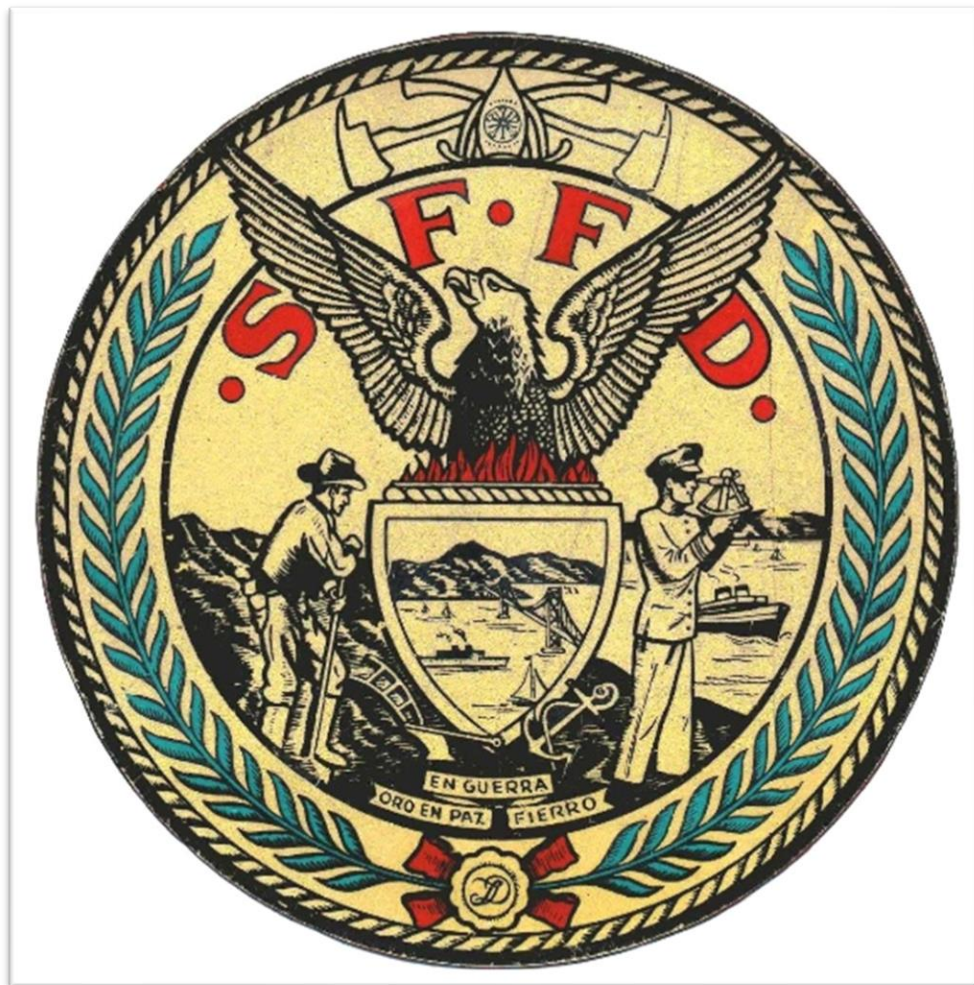
- Attend workshop with EMS Chief Gordon.
- CAT and ORE conducted an in-person workshop about Proposition 209.
- The session focused on Proposition 209 and its relevance to the SFFD's Phase One RE Action Plans.

### Mission High School Graduation Award Ceremony

- Attend Mission High Award Ceremony with Capt. Baxter and Firefighter Wilson.
- Present awards to Fire/EMS students for the 2023/2024 school Year.



# Health, Safety and Wellness





*Health, Safety and Wellness*  
*BC Matthew Alba*

**Commission Meeting Report for Health, Safety, and Wellness June 2024**

Every Monday:	Meet with BHU Captain Buren
Every Tuesday:	Meet with Chief Kaialoa
Every 2 Weeks:	Working Group on Wildland and WUI Respiratory Protection
Every 2 Months:	Rep. Chief of Dept in Family Violence Council Meeting
3 <sup>rd</sup> Tuesday:	Health and Safety Committee Meeting
3 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesday:	SF First Responder Peer Support Advisory Committee
3 <sup>rd</sup> Thursday:	San Francisco Firefighters Cancer Prevention Monthly Meeting
4x/year:	Fire Fighter Cohort Cancer Study: Women Firefighters Quarterly Meeting
Every Friday:	Follow up with members on DP, retired members and others who have cancer

**STUDIES** we are embarking on:

- Sulforaphane Study
  - San Francisco Firefighters Cancer Prevention Foundation (SFFCPF)  
SFFD, U of Arizona, U of Michigan
  - Initial Draw: August 5, 6, 7
  - Final Draw: November 11,12, 13
  - Duration: 3 months
  - Going to be analyzing blood and urine for:
    - Epigenetic analyses
    - PFAS analysis
    - metal analysis
    - Biomarkers for inflammation
      - C-reactive protein
- SFFD / International Association of Firefighters (IAFF)- PFAS Free Study
  - SFFD, IAFF
  - 90-day wear trial will conclude 7.26.24
  - 10 Participants (5 wearing Fire-Dex & 5 wearing Lion) have been filling out daily logs and the IAFF will be collecting them.
  - They will then hand them over to the SFFD
  - 2 Companies being compared is Fire-Dex & Lion Turnouts
- SFFCPF Nutrition Study (Fall / Winter)
  - SFFCPF, SFFD & Stanford
  - Dr. Christophe Gardner (Stanford) Nutrition Research Group
  - Duration: 8 weeks
  - Plant Based Diet vs. Meat & Dairy Diet
- PTSI/ Sleep Disorder Study (Ends in August)
  - National Center for PTSD, Dissemination & Training Division
    - VA Palo Alto Health Care System

- Recruiting Active and Retired Firefighters
      - Firefighters often experience posttraumatic injury (PTSI) and sleep problems that can impair their functioning at work and at home.
      - They are recruiting active and retired firefighters to participate in a pilot study evaluating a 4-day treatment workshop to address symptoms of PTSI, insomnia, and nightmares.
      - In a small pilot study, this treatment was found to be helpful for active-duty military personnel.
      - Participants in this study, will be asked to attend a 4-day group treatment workshop in Kansas City (food and accommodation provided).
      - Firefighters from the same department will not be enrolled in the same intervention group.
    - **BHU** has identified 2 members to attend
- SFFD Study of Overhaul and Respiratory Protection
  - SFFD, UC Berkely. Silent Spring Institute, Cal/OSHA, SFFCPF, National Fire Service Women (NFSW)
  - Study is going to be comparing SCBA vs. Powered Air Purifying Respirator (PAPR's) during overhaul
  - AB 700 *California Firefighter Cancer Prevention and Research Program*
    - June 13<sup>th</sup> proposal submitted, expect to hear back November, 13<sup>th</sup>, 2024
    - Cal/OSHA is granting an experimental variance to allow test the use of PAPR's instead of SCBA
    - Study will involve 4 Phases.
      - Phase 1 is in a controlled environment, if SCBA proves to provide more respiratory protection then the PAPR's, the study will stop.
      - If the study shows that PAPR's have as good as the SCBA, then the study will continue in the field with Truck Companies participating, wearing the PAPR's for respiratory protection
- **UPDATE:** Health & Safety Committee
  - Annual Wellness Exam Program Policy has been viewed by Local 798 and approved seeking CD'1 approval.
- **BHU:**
  - Met with a grant made possible by SJSU focusing on Moral Injury
    - SFHSS
    - CP Chief Mike Mason
    - BHU Captain Buren

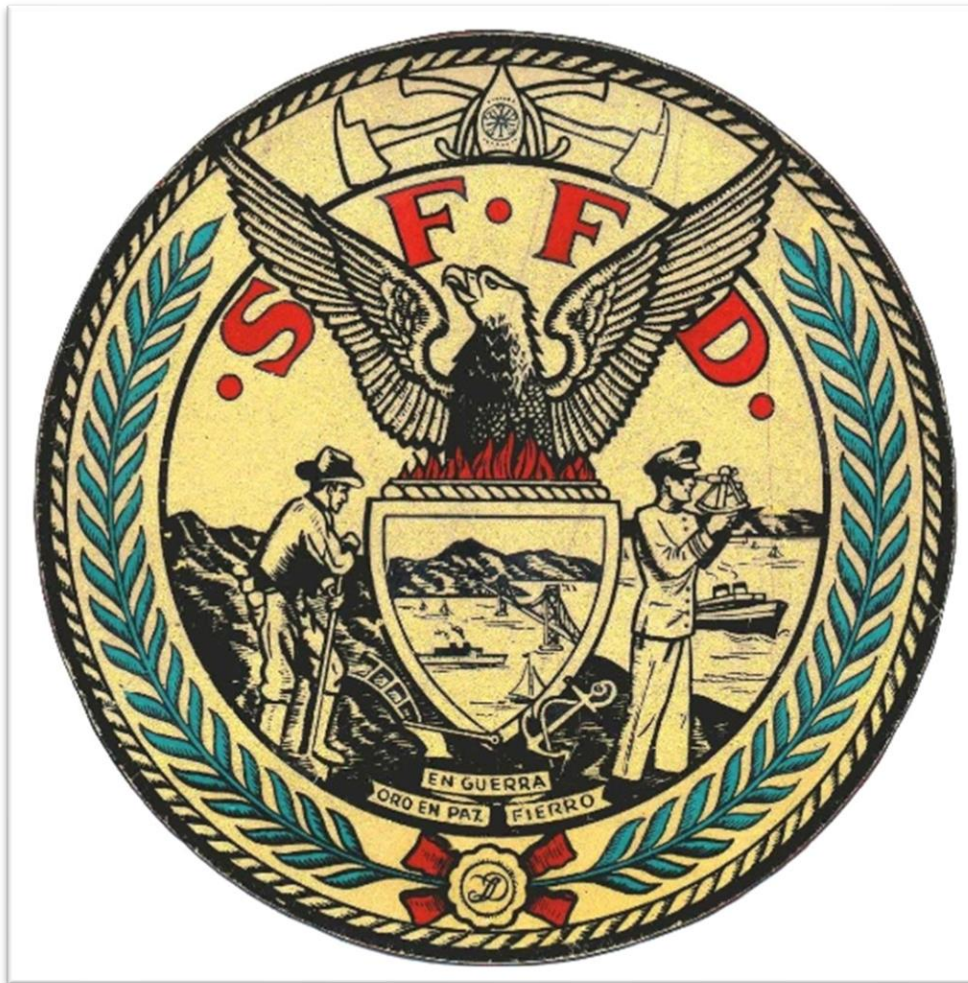
- Starting in July, every Wednesday from 11 – 4pm they will be paying Specialty Providers and offering CP folks “group therapy” (working on the name)”
  - Met with: Worker Comp Director - LaDonna Bellamy-Ashford & Ed Stone
    - WC is delaying claims due to a “lack of information”
    - Left the meeting with more questions but didn’t want to overwhelm the new WC director. **BHU** is already setting up a follow up meeting.
  - **BHU** had **57** contacts for the month of June.
  
