

Fire

NO PRESENTATION

SIGNIFICANT ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Provided operational staffing, management & investigation responses to three major fires within Santa Barbara County Fire's jurisdiction with no loss of lives.
- Completed several vegetation management projects in coordination with various communities within the County Fire Protection District. The projects included: Painted Cave vegetation management project, Tepusquet evacuation corridor, Burton Mesa fuels modification project, Tunnel Road pile burn, Mission Canyon Community Wildfire Protection Plan, Santa Barbara County Wildfire Plan update.
- Conducted informational community meetings regarding wildland fire disaster preparation in the communities of Sisquoc, Lompoc, Solvang, Goleta & Mission Canyon.

SERVICE LEVEL REDUCTIONS

- Eliminate response by Hazardous Materials Unit Specialists to unauthorized releases of hazardous materials that occur outside of normal working hours resulting in delayed oversight of clean-up activities.
- Recommended final budget adjustment (attached) refunding one Hazardous Materials Specialist position from the Certified Unified Program Agency (CUPA) hazardous materials programs resulting in the restoration of 130 inspections of regulated facilities per year.

LAYOFFS – None

BUDGET EXPANSIONS - None