



# Fire Safety News

*Serving the communities of Castle Creek, Champagne Village, Deer Springs, Hidden Meadows, Jesmond Dene, Rimrock, The Welk Resort, and West Lilac*

January 3, 2019

## Our Community is Safer Thanks to New Revolutionary CPR Equipment !



**District Firefighter/Paramedic Jason Farnsworth and Firefighter Matt Alcorn display the new CPR equipment**

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**The Deer Springs Fire Safe Council** in cooperation with the Fire Protection District has been awarded a \$61,000 grant from the County of San Diego to purchase and equip four fire engines with new state of the art Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) equipment.

The new revolutionary Auto-Pulse® Resuscitation System from ZOLL Medical is an automated device that delivers customized, high-quality CPR whenever and wherever it's needed.

“With the AutoPulse, rescuers don’t need to worry about pausing or potentially compromising CPR through tilts and turns, whether going down steep stairs, around tight corners, or into a cramped elevator. Thanks to its unique stabilizing board, the AutoPulse ensures patients receive nonstop compressions throughout their pre-hospital transport, even at the multiple angles required for rescuers to move the patient.

Multiple comparative studies have demonstrated improved vital signs because the AutoPulse drives superior blood flow, resulting in coronary perfusion pressure levels 33% higher than those of sternal compressions, positively impacting survival.”

The funding originated from the County of San Diego Neighborhood Reinvestment Program Grant that the Fire Safe Council applied for in July, and was awarded on October 10, 2018.

Four of the new systems were delivered on January 2, 2019 and several are already in service according to Rick Johnson, District Fire Chief.

“This is a strong example of what can be accomplished when working together with the Fire Protection District to make our community a safer place” said Cook of the Deer Springs Fire Safe Council.



*District Firefighters and Paramedics assembling the new Auto-Pulse automated CPR System for deployment in the field . DSFSC Photo.*

**Stayed Tuned!**

**The Moosa Canyon**

**Hazardous Fuels Reduction Project**

**will restart in early 2019!**



***CAL FIRE Rainbow Crew harvesting dead, dying and invasive vegetation on steep and rocky slopes within Moosa Canyon. DSFSC Photo.***

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**If you own property within the remaining phases along Moosa Canyon you will soon hear from CAL FIRE or the Fire Safe Council regarding this project. They will request permission to remove the dead, dying and invasive brush on your property helping to ease the fire threat in the Deer Springs Fire Protection District and neighboring communities.**



***The CAL FIRE crew harvesting and stacking hazardous vegetation ready for chipping at the far eastern edge of Moosa Canyon. DSFSC Photo.***

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**Wildfire behavior has been more severe than ever, so residents need to be equally diligent. Please do your part to increase the chances that your home will survive a wind-driven wildfire. Help**

# the firefighters help you!

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## Helpful phone numbers

Immediate Emergency Assistance: 911

Emergency & Non-Emergency County Information Hotline (road closures, shelter locations, evacuation sites, fire related information, recovery assistance and more): 211

San Diego County Sheriff, San Marcos Station: 760-510-5200

San Diego Animal Services Emergency Dispatch: 619-236-2341  
Deer Springs Fire Safe Council Informational Hot Line: 949-472-1401

## Deer Springs Fire Stations

Station 1  
8709 Circle R Drive  
Escondido, CA 92026  
760-749-8001

Station 2  
1321 Deer Springs Road  
San Marcos, CA 92069  
760-741-5512

Station 3  
10308 Meadow Glen Way East  
Escondido, CA 92026  
760-751-0820

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