- **NEW:** PPE being worn at charity stair climb events
  - BC Alba had contact with the following organizations and provided them with education on why we don’t wear our PPE during charity events. It is counter intuitive to each organizations mission statement.
  - <https://www.sffcpf.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/06/6.23.2020-DR-PEASLEE-STUDY-ANOTHER-PATHWAY-FOR-FIREFIGHTER-EXPOSURE-TO-PFAS-FIREFIGHTER-TEXTILES.pdf>
  - - Leukemia and Lymphoma Society
      - **The LLS mission:** Cure leukemia, lymphoma, Hodgkin's disease and myeloma, and improve the quality of life of patients and their families.
    - American lung Association
      - **Our Mission:** To save lives by improving lung health and preventing lung disease.
      - **Our Vision:** A world free of lung disease.
      - **Our Strategic Imperatives:**
        - Defeat lung cancer.
        - Champion clean air for all.
        - Improve the quality of life for those with lung disease and their families.
        - Create a tobacco-free future.
    - National Multiple Sclerosis Society
      - **NMSS Vision & Mission statements:** The National Multiple Sclerosis Society exists because there are people living with MS.
      - Our vision is a world free of MS.
      - Our mission is to help people affected by MS live their best lives as we stop MS in its tracks, restore what has been lost and end MS forever.

*Environmental Occupational Health and Safety  
Anthony Boone, CIH, CSP, CHMM, CEI  
June 2024*

- Performed Spill Prevention and Countermeasures Plan (SPCC) inspections
- Reviewed Monthly UST inspections
- Attended monthly health and safety meetings
- Delivered health and safety, hearing conservation and heat stress training to 134<sup>th</sup> recruit class
- Assisted with Workplace Violence Prevention plan submitted to DHR
- Conducted ergonomic evaluation on NERT Outreach Coordinator positive changes recorded instantly.
- Updated the environmental reports in CERS for stations 5 and 49.
- Escorted Occupational Health Nurse Practitioner students from UCSF on tour of Fire Station 4. Station 4 received the students and explained the health hazards of firefighting, and type of equipment used to protect them.
- Assisted with Medical Waste Inspection at Station 49
- Submitted hazardous waste fee paperwork to Support Services



# Office of Employee Health





***Office of Employee Health  
Steven Chang, DO, Supervising Physician  
June 2024***

**Return to Work: 68**

**New Hire:**

- Screened candidates for the 134<sup>th</sup> H2 Academy.

**Promotion/Probation: 35**

**Monthly Summary of Work-Related Injuries and Illness Report**

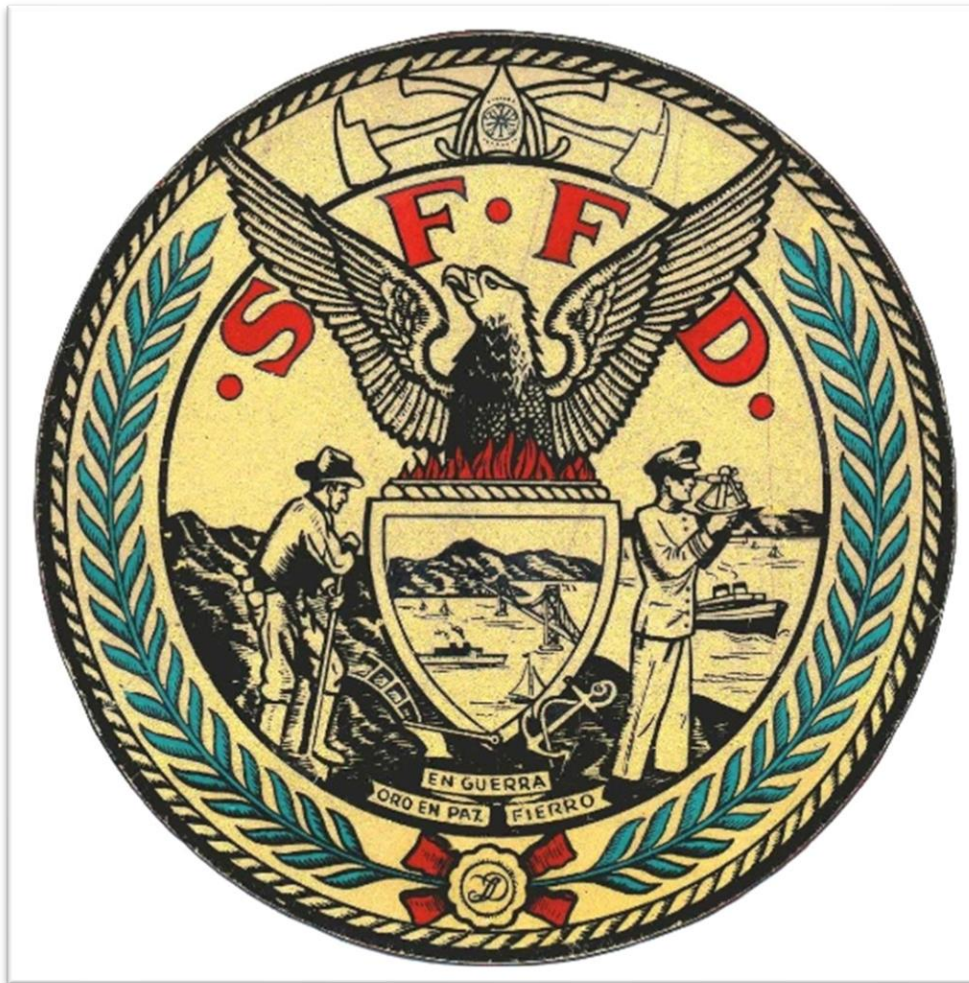
- 56 = Total number of 3807 injuries/illnesses - no medical evaluation
- 46 = Total number of 5020 injuries/illnesses - completed medical evaluation
- Top three 5020 events:
  1. Back = 12
  2. COVID = 9
  3. Arm = 5
- 30 = Total number of 5020 events that resulted in time off work

**Other Activities:**

- Meeting with Workers Comp Supervisors to discuss coordination of care
- Meetings with ZSFG Occupational Health to discuss member services
- Meetings with Phoenix Fire Department to discuss best practices around physical, mental, and behavioral health
- Meeting with IAFF Center of Excellence
- Meeting with City Attorneys
- Continued participation in BHU Subcommittee
- Continued participation in Health and Safety Planning Committee
- Continued participation in Annual Wellness Exam Subcommittee
- Ongoing discussions for new EHR
- Revised General Order for Injury and Illness Treatment Procedures
- Revised General Order for COVID Reporting and Notifications



# Research and Planning





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

List of recent activity in the Assignment office for **June 2024**

1. Assignment Office is working with EMS Division and Community Paramedicine for on-going staffing and scheduling.
2. Station 49 vacancy per G.O. 24 A-44, live bids.
3. Assignment changes for Fire Suppression, all ranks. For staffing and promotions.
4. Ongoing work with Fire Prevention on staffing and scheduling.
5. Promotions for new Acting H-20, H-30 and H-40 on the promotional list.
6. Assignment changes for the New 133<sup>rd</sup> Academy class and second assignment for the 132<sup>nd</sup> class.
7. Working with Airport Division for staffing.
8. Ongoing work with Fire Pay roll for discrepancies for every pay period.
9. 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.
10. Continues to assist Physician's Office with assigning personnel to Temporary Modified Duty Positions.
11. Continue new WDO-In-Advance Policy for Suppression members, General Order 21A-64. Pre-hiring of 50% of shortage seven days in advance on Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.
12. Continue Mandatory Credit given WDOs for weekends to increase voluntary WDOs.





# Investigative Services Bureau





***Investigative Services Bureau  
Captain Todd Weddle  
June 2024***

**Fireboat/Energetix DOT Testing Program**

The Fireboat testing is now under the random testing program and the names are added to the draw pool daily from Datco Services.

**Random Alcohol and Drug Testing Program**

The Random Alcohol and Drug Testing Program is in compliance for the month of June.

**Post-Accident Alcohol and Drug Testing Program**

One post- Accident Alcohol and Drug test was administered by ISB during the month of June. Two Battalion Chiefs (Winn and Oconnell) have completed and passed all online and hands on Designator Collector training.

Two Battalion Chiefs (Cercos and Kasper) have completed and passed the online training for Designated Collector. Hands on training will be complete early July.

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

Thirty-two Members participated in new hire, promotional, and end of probation Alcohol and Drug Testing.

