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ANNUAL REPORT 2018

President's Message



Providing the highest level of fire protection and emergency medical response to the Chino Valley and unincorporated areas of San Bernardino County is the Fire District's most important task. The Chino Valley Fire District continues to make a positive impact on the communities we serve through our emergency response and various community programs that empower the community with knowledge that can potentially save a life. I am proud to serve on the Board of such an outstanding District. We are dedicated to setting policies and procedures that will more effectively and efficiently serve you.

Mike Kreeger

President, Chino Valley Fire District Board of Directors

CHINO VALLEY FIRE 2018 Board of Directors



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YOUR FIRE CHIEF



VALUES

F AITHFULNESS

We are fully committed, invested and engaged in the communities we serve.

I NTEGRITY

We lead by example, according to the highest ethical and professional standards.

R ESPECT

We treat each other, and those we serve with compassion, dignity, and value.

E XCELLENCE

We are relentless in our pursuit of the highest possible standard of quality.

I'm pleased to present the 2018 Annual Report. This report highlights the exceptional work accomplished by our personnel and our continued commitment to provide the highest level of service to the cities of Chino, Chino Hills, and unincorporated areas of San Bernardino County.

In 2018, Fire District personnel responded to over 12,000 emergency calls for service. Our personnel performed more than 5,300 fire and life safety inspections and interacted with nearly 40,000 community members through our public outreach programs.

We made significant progress toward making the Chino Valley Heart Safe and Bleed Safe communities. Our personnel trained over 6,000 individuals on traditional CPR, hands-only CPR, and proper application of various bleeding control techniques. The Fire District partnered with the Chino Valley Fire Foundation, Chino Police Department, Chino Hills Police Department, and Chino Valley Medical Center to increase survival from sudden cardiac arrest and trauma by making Automated External Defibrillators and Trauma Kits readily accessible in public places. The Fire District and Fire Foundation donated trauma kits to all schools within the Chino Valley Unified School District, several restaurants, and office buildings.

It is an honor to lead this organization and to serve you. We value the partnership we enjoy with the public and welcome your feedback. I look forward to seeing what we will accomplish together in 2019!



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MISSION STATEMENT

Provide exceptional service and safeguard the community.

VISION STATEMENT

As an organization, we:

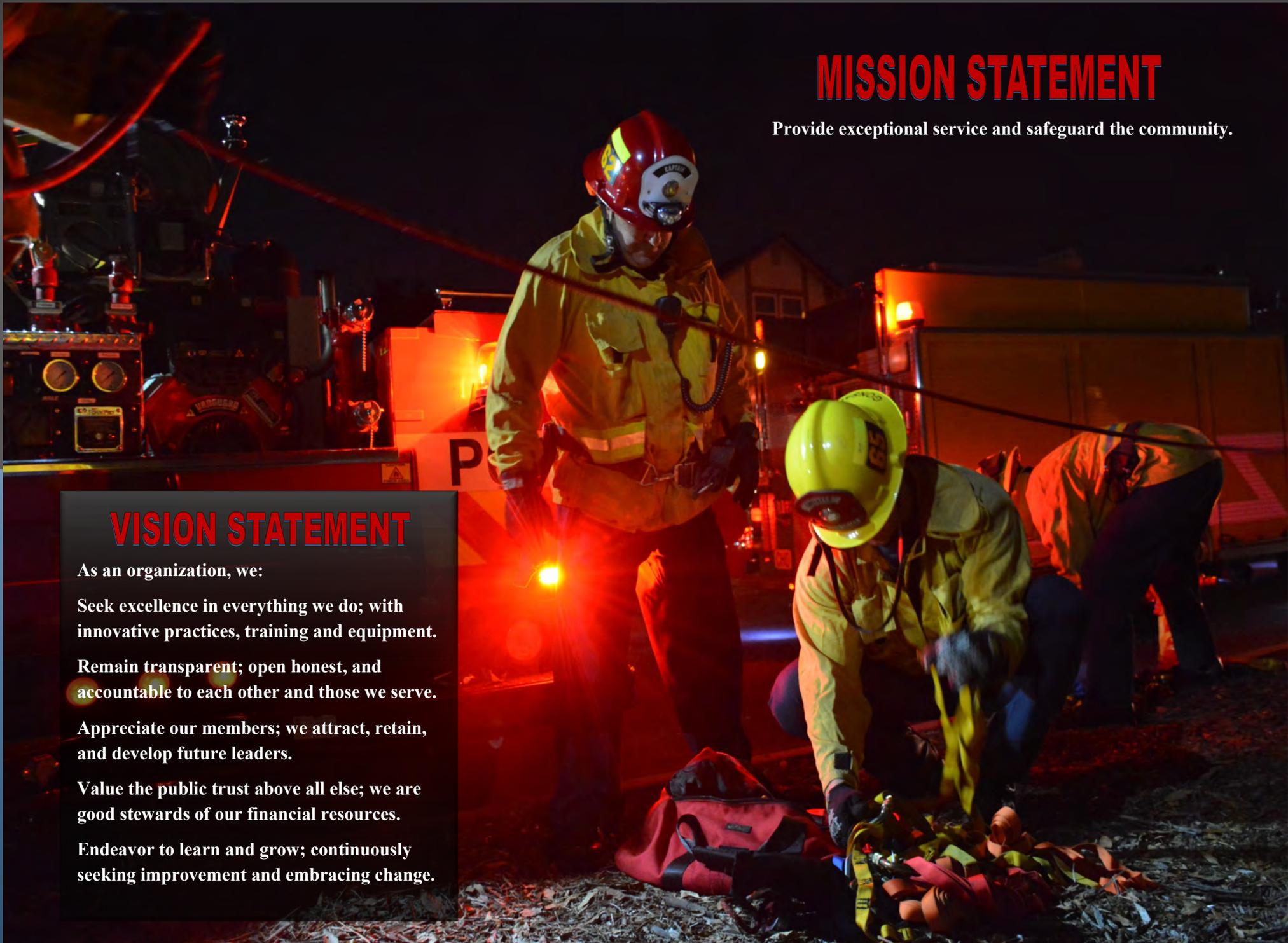
Seek excellence in everything we do; with innovative practices, training and equipment.

