

MESSAGE FROM THE FIRE CHIEF

Fire season has officially begun and unfortunately it started with a bang. The Conner Fire impacted our community on the morning of June 20th and rapidly expanded to over 17,000 acres. I am extremely proud of how our department responded to the incident and the support we received from all our partnering agencies. We were in unified command with BLM and due to the complexity of the incident, we eventually transitioned command to a Type 3 Federal Incident Management Team.

Protecting lives and property were the priority of the incident and with extreme weather and fire conditions, all crews performed remarkably. Once the fire was under control and posed no significant threat to the community, command was passed back to BLM and the District.

I would like to thank our Douglas County partners for their assistance in protecting our community, most notably the Office of Emergency Management and the Sheriff's Office. Our cooperation and relationships made a tremendous impact on the success of the incident.



DEPARTMENT NEWS

- Received the delivery of our new re-mount ambulance
- Conducted landing zone training with Battleborn Medivac
- Supported Carson Valley Days
- The first bi-annual leadership academy began
- Fuels crews will staff stations 3 and 6
- Firefighter and Lateral recruitment applications closed
- Supported the Fourth of July Parade in Genoa
- Supported the Father's Day pancake breakfast at station 6

HUMAN RESOURCE/ADMINISTRATION

Lateral Firefighter Recruitment

The application window closed on Sunday, June 22, 2025. 115 Firefighter and 19 Lateral applications submitted. The lateral recruitment process will take place on July 22, 2025.

July Anniversaries

The District proudly recognizes the following team members for their dedicated service and continues commitment.

Service Anniversaries

- Matt Hill-26 years-July 1
- Rick Myers-9 years-July 1
- Tracy Connelly-26 years-July 1
- Erica Amatore-7 years-July 2
- Adam Wennhold-13 years-July 3
- Martin Manning – 25 years-July 8
- Holly Megee-9 years-July 8
- Paul Azevedo-21 years-July 9
- Cameron Farmer-10 years-July 13
- Mike Shockey-1 year-July 20
- Amy Ray-6 years-July 29

Significant Incidents and Updates

June Call Summary:

- Total Calls for Service: **618**

Major Incidents:

- Conner Fire 17,714 acres
- Amazing support and coordination from N Nevada, Lake Tahoe, USFS, NDF, BLM and CalFire regional partners
- Nevada Type 3 Incident Management Team was brought in to manage unified command, interagency coordination, and demobilization at incident completion

Training:

Crews participated in multi-company basement fire tactics at our Training Tower



Risk Management/Safety

Safety Topic for June:

- Fireworks vs. Explosives

Work-Related Injuries:

- 2 injuries in June that did not require medical intervention.
- 1 injury occurred in June that did require intervention.

Accidents:

- Two serious accidents reported in June:
 - Vehicle backing
 - Vehicle/related to Conner Fire

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CURRENT PROJECTS

- 2024 Code amendments to come forward in September and October for a November 1 adoption

UPDATES

- Construction inspections are increasing as the weather warms
- Annual inspections in process
- Conner fire investigation with the State Fire Marshal's Office

LOOKING AHEAD AT SUBMITTALS

- Industrial Park – 5 buildings at 39,000 square feet each - Orbit

PLAN REVIEW: June

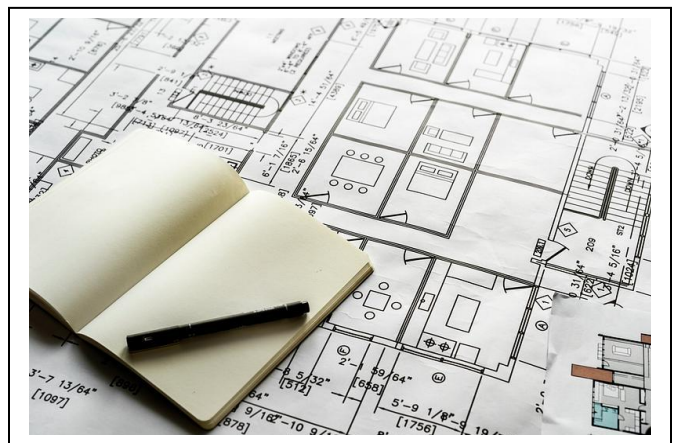
- 57 submitted
- 42 approved

INSPECTION: June

- 37 annual
- 24 construction

PRE-PLAN

- 21



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BUSINESS OPERATIONS

WHAT'S NEW

- Fleet
 - Rescue Re-Mount delivered
 - New Water Tender has been delivered to Siddons-Martin, they are making some final fixes from the final inspection punch-list. Factory-delivered training is being scheduled
 - Fleet reduction has yielded the sale of 5 apparatus with 4 at the auction site scheduled for sale mid-July
 - Apparatus committee along with members of the EMS committee reviewed specifications for the possible purchase of a Demo Ambulance
- Facilities
 - Contracts have been signed for HVAC units at all stations
 - Generator Preventive Maintenance contract to be signed after 1 additional quote
 - Quotes are out for asphalt maintenance and repair at all stations
 - The warehouse has been moved to Station 2 and is now called Central Supply
- Community
 - The Explorer program has been given the green light to recruit and start meetings

FINANCE DIVISION

Updates:

- ❖ Auditor Engagement Meeting took place
- ❖ Annual Fiscal Report Completed
- ❖ Q4 Economic Report Completed
- ❖ Indebtedness Report Completed