-Capt. Weddle ensured that the doctor's office had all necessary supplies for Drug and Alcohol testing.

**Breathalyzers**

All current Breathalyzer being used in the field including Div2, Div3, Airport, ISB, and doctors office have been accuracy tested in the month of June. Three breathalyzers that were sent to intoximeter for recalibration have been completed.

**California Driver Licenses (CDL)**

Cpt Weddle continued to monitor all Dept members Drivers Licenses via CA DMV Pull Notifications. All necessary updates have been made i.e. Add new employees to the system and remove retired employees from the database.

**Training**

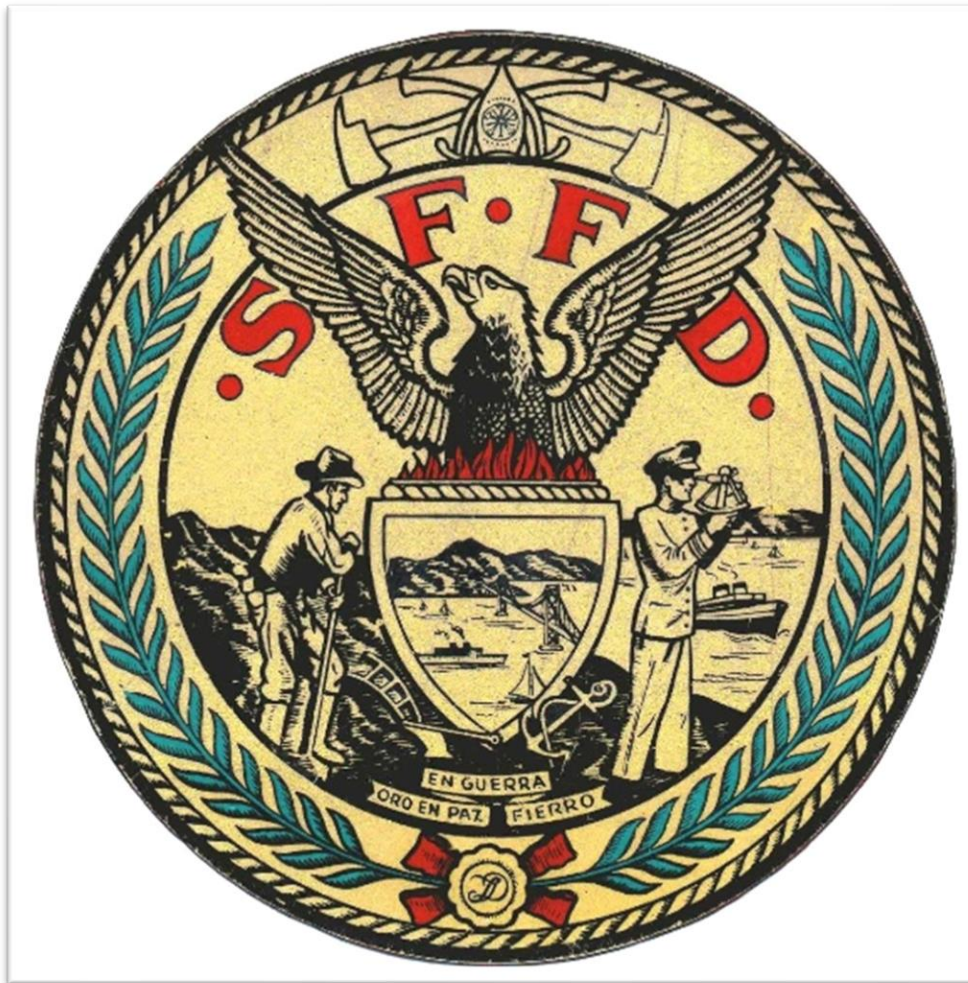
Cpt Weddle participated in a train the trainer Auto Extrication class during the month of June. Capt. Weddle deployed on two wildland incidents. Sites fire in the Mendicino and Thompson Fire outside Oroville, CA.

**Background Investigations**

Background investigations for the September H3L1 class have begun. Twenty two candidates have been selected for the background process. All H3L1 candidates will be using the new Medic Recruitment portal.



# Support Services





*Support Services – ADC Michael Mullin  
June 2024*

FACILITY MAINTENANCE & PLANNING (June Waechtler, SFFD)

- A total of 110 requests for service were initiated during the month of June, 2024.
- 103 service orders were completed and closed out in June, 2024.

**PLUMBING**

- Eighteen service calls were placed to resolve minor plumbing issues (faucet, toilet, urinal repairs; clogged sinks, shower drains) in the month of June, 2024. All issues were addressed by DPW's Plumbers.
- Two sewage backups were reported during this month (42, 8).
- One new water heater was installed this month (1415 Evans).

**HVAC/HEATING/BOILER**

**FS 23:** Heater in Officer's Room needs to be replaced including new t-stats, on-off switch. Drying Room needs new heater and exhaust fan. Modifying controls to include timer and on/off switch in or outside Drying Room. Waiting for quote from DPW's Steamfitters Shop for two heaters, one exhaust fan and the necessary control work. Quote received from DPW; in for ADC of Support Service's review. Status Update: ADC of Support Services requested that a quote be provided just for the fan coil replacement. Steamfitters are proposing to modify the existing estimate and resend mid-July.

**FS 5:** Boiler needs new flue to be fabricated by DPW Sheetmetal Shop; after fabrication and installation of new flue, DPW Steamfitters will run new drain and condensate neutralizer. DPW's Steamfitters Shop determined that this work should be reassigned to DPW's Sheet Metal Shop. Waiting for quote for fabrication from Sheet Metal Shop. Quote received from DPW's Sheetmetal Shop; in for ADC of Support Service's review. Scope of Work has been approved by Support Services and material is in procurement. Waiting for materials. Materials have arrived. DPW Steamfitters will schedule unit to be shut down so that new flue can be incorporated. New flue installation is complete and drains have been installed. DPW Steamfitters will be performing start up of unit week of June 3rd. Status Update: Work complete.

**FS 28:** Flushed entire heating system and strainers of fan coil and air handlers; will replace 3 t-stats. Pump was replaced and 2 of the 3 T-stats have been replaced. The last of the 3 T-stats installed in March. New equipment is not syncing with older equipment plus multiple zones with inadequate heat. Additional control valves and thermostats are needed. Quoted 3 days labor plus \$3,000 parts which was approved by ADC Mullin. New thermostats and control valves have been received and need to be installed. Installation scheduled for mid-July. New control module was installed on air handler. T-stats and control valves still need to be added to the 4 heating zones. We are complete with 3 of the control valves and t-stats. Steamfitters need to install 2 more control valves (which were buried in ceiling). All new thermostats and control valves have been replaced. Additional issues remain: HHW pump is making grinding noise and control valves on the roof units are becoming severely compromised by exposure to the elements. DPW proposing to replace one pump and 2 control valves with weather shield for the

roofing units. Waiting for equipment and labor cost estimate. The new pump and valves with the weather shield comes to \$4,600 installation will take approximately 2 men to install in two days. Waiting for ADC of Support Services approval to proceed. Approved by Support Services. Waiting for parts to be procured. Material is in; waiting for labor. New control valves were installed and heat is on in the dorm and other areas of station. Insulating of rooftop is next. Steamfitters are monitoring the heating system's operations. Insulation on roof is complete. Still have one day of control wiring to complete on roof which will include adding a control box on the roof to fit the zone controller. Status Update: DPW will schedule labor for 1 day to clean up the exposed control wire on the roof after HVAC start up at St 9. Currently waiting for labor.

FS 14: New pulleys, motors and belts were installed on the station's exhaust extractor system to improve intake. Fan not performing as designed. A rep from Nederman (manufacturer of the exhaust extractor) came on-site for inspection, and recommended a different exhaust fan for the exhaust extractor. HVAC installation is complete. Nederman exhaust fan had to be replaced and has been ordered; ETA is 3 months. DPW Steamfitters are still waiting for fan procurement. Issued PO to Air Filtration on 5/25/23. Fan expected to be delivered mid-October. New fan has arrived. DPW anticipates swapping out unit will take two men two days of labor to accomplish. Installation anticipated to be completed in January, 2024. Replacement fan arrived. Status Update: Waiting for labor.

FS 22: Re-circ pumps need to be replaced. DPW Steamfitters to conduct walk thru with Support Services then provide estimate for re-pipe. Moving forward with estimate for re pipe. Status Update: Waiting for funding transfer.

FS 9: ESTIMATES RECEIVED from DPW Steamfitters to replace 3 rooftop HVAC units: \$149,701.72.

Submitted approval to DPW/BBR to proceed with work as quoted. DPW Steamfitters submitted a quote for new equipment on 7/31/23. Equipment is due to arrive shortly. Given that FS 26's furnace install is nearing completion, DPW Steamfitters can start on FS 9's AHU replacement. Roof will be open for 1 week while sheetmetal is building curbs for the new units. Postponed until 1 week of clear weather is in forecast. Lift to remove old units off roof is scheduled for Monday, May 13. Curb adapters will be fabricated, and units will be set in place. 2nd lift TBD. Lift Review Meeting is scheduled for Friday, May 10th. Status Update: Old units were removed, and the curbs were fabricated. Lift to set new equipment was been rescheduled to Monday, June 17th, 8:00 am. Steamfitters propose to complete gas piping and drains mid-July. Sheet metal will be done with the economizers and powered exhaust fans mid-July. Extra items that were not included with the unit: 1) Hail guard for the coils; 2) Exhaust extension piece to prevent flue gas from being pulled into the economizer; 3) a fuse block terminal at the power exhaust fan. These items were identified upon installation.