Remain transparent; open honest, and accountable to each other and those we serve.

Appreciate our members; we attract, retain, and develop future leaders.

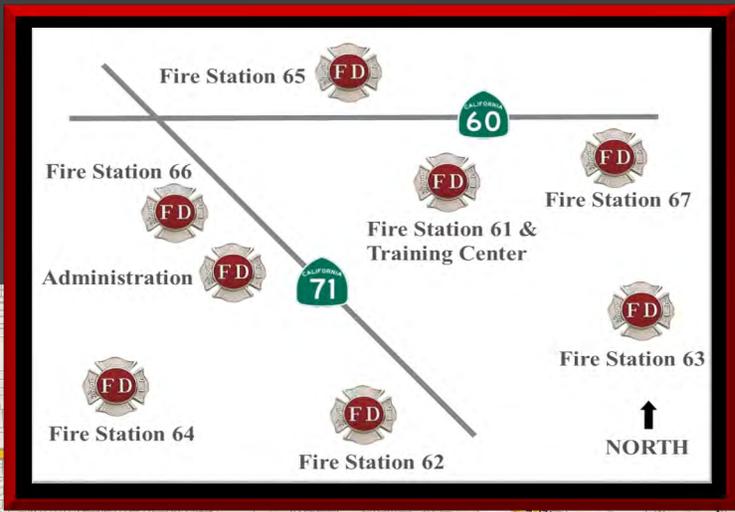
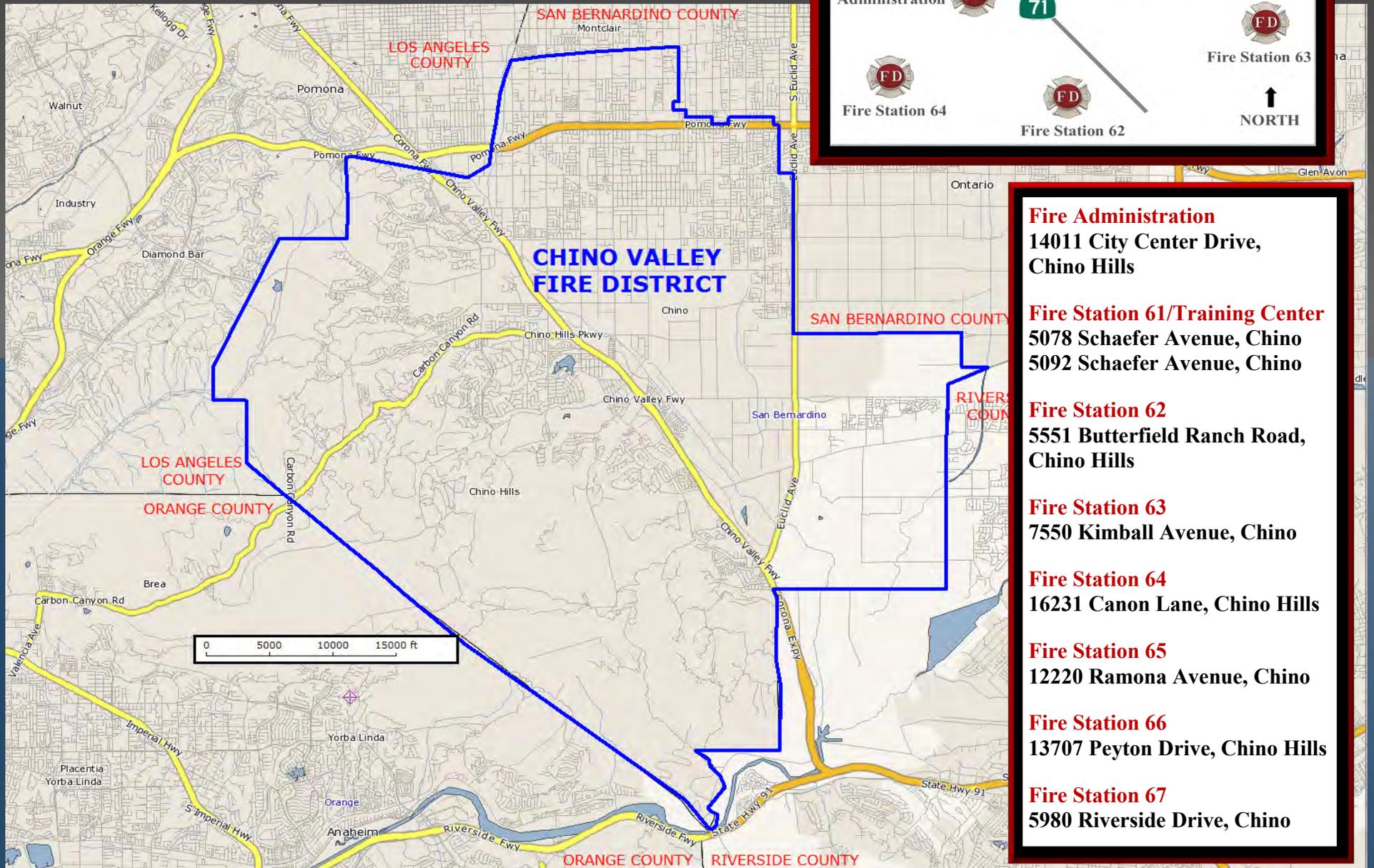
Value the public trust above all else; we are good stewards of our financial resources.