FS 13: ESTIMATE RECEIVED for Furnace/Forced air units in dorm; price also includes replacing existing ductwork: preliminary estimate \$80,000. Awaiting formal ESTIMATE from DPW/BBR. DPW's Steamfitters made a temporary repair, however 2/4 zones have bad heat exchangers and gas is locked out. Troubleshooting is continuing. Unit is working with temporary repair in place. Received estimate for \$104,888.00. Waiting for ADC of Support Services to approve quote. Approved by Support Services. Waiting for labor availability and funding transfer. DPW Steamfitters are reviewing system operations of new units at St 26 then they will replicate system for St 13 as per discussion with Support Service's Assistant Deputy Chief and Stationary Engineer. Still discussing which units to purchase with SFFD Stationary Engineer. Status Update: Waiting for equipment to be approved by Support Services. Steamfitters also propose surveying the electrical panel as discussed with SFFD.



FS 12: Boiler re-pipe proposal. Received revised quote from DPW Steamfitters \$ 72,025.26. Waiting for ADC of Support Services to approve quote. Approved by Support Services. Waiting for labor availability and funding transfer. Waiting for material. Material has arrived; DPW will schedule labor to install new pumps and piping. Status Update: Waiting for labor.

FS 41: Boiler controls proposal. Received revised quote from DPW Steamfitters \$ 23,559.83. Waiting for ADC of Support Services to approve quote. Approved by Support Services. Status Update: Order of new relays and wire has arrived; DPW will schedule labor to replace contactors and relays in the control panel. Waiting for labor.

FS 25: New radiator needed in Ladies Locker Room. Unit costs \$9,000 plus \$1,000 in parts. Anticipate 30 hours of labor needed. Deferred. Zone valves have been replaced. Status Update: Work has been completed.

FS 37: RADIATORS It was discovered that 17 radiators need new valves to control on/off. Nine (9) of the units do not work. Waiting for proposal to change out all valves. Drying Room Heater needs a 3-way valve and an outdoor air override that needs to be installed. Proposing two men to take nine (9) days, plus \$3500 in parts. The heat is on in the Station and the new program settings are adequate to get through the winter. Work will need to be done when they are permitted to shut Boiler down for a few days. Waiting for formal quote to be sent to ADC Support Services for sign off. Status Update: Deferred.

FS 43: DPW Steamfitters are investigating intermittent heat issues on 1st Floor. Waiting for findings. There is an existing radiant heating system on the 1st floor of the Station. Steamfitters are proposing to see if they can repair system which could resolve the heating issue. Steamfitters advise if unit is not repairable, they propose designing a new heating system for the 1st floor. Status Update: Project under consideration by Support Services.

FS 3: A temporary water heater had to be installed the first week of May due to insufficient hot water production. DPW Steamfitters are preparing quote to replace old unit. Quote received and approved. Status Update: Replacement installation is complete.

#### CEMENT/ASPHALT

No major cement issues were reported.

#### EXHAUST EXTRACTORS

FSs 10 (3), 3, 19 and 28 reported issues with their Station's exhaust extractors. All issues have been resolved and units have been returned to service. FS 23 reported issues with station's exhaust extractor. Waiting for quote from vendor who will provide specialized fabrication. Unit is working but it runs loudly. Received quote which includes a stainless steel exterior fan to prevent premature rusting. Processing purchase order. Status Update: Waiting on delivery date.

#### GENERATORS

No generators were scheduled for annual maintenance service and load bank testing during June, 2024. FS 9's generator repair is still pending resolve.

#### GLASS/WINDOWS/SCREENS

No major glass/window/screens issues were reported.

#### CARPENTRY

No major carpentry issues were reported.

## ELECTRICAL

No major electrical issues were reported.

## LANDSCAPING

Requested DPW/Bureau of Forestry to perform site inspection of the trees surrounding FS 10 (over 80 trees in total) to determine if any were diseased, at risk of toppling, etc. Site inspection was performed; waiting for a written report on findings but nothing needed immediate attention. A site visit with BUF on May 11th revealed that several trees need significant pruning and thinning. Waiting for written estimate for tree trimming. Received estimate to remove large overlapping branches that overhang station parking lot, back of building plus work to include elevating branches over sidewalk and parking spaces: Crew of 5 for 3 days \$20,959.34. All 80 plus trees are within the Fire Department's property line and are not funded for maintenance through the Public Works Street Tree SF Program, therefore, we are responsible for all maintenance. Forwarded estimate to CFO to schedule work for next fiscal year. Next trim should be scheduled within the next 3-5 years. ADC of Support Services will meet with CFO in August to discuss this FY's budget and determine how to proceed. Project on hold as other more pressing issues must take precedence. Status Update: Received approval for funding. Waiting for labor availability.

FS 39 Submitted request to Bureau of Forestry to provide report on the vitality of the large trees that incorporate landscape at FS 39.

## **E.S.E.R.—Emergency Firefighting Water System (EFWS), SFPUC**

- Clarendon Supply EFWS Pipeline – Construction reached substantial completion January 2024. Continued to address closeout items, expected final completion by Fall 2024.
- Fireboat Manifold – Planning for new pipeline and fireboat manifold near Fort Mason Pier 2 and Pier 35.5 for fire suppression continued. Draft Alternative Analysis Report (AAR) was distributed for stakeholder's review.
- Potable Emergency Firefighting Water System (PEFWS) project – Design for Contract A (from Lake Merced Pump Station to Sloat Blvd/19th Ave) and Contract B (from Vicente Street / 23rd Ave to 42nd Ave / Lawton St.) continued.

E.S.E.R. BOND 2010 NFS – Updates through June 2024

### **Additional Focused Scope Program (Michael Rossetto, San Francisco Public Works):**

#### **Emergency Generators:**

- o **Fire Station 14** – Moved to ESER 2014 section

E.S.E.R. BOND 2014 NFS – Updates through June 2024

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

• **Fireboat Station 35 (\$50.5M)** – Certificate of Final Completion was issued on November 11, 2022. Final Payment Application to Swinerton/Power, JV was approved on 7/10 followed by the final release of retention on 7/12/2022. Project is in the Warranty Period.

[**M. Rossetto**] FS35 Security gate enhancement has emerged as a high priority for SFFD. Permit applications have been submitted to both BCDC and the Port. BCDC

comments have been received and responses underway. 6/26/24 BCDC states that the permit application is complete and that their deadline is now 9/24/24 to issue the amendment. However, BCDC has committed to issuing a draft amendment for review by the end of July.



**Focused Scope Program (Michael Rossetto, San Francisco Public Works):**

*Total Funding allocated for the Focused Scope Program is \$21,407,279, approved by SFFD on 8/17/17. Work is complete in 8 of 9 of the Focused Scope categories comprising Roofing, Apparatus Bay Door Replacements, Exterior Envelope Improvements, Windows, Showers, HVAC/Mechanical, Sidewalk/Slabs, and Security Access Control. Work continues to progress through the last scope category, Generator Replacements.*

**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.  
*This project is complete.*
- **FS 19** – Scope of work: replace existing generator at grade and replace main electrical panel. Construction phase review of submittals underway with the contractor MIK. DPW-BUF contacted to review health and pruning/removal needs of trees adjacent to the fire station. BUF agrees that the large tree adjacent to the generator is not healthy and should be removed. A fee proposal will be reviewed with the SFFD.
- **FS 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.
  - DPW-BOA has been approved to re-initiate the project with a concepts phase to validate changing the generator from a rooftop to a ground-mounted location that will be fuel-filled by hand in lieu of piped. The concepts drawing was delivered to SFFD on 4/29/24 and approved. A pre-application with Fire Prevention will follow.
  - Design proposal from BOA submitted to BPM, under review.

### **Exterior Envelope:**

- o **Package 1 (FS 8, 20, 23, 29)** – FS 8, 20, and 29 are complete; On 1/15/21, SFFD requested a hold on FS 23 painting due to other priorities.
- o **Package 2 (FS 24, 34)** – This project remains on HOLD initially placed at the request of Capital Planning in order to provide supplemental funding to the Police TC&FSD project. It is now expected that those funds will be returned to the SFFD for allocation to a priority project, possibly FS24 and/or FS34.
- o **FS 17 & 31** Exterior Envelopes were requested as new projects by SFFD in August 2023, both as lower priorities. These were approved by the Capital Planning Committee for use of ESER 2014 interest. A waterproofing consultant is recommended to determine corrective measures and potential costs.

### **Miscellaneous:**

- FS35 Security Fence Enhancements, FS17 Boiler Replacement & FS 29 Apparatus Bay Door Replacement were requested as new projects by SFFD in August 2023. These are ranked as the highest priority (most urgent) projects after the Network Modernization project.
- o **FS 35** – See Fireboat Station 35 description.
  - o **FS 17** – ON HOLD per SFFD 12/12/23 email.
  - o **FS 29** – JOC fee proposal from Rubecon was received, reviewed, and approved. Kick off meeting with Rubecon held on 6/13/24.

### **Network Modernization Project (Michael Rossetto, San Francisco Public Works):**

Survey existing network infrastructure and document recommended improvements at all fire stations. The hazardous materials survey consultant EnviroSurvey completed all stations in June 2024. Lab test results show eight stations require asbestos abatement. JOC fee proposal is being prepared by MIK Construction.

E.S.E.R. BOND 2020 NFS – Updates through May 2024

### **Division of Training – Formerly “Fire Training Facility” (Scott Moran, San Francisco Public Works)**



**Budget:** \$275M

**Phase:** Design (Schematic Design)

**Schedule:**

- Estimated Start of Construction – Fall 2025
- Estimated Substantial Completion – Fall 2028

**Highlights:**

- Civic Design Review Conceptual Presentation completed on 6/17/24.
- 50% Schematic Design completed on 6/28/24.
- Attended four separate community meetings to present the conceptual designs for the project on 5/1/24, 6/3/24, 6/12/24 and 7/1/24. Three of these groups were specifically identified by Supervisor Walton as key community stakeholders.
- Supervisor Walton has agreed to introduce legislation for Planning Code Amendments (zoning change and height restriction variance) as well as Street Vacations (3 paper streets to be incorporated into the site).
- SFPUC negotiations continue on an MOU relative to the protection of existing wastewater infrastructure systems underneath the paper streets within the site. A conceptual design update and coordination meeting with SFPUC is scheduled for 7/15/24.
- Planning has agreed to have WSP environmental engineer (who worked on original CEQA studies in 2021) review the SCS Engineers draft report from December 2023 with updated, more accurate smoke emissions projections based on changes in SFFD burn practices for staff and public safety. Waiting for a proposal from WSP with the intent that their review will occur in July and/or August.
- A combined RFQ and RFP (Request for Qualifications & Request for Proposal) for Construction Manager/ General Contractor services is being reviewed with Contracts Monitoring Division, PW Contracts and City Attorney's Office. Goal is to release for bid in August.

### **Fire Station 7 Replacement (San Francisco Public Works)**

**Budget:** Expected budget of the Fire Training Facility does not create funding opportunity for the FS 7 project

**Phase:** N/A

**Schedule:** N/A

**Highlights:** N/A

P.H.S. BOND 2016 NFS – Updates through June 2024

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

### **Seismic Improvement Program (Michael Rossetto, San Francisco Public Works):**

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

**Hose Tower Removal & Replacement (FS 15) –**

December 2023 JOC fee proposal was received and is in excess of the \$1M threshold. Design-bid-build will be pursued, adding approximately 6 months to the start of construction. SFFD has

requested minor design changes with the addition of electrical outlets and a ship's ladder in lieu of a vertical ladder to the roof. BOA has met with SFFD to review design changes. An on-site meeting occurred with the radio Shop to determine replacement of antennas currently mounted on the existing tower. BOA will revise the drawings for final draft review with SFFD. BOA is producing fee proposal inclusive of structural and electrical for the SFFD requested changes.

**Focused Scope Program (Michael Rossetto, San Francisco Public Works):**  
**Emergency Generators:**

• **FS 37 & 44:**

- On-site construction activity began the week of April 22, 2024.
- Load bank delay from manufacturer until August 2024. The generators are at a Stockton facility waiting for load bank installation prior to site delivery.

• **FS 18:**

- SFFD requested a cost proposal to change the generator housing to aluminum. SFFD agreed to the aluminum upgrade.
- JOC fee proposal received and approved.
- Authorization to proceed with JOC received from the SFFD on 6/4. TP for construction anticipated in mid-July.

**DEPARTMENT ENGINEERING (Stationary Engineer Avo Sarkissian, SFFD)**

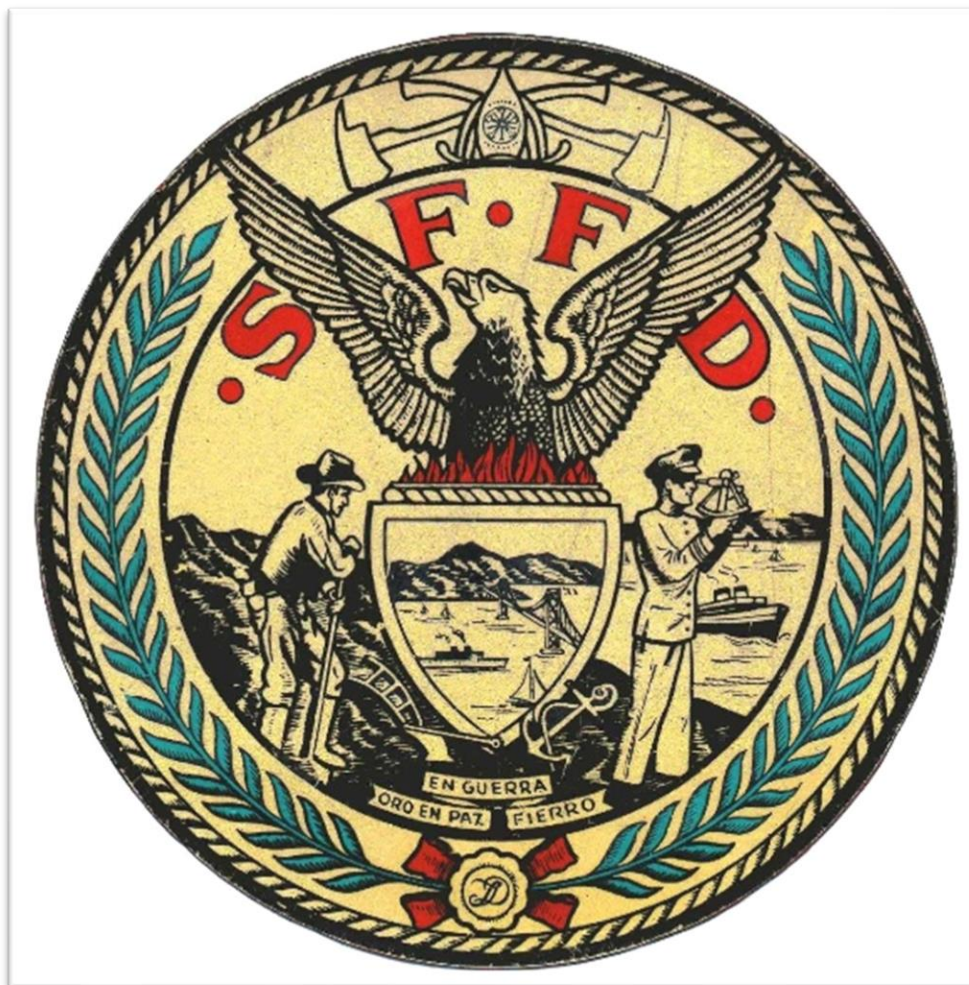
- Ongoing and routine maintenance at Fire Stations, HQ and ADF.
- Funds have been transferred to SFWD for replacing HQ main water back flow device. No date has been set for install.
- HQ Elevator modernization quote was submitted to CFO for viewing.
- We have completed upgrading the stations underground fuel monitoring panel
- Station 2 sewage ejector pump upgrade were completed. DPW plumbers need to return due to one faulty pump. The replacement pump has been ordered no date has been set for repair.
- Station 17 Boiler replacement cost proposal from outside vendor was received and forwarded to ADC's.
- Station 9 HVAC replacement units have been received. Work will begin May 18th
- DPW Painters have begun painting and patching interior walls throughout headquarters.

**BOE/FLEET MANAGEMENT (Lt. Jason Watrous, SFFD)**

Final inspection on two Rosenbauer host tenders held in Minnesota.  
Completed new CO2 specs  
Mini pumper 31 and 25 both put into service.  
New Arson truck, Prevention car and ambulance delivered to BOE  
Distribution of several grant orders that were received  
Commencing of annual aerial testing, 5 completed  
Continue to decommission old SFFD vehicles



# Earthquake Safety and Emergency Response (ESER) Bond







***Earthquake Safety and Emergency Response (ESER) Bond***  
***Assistant Deputy Chief Garreth Miller***  
***June 2024***

**General**

- Captain Mike Castain was selected for the ESER Officer Position
- Captain Roger Ng retired from the SFFD

**New SFFD DOT Construction**

- Schematic Design continued, with multiple design meetings focused on the floor plans of individual structures
- SFFD received the 50% Schematic Design Package
- Public Outreach Continued with a meeting at the Bayview Hill Neighborhood Association and a meeting at True Hope Church with Dr. Arelious Walker and his team
- SFFD participated with the design and project management team in a presentation to the Arts Commission Civic Design Review Committee
- Completed a site visit to the newly developed training sites of the San Jose Fire Department and Hayward Fire Department
- Public Works reports project actual spending increased from \$6,023,044 to \$6,438,488

**Emergency Firefighting Water System**

- The SFFD Emergency Water Supply Committee and Capt. Kotter attended an SFPUC orientation and familiarization to the Lake Merced Pump Station
- Heard a proposal from A.Y. McDonald and Valmatic to manufacture new Gleeson valves
- Participated in a field walk with SFPUC to determine hydrant locations along the planned Potable Emergency Firefighting Water System (PEFWS) from Lake Merced to the Central Pump Station near Stern Grove

**Fire Station 35**

- Security fence improvements awaiting approval from the San Francisco Bay Conservation and Development Commission

**Network Modernization Project**

- Hazard Surveys completed, reports being completed
- Job Order Contract proposal for the construction component of the project estimates \$24,000 per site, Public Works is working to reduce this estimate

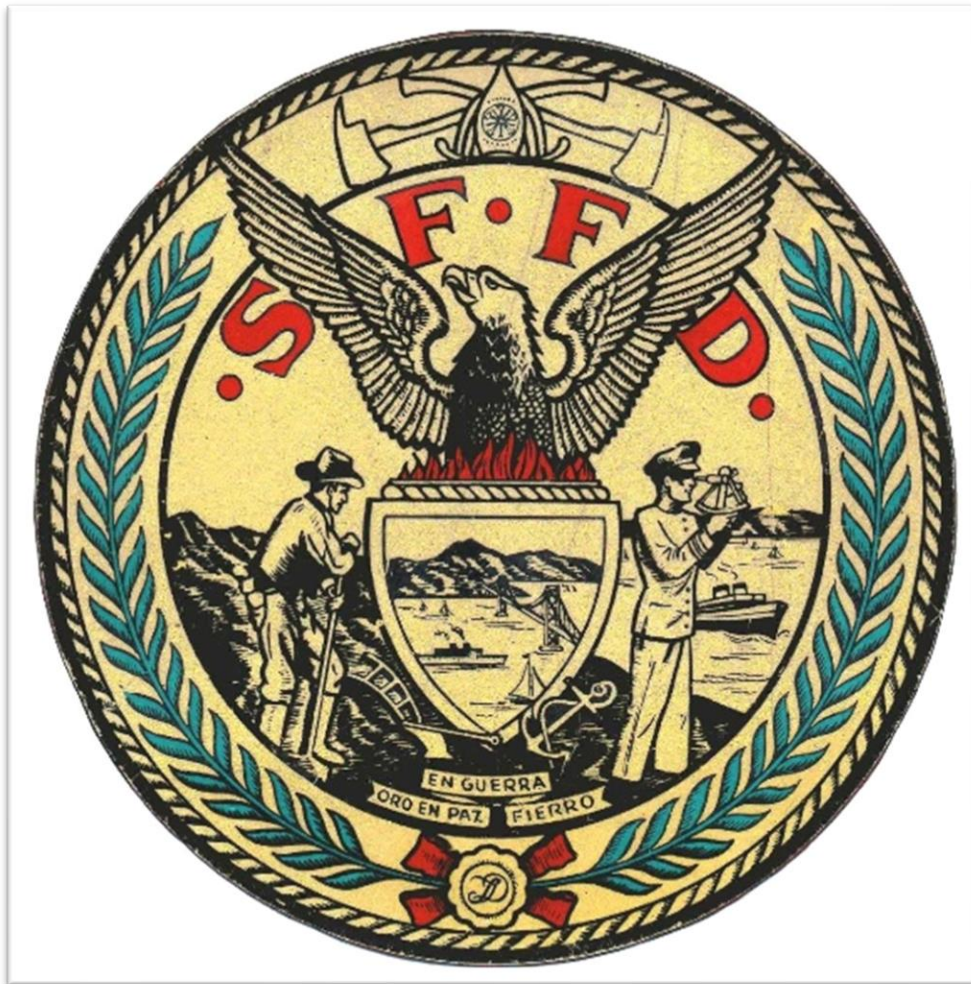
## **Neighborhood Fire Stations**

- FS 37 and 44 – Generator delivery delayed, construction of the concrete pads to support generators complete but not to specification, further assessment and review by structural engineer needed

## **FY24 Roofing Program**

- Fire Station 9 Roof Replacement - roofing consultant completed a site visit and is developing a design document

# Human Resources





***Human Resources***  
***Maryann Poon***  
***June 2024***

Reporting the following PERMANENT PROBATIONARY appointment effective June 13, 2024:

*H-40 Battalion Chief*

Scoble Jr., Henry B (vice: Cherish Murdock)

Ibarra-Rivera, Luis (vice: Keng Chan)

Reporting the following PERMANENT EXEMPT appointment effective June 18, 2024:

*H-51 Assistant Deputy Chief II*

Mau, Julie (vice: Shayne Kaialoa)

Reporting the following PERMANENT PROBATIONARY appointment effective June 21, 2024:

*H-20 Lieutenant*

Regala, Jason Q (vice: Stephen Finnegan)

Reporting the following PERMANENT EXEMPT appointment effective June 25, 2024:

*H-51 Assistant Deputy Chief II*

Mullin, Michael K (vice: Ramon Serrano)

Reporting the following PERMANENT PROBATIONARY appointment effective June 24, 2024:

*H-2 Firefighter*

Aceves, Christian (vice: Rigel Juratovac)

Adams, Francis A. (vice: Richard Gonzalez)

Alonso Rodriguez, Diego (vice: Dustin Stewart)

Asaeli, Kelvin L. (vice: Vincent Sansoni)  
Bledsoe Jr., Geary L. (vice: Evan Giacomino)  
Bredemeier, Royce R. (vice: Michael Craig)  
Bright, Christopher P. (vice: Neal Narayan)  
Bunuan, Carly M. (vice: Arlene E Nunez)  
Chretien, Alexandra G. (vice: Kelly Farnow)  
Colon, Morrie O. (vice: Eileen C Needham)  
Cooksey, Jordan M. (vice: Patrick F Doherty)  
Cotter, Liam T (vice: Eli Thomas)  
Davis, Zachary I (vice: Laurel Stricklin)  
Del Bianco, John T (vice: Karina Ceron)  
Ellis, Marquis D. (vice: Patrick Grimesey)  
Garavaglia, Colin P. (vice: Nicholas A Yuen)  
Henderson, Bradley J. (vice: Ryan Swaner)  
Hernandez Li, Alberto (vice: Markland Kim)  
Hodges, Jonathan P. (vice: Marc E Lopez)  
Hughes, Edward J. (vice: Rock Plichcik)  
Jean, Jean-Phillipe (vice: Robert Sanchez)  
Knowles, Brett T. (vice: Sean Visser)  
Luttrupp, Eamon X. (vice: Thomas O'Brien)  
Mainey, Stephani H. (vice: Christian M Murphy)  
Mcfarland, Edward W. (vice: Amy D Swanson)  
Miller, Ean C. (vice: Matthew Balzarini)  
Murphy, Sean M (vice: James McGuigan)  
O'Neil, Juan C. (vice: Tessa Leaea)  
Payne, Matthew J (vice: Kishorie Weingart)  
Rey, Ryan K. (vice: Brandon Murray)  
Roque, Charmagne Ann D. (vice: Raymond Schnellker)  
Sambell, Chad R. (vice: Marcos A Ramirez)  
Sanchez, Luis A. (vice: Sasha A Crombie)  
Sanchez, Mario E. (vice: Anthony J Petuya)  
Schmutz, Samuel J. (vice: Jenny W Hodgkin)  
Singh, Kabir C. (vice: Aaron B Sagin)  
Sullivan, Joseph P. (vice: Valerie A Stephenson-Boyd)  
Tobala, Jackson C. (vice: Sean M Pastori)  
Turner, Jovon P. (vice: Joanna Graham)  
Upham, William L. (vice: David J Kimmel)  
Walker, Cody D. (vice: Norman Wong)  
White, Candice B. (vice: Robyn E Galicer)  
Ortega, Miguel L. (vice: Marilyn Barton)

Reporting the following PERMANENT PROBATIONARY appointment effective June 26, 2024:

*H-30 Captain*

Smith Jr., John (vice: Thorin Shattuck)

Reporting the following PERMANENT EXEMPT appointment effective July 1, 2024:

*1454 Executive Secretary III*

Aguas-Aclan, Katherine (vice: Maureen Conefrey)

Reporting the following TEMPORARY EXEMPT (C2 Retiree) appointment effective July 1, 2024:

*1454 Executive Secretary III*

Conefrey, Maureen V (vice: Temp Fund)

Retirements

Communication received from Retirement Board indicating the following member has retired:

<i>Name</i>	<i>Rank</i>	<i>Retirement Date</i>
Ashbrook, Johnathan	H20	June 8, 2024
Britton, Richard M	H4	June 28, 2024
Casey, Daniel V	H33	June 15, 2024
Conefrey, Maureen V	1454	June 29, 2024
Hatcher, Kimberly A	H2	June 20, 2024
Heurman, Christopher	H3	June 30, 2024
Kato, Tomie A	H4	July 1, 2024
Lee, Patricia F	H30	June 30, 2024
Lu, Patricia P	1222	June 29, 2024
Moran, Stephen	H2	June 29, 2024
Ng, Roger W	H30	June 29, 2024

Onoe, James T	H2	June 29, 2024
Pedruco, Alberto A	H30	June 29, 2024
Quant, Lorge R	H2	June 27, 2024
Salan, Frederick M	H33	June 29, 2024
Shanley, Dominic	H20	June 28, 2024
Simon, Michael J	H3	June 29, 2024
Stabile, Shannon	H3	June 29, 2024
Tin, Michael L	H20	June 30, 2024
Trumpler, Greg C	H2	June 1, 2024
Tuiasopopo, John M	H20	July 1, 2024
Untalan, Richard D	H40	June 25, 2024
Wong, Victor T	H4	June 28, 2024
Wong, Vincent G	H30	June 29, 2024
Woo, Herman	H20	June 26, 2024
Wood, Adam H	H2	June 25, 2024
Yup, Norman	H2	June 29, 2024
Zhang, Mark H	H30	June 29,2024
Zorrilla, Glen	H2	June 29, 2024



***Human Resources***  
***Lucy Chu***  
***June 2024***

**Leaves of Absence with Pay**

Submitting requests for leaves of absence with pay for the time period from January 2024 through September 2024 for the following:

<i>No. of Members</i>	<i>Rank</i>	<i>Total Amount of Leave (Days)</i>
3	Chief Officer	55
1	H33 EMS Captain	8
3	Training Officer	31
2	H20 Lieutenant	8
9	H3 EMT/PM/FF PM	217
11	H2 Firefighter	128
3	Civilian	25
	<b>Total Number of Days with Pay</b>	<b>472</b>

**Intermittent Leaves with Pay**

Submitting requests for intermittent leaves with pay for the time period from March 12, 2024 through September 26, 2025 for the following:

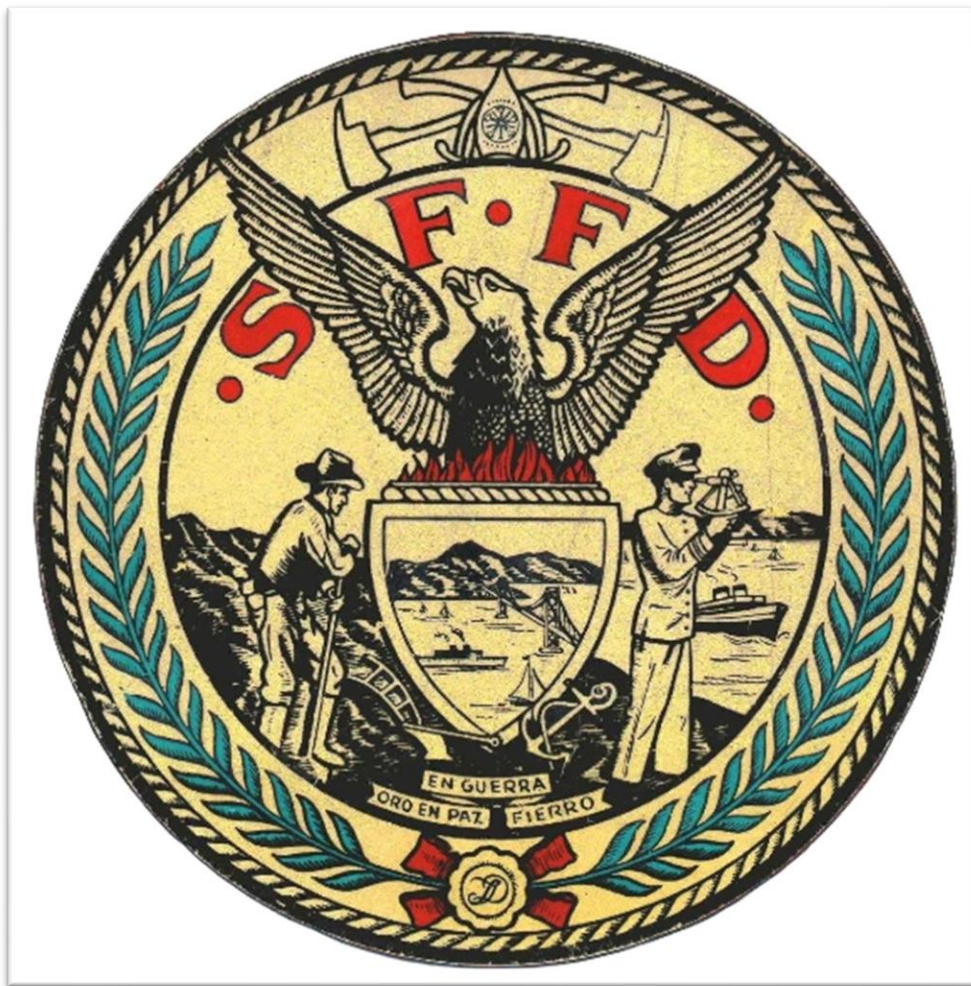
<i>No. of Members</i>	<i>Rank</i>	<i>Dates of Leave</i>	
2	Chief Officer	Jul. 3, 2024	- Jul. 9, 2025
2	H30 EMS Captain	Jul. 1, 2024	Jul. 10, 2025
5	H20 Lieutenant	Jun. 28, 2024	- Jul. 25, 2025
1	Training Staff	Jul. 3, 2024	- Jul. 3, 2025
6	H3 EMT/PM/FF PM	Mar. 12, 2024	- Sept. 26, 2025
3	H2 Firefighter	Jul. 1, 2024	- Jul. 26, 2025
1	Civilian	Jul. 1, 2024	- Jul. 1, 2025

**Leaves of Absence without Pay**

Submitting requests for leaves of absence without pay for the period from June 2024 through July 2024 for the following:

<i>No. of Members</i>	<i>Rank</i>	<i>Total Amount of Leave (Days)</i>
1	H3 EMT/PM/FF PM	3
	<b>Total Number of Days without Pay</b>	<b>3</b>

# Public Information Office





**Public Information Officer**  
**Capt. Jonathan Baxter**  
**June 2024**

PIO Incidents: 147	Interviews: 110	Events: 51
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**Operations**

June was a proactive month with preparation for multiple stories, including the PG&E exercise. Fireworks and fire safety messaging were prepared and released. The PIO unit continues to monitor and respond to most large-scale incidents or incidents of public interest, including fires, rescues, and hazardous materials incidents. To remain proactive, the PIO Unit created and released a Glossary of Terms for media outlets to standardize reporting and limit calls, messages, and emails to the PIO during incidents. Since all media outlets listen to radio traffic, this glossary allows them to update the community in almost real-time, using a common language for the audience. Think of it as a “Firefighter to Citizen Translation Guide.”

**Events and Community Engagement**

Continued participation in Community Outreach Events remains mainly a reporting element instead of a participatory element. This continued divestment allows the PIO Unit to focus on messaging, branding, and Information requests. In contrast, CORE members can focus on events and spread fire safety information, and having multiple units coordinate events delayed participation by all.

**Training**

FEMA credentialing is in process for full-time members of the PIO Unit. Members are also seeking out additional state-level classes as time allows.

**Equipment**

Most interviews have transitioned to remote setup, and in addition to lighting and sound equipment, the PIO Office will deploy branded backdrops for events and interviews to further the unit's messaging.

The PIO buggy was detailed (waxed, deep clean) by PIO members this month.

**Technology**

We are working with MMS to improve our ability to provide live streaming at events and, eventually, incidents if needed. The PIO unit does not have the hardware to transmit live feeds reliably nor the personnel available to deploy multiple cameras, monitor feed status, and emcee an event.

At a few events in June, we could not utilize safety messaging due to low cell service and Wi-Fi. We were able to set up the SAT Wi-Fi on one call, but this takes time to set up. DTIS is aware of the zones with bad reception. Using STARLINK would significantly improve our ability to provide safety messaging in the future and during a significant disaster.

We have been working with Hector from I.T. to enhance the use of AXON for capturing events and storing digital media.

We continue to review with MMS a platform for videos, such as YouTube. In the past, members would pay for this out of pocket.

We are working on moving away from that to obtain a department-paid site where all our videos can be posted for internal and external use.

The MMS digital team was used in the field at several events this month, with a positive and rewarding yield. We hope to expand on this in the future.

The PIO Unit still struggles to send out mass Media Messaging due to account freezes with vendors.

## Facility

870 Bush continues to become more of a home for the BHU and PIO units. Multiple neighbors have stopped in to comment about the drastic improvement in the block since PIO took over 24-hour staffing. Neighbors note a change in the appearance of the block, the foot traffic, and the smell. Some who view the backyard space are excited to see it be used again as work continues to clear the overgrowth and work with BHU on how best to use it. The front area was cleaned and polished, and information tablets for the public were placed on the front gates.



Vandalism in the form of destruction of informational signs continues; solutions are in the works.

Parking IFO the residence continues to be challenging, even after the red curb was repainted and legal spots were marked on the block. The two signs noting “No parking between signs—Fire Station” were removed suddenly by DPW in late May, and we have yet to get an answer as to why.

The apparatus bay was recently steam-cleaned and polished by the PIO team. This has made it more welcoming for the many members of the public who stop daily out of curiosity and to say hello. The carpet in the building is still awaiting a much-needed deep cleaning. Nonetheless, the PIO team spent some time hand-scrubbing spots to beautify and clean the location.

In May, the upstairs sleeping (dorm area) windows and wall trim were cleaned, along with the bathrooms, which were deep cleaned.

**Recommendations:**

We recommend that when a committee, bureau, division, group, or entity has an event such as training, community engagement, drills, or noteworthy gatherings, a calendar invite in Outlook be sent to the PIO so we can be aware of it, help with media if needed, and cover the event if required, among many other benefits.



We recommend adding two more suppression-level backup PIO members (preferably from MMS) to the unit.

## Events and Community Engagement

### Targeted outreach

- Child Fire Safety
  - PTSD month items
  - Pride Month Items
  - Marine Safety items
  - Smoke detector Safety
  - Earthquake Safety info
  - BBQ safety
  - Heat Safety
  - Wildland Safety
  - Event Safety
  - Beach Hazard Safety
  - Mental Health Awareness items
  - Bike Safety
  - Parade Safety
  - Surf Safety
  - Coastal Safety
  - SF Pride Safety
  - Juneteenth items
  - Flag day items
  - Stop, Drop, and Roll
  - Pull over and Stop for Red lights and Sirens
  - Do not drive into an emergency scene
  - Father's Day
  - CO Safety
  - Weed Abatement
  - Flood Safety
  - Homeowners Insurance for fire/flood
  - Renters Insurance for fires/floods
  - FF Safety Stand Down
  - Escape Plan
  - History SFFD
  - See Something, Say Something
  - Extreme Weather
  - Pride Parade Road closures and MUNI updates
  - Cliff Rescue safety
  - Truck 14 Johnson Bar
  - Truck 5 overhead hazards video
  - Java St & Buena Vista Ave Block party with Engine 12
  - Dooda Day with Station 17 5701 3rd Street
  - Alamo Square Park Hayes and Steiner Street Harmony Day
  - PGE Safety Drill with SFFD
  - CP Cohort graduation
  - CORE GG Park with kids
  - JUNE Safety Awareness Month
  - June Suicide Awareness and Prevention
  - June is PTSD awareness month
  - JUNE Italian Festival North Beach
  - 06-01 Flag Day
  - 06-01 D-Day
  - 06-01 Alzheimer's and Brain Awareness Week
  - 06/01/2024 Civic Center Concert @ Civic Center Plaza
  - 06-02 National Gun Violence Awareness Day
  - 06/02/2024 Civic Center Concert @ Polk St
  - 06/02/2024 103rd Annual Statuto 8K Race
  - 06-02 Berkeley Way Anniversary
  - 06/03/2024 FSIH Wksp – Bayview Commons
  - 06/03 to 06/09 Child Safety Week
  - 06/03/2024 Snowflake Summit 2024 @ Moscone Center
  - 06/03/2024 Multiple High School LARGE graduations
  - 06/04/2024 FSIH Wksp – 833 Bryant
  - 06/04/2024 Snowflake Summit 2024 @ Moscone Center
  - 06/04/2024 Multiple High School LARGE graduations
  - 06-07-2024 2023 Fire Fridays with KPIX
  - 06/07/2024 Juneteenth Fair
  - 06/08/2024 2024 Bike Rodeo (rescheduled)
  - 06-09 Escape from Alcatraz Swim
  - 06/10/2024 Google Safety Fair
  - 06-11 L-i Battery Legislation Presentation: Small Property Owners of SF Institute
  - 06/12/2024 Google Safety Fair
  - 06-13 FSIH Wksp – Park Sunset Apartments
  - 06/14/2024 Flag Day
  - 06-15-2024 Juneteenth Parade
  - 06-16 Alcatraz Shark Fest
  - 06/18/2024 FSIH Wksp – Sunnyside Neighborhood Association
  - 06/19/2024 Juneteenth
  - 06/20/2024 FSIH Wksp – 951 Eddy Street
  - 06/22/2024 FSIH & Joint NERT Wksp – Singapore Consulate
  - 06/24/2024 FSIH Wksp – 2949 18th Street
  - June 24th @ 1400 hours: Engine 7 to Boys and Girls Club of SF, Columbia Park;
  - 06/25/2024 FSIH Wksp – 6221 Geary
  - June 28th @ 1400 hours: Engine 31 to Frank McCoppin Elementary; 651 6th Ave
  - 06/26/2024 Golden Eagle Exercise
  - 06/29/2024 SF Pride
  - 06/30/2024 SF Pride
  - JUNE PRIDE MONTH
  - 6-29 STREET FAIR PRIDE
  - 6-30 STREET FAIR PRIDE
  - 06-30-2024 Pride Parade
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## Public Information Office Scene Responses

### June 1

0236 FIB 155 Belvedere Street  
1030 Large Grass Fire 1305 Carroll Ave SF  
1140 2.6 Earthquake centered in Orinda, Ca  
1332 SIB 275 Broadway  
1332 car into building 175 Putnam  
1334 Encampment Fire under Freeway 6th at Bryant  
1723 WF 1-Alarm 750 Phelps  
1730 Wildland Fire Buena Vista Park  
2302 SIB 33 8th Street

### June 2

0049 FIB 480 Ellis Street #210  
0313 FIB 847 Fairfax Ave  
0331 FIB 15 Lilian Street  
1507 115 Thorton FIB  
1723 1850 Grove #2 SIB  
1959 2048 Polk St SIB WF

### June 3

1509 SIB 88 Perry  
1615 WF 830 Sargent  
2234 SIB 624 Ellis

### June 4

0016 SIB 2288 Market  
0113 SIB 118 Church  
0328 SIB 1880 California  
0650 SCRT Walkup IFO 870 Bush St  
0830 FIB 365 Fulton  
1818-2030 Cliff Rescue 1358 Lincoln

### June 5

0844 100 Paul SIB  
1321 Carrol/Ingalls SIB  
1555 739 Great Hwy Surf Rescue  
1625 500 Skyline Cliff rescue

### June 6

0453 25 Essex #817 FIB  
1028 38th Ave/Geary Ave Gas Leak  
2004 260 Kearny SIB

### June 7

0443 1477 15th St FIB  
1948 Taylor/Ellis FIB

### June 8

0715 FIB Pier 92  
1342 FIB 391 Leavenworth

### June 9

0217 Side Show Civil Unrest near Ferry Building  
0315 Civil unrest Alemany and 280  
0400 Civil unrest Cesar Chavez near Valencia Street  
1305 Surf Rescue Ocean Beach Two kids rescued.  
1357 WF Pump House at Aquatic Park- Wildland Fire  
1612 FIB 1750 Folsom

### June 10

0132 SIB 535 Leavenworth  
0854 1946 47h Ave FIB WF  
1031 335 Powell SIB  
1558 1298 El Camino Del Mar Brush/Grassfire  
1828 66 Cleary #6 SIB  
2137 Detroit/Monterey SIB  
2149 444 Stockton FIB

### June 11

1114 BAY RESCUE GGB SF Side  
1148 FIB 65 Brookdale  
1224 WF 1-Alarm 861 Sutter Stret  
1747 FIB 110 Westgate

### June 12

0722 FIB 966 Harrison  
0759 SIB 819 Van ness Ave  
1334 609 Arballo FIB

### June 13

1453 600 Persia St FIB WF  
2007 1124 Palou FIB  
2114 1036 Polk SIB  
2210 3528 Sacramento St  
0217 422 Valencia #317 FIB

### June 14

0800 Bridge Jumper GGB  
1336 SIB 2611 Bryant  
1721 SIB Franklin at Jackson  
2146 FIB 501 Broadway

### June 15

0007 FIB Olive at Van Ness  
0200 FIB 1700 Polk Street  
0915 Outside Fires Howard at Harriet (Car Fire)  
1515-1630 WF 1-Alarm 54 Auburn Street  
1541 MVA Extrication 18th at Lincoln

**June 16**

0303 FIB 833 Bryant  
0511-0630 WF 1-Alarm 864 Francisco  
0630-0800 WF 1-Alarm 50 Columbus and 808  
Kearny  
0935-1200 WF 1-alarm FIB Kearny at Washington  
1215 SIB 519 Ellis  
1325 Cliff Rescue at Cliff House  
1442 FIB 200 Paul Ave  
2106 FIB 1755 Ofarrell  
2122 FIB 340 Bayshore BL  
2134 WF 865 Oak Street

**June 17**

0337 WF 206 Howth Street  
1859 1436 Grant SIB

**June 18**

0950 Wildland Fire Mansell at Visitacion ½ acre  
1030 MA at 1011 Turk  
1235 SIB 716 Ofarrell  
1607 Wildland Fire 401 Cesar Chavez Street

**June 19**

1255 434 24th Ave SIB  
1315 1705 Octavia #203 FIB

**June 20**

0847 575 Harrison #311 SIB  
0628 420 Taylor FIB Vehicle into building with fire  
0847 575 Harrison #311 SIB  
2000 116 Frederick FIB  
2037 SIB 1190 Howard

**June 21**

0501 SIB 565 Filbert  
0824 FIB 18 Rosa Parks Lane  
1024-1300 Water Main Break W/ flooding Randall  
St.  
1406 WF 1-Alarm 5050 Mission  
2032 FIB 832 Sutter Street

**June 22**

0805 FIB 318 Victoria  
1407 FIB 762 Great Highway  
2113 Wiland Fire 2 Acres Thomas at Hawes

**June 23**

0849 3251 20th Ave Stonestown SIB  
1131 775 Geary #102 FIB WF  
1319 2750 San Jose FIB Exterior fire  
1433 88 King St 4th floor SIB  
2221 Point Lobos/ Merrie Way  
2249 612 44h Ave SIB

**June 24**

1522 FIB 222 Peace Plaza  
1521 Willand Fire ½ acre Griffith at Thomas  
1838 Bay Rescue GGB  
1909 MUNI Incident Market at Mason

**June 25**

0500 GSW 300 Blk of Eddy (media called)  
0836 35 Laskie FIB  
1335 3201 Washington SIB  
1541 899 2nd St Bay Rescue  
1552 80 EB Jumper  
1554 2501 Pine FIB  
1653 500 Oak SIB  
2208 Great Highway / Lawton Surf Rescue

**June 26**

0452 800 Embarcadero Pier Box

**June 27**

1158 1275 Washington SIB  
1720 475 Embarcadero Jumper

**June 28**

0210 768 A 18th Ave SIB  
0308 410 China Basin Jumper  
0724 504 Munich SIB  
0943 2007 Castro SIB  
1350 556 Larkin SIB  
1910 650 Delano SIB

**June 29**

0747 FIB 525 Brannan  
0915 SIB 20th at 3rd Corner  
1129 SIB 2037 Castro  
1159 STAGE 52 Grove Pride staging  
1241 ODOR 2830 Lawton  
1534 FIB 3270 21st Street

**June 30**

0310 FIB 755 Ofarrell  
0550 2.9 Earthquake -No SF damage  
0950 55 Mason SIB

## Media Snapshots – Popular stories the PIO was interviewed for.

 KTVU · 57m

### **Dog, owner rescued from San Francisco cliff**

A poodle mix and their human got trapped on a cliff overlooking the ocean at San Francisco's Fort Funston Sunday morning, and ...



KTVU on MSN · 6d

### **Quick-thinking 3-year-old saves neighbor's San Francisco home from fire**

services need to be summoned," said Captain Jonathan Baxter of the San Francisco Fire Department. Luca knows how to dial 911, ...



KQED · 10d

### **Some San Francisco Police, Fire Stations Are Flawed and Vulnerable to Flooding, Report Says**

A fire truck parked next to a floating station on San ... The jury discovered a need for more transparency in how San ...



NBC BAY AREA · 5d · on MSN

### PG&E, SF fire crews simulate earthquake, joint response on Treasure Island

PG&E and the San Francisco Fire Department held a joint exercise Tuesday morning simulating an earthquake with damage to gas ...



Yahoo · 22d

### SFFD contains residential fire in Sunset District

(KRON) – The San Francisco Fire Department contained a fire in the 3600 block of Taraval at 47th Avenue in the city's Sunset District around 3:00 p.m. on Saturday. The residence that caught ...

CBS NEWS · 7d

### San Francisco firefighters save warehouse from 2-acre Bayview District fire

A wind-driven grass fire damaged the exterior of a warehouse and two acres of vegetation and trees in San Francisco's Bayview ...



## Social Media Overview

	X (Twitter)	Threads	Instagram	Citizen App	
Followers	41,700	5,505	31,200	434	
% +/-	+1%	+4%	+2%	NEW	
Reach			99,700	37,600	
% +/-			-22%	NEW	

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Total National TV Audience	488,319
Total Local TV Audience	488,319
Total Radio Audience	6,848,061
Total Online News Audience	4,509,042,186
Total Social Followers:	105,833

\*These metrics are developed by CriticalMention.com using proprietary algorithms.