Endeavor to learn and grow; continuously seeking improvement and embracing change.



CHINO VALLEY FIRE

SERVICE AREA & FIRE STATIONS



- Fire Administration**
14011 City Center Drive,
Chino Hills
- Fire Station 61/Training Center**
5078 Schaefer Avenue, Chino
5092 Schaefer Avenue, Chino
- Fire Station 62**
5551 Butterfield Ranch Road,
Chino Hills
- Fire Station 63**
7550 Kimball Avenue, Chino
- Fire Station 64**
16231 Canon Lane, Chino Hills
- Fire Station 65**
12220 Ramona Avenue, Chino
- Fire Station 66**
13707 Peyton Drive, Chino Hills
- Fire Station 67**
5980 Riverside Drive, Chino



The Chino Valley Fire District proudly serves the cities of Chino, Chino Hills, and unincorporated areas of San Bernardino County.

AT A GLANCE

80
Square Miles

170,845
Population

7
Fire Stations

140
Personnel

12,267
Service Calls

PARAMEDIC



CHINO VALLEY FIRE
WE ARE YOUR FIRE DISTRICT

We Are Your Fire District



We Treat You Like Family

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Emergency Services is the largest division of the Chino Valley Fire District.

Fire personnel under this division are responsible for medical emergency responses, fire suppression, rescue activities, and the mitigation of disasters.

The Emergency Services Division is overseen by the Emergency Services Deputy Chief and is comprised of three 48 hour shifts that serve the Chino Valley 365 days a year.





PARAMEDIC SERVICES

Chino Valley Fire District paramedics render state-of-the-art advanced life support care that includes the administration of cardiac medications, interpretation and treatment of 12-lead ECGs and advanced airway procedures.

The Emergency Medical Services (EMS) department is staffed with an EMS nurse, a paramedic training captain, and an administrative assistant. They are responsible for maintaining the EMS program, which includes training, compliance, quality assurance, and patient reporting systems.

The EMS department also offers outreach programs that include Community CPR, Bleed Safe Chino Valley, Heart Safe Chino Valley, and multiple First Care Provider classes.

First Care Provider classes teach the public how to transition from a bystander to a first care provider that can help save a life by preventing someone from hemorrhaging to death after sustaining a trauma or other type of injury that has the potential to cause significant bleeding.

CPR OUTREACH

**Traditional Heartsaver CPR
& AED Class**

**Traditional Heartsaver First
Aid with CPR & AED Class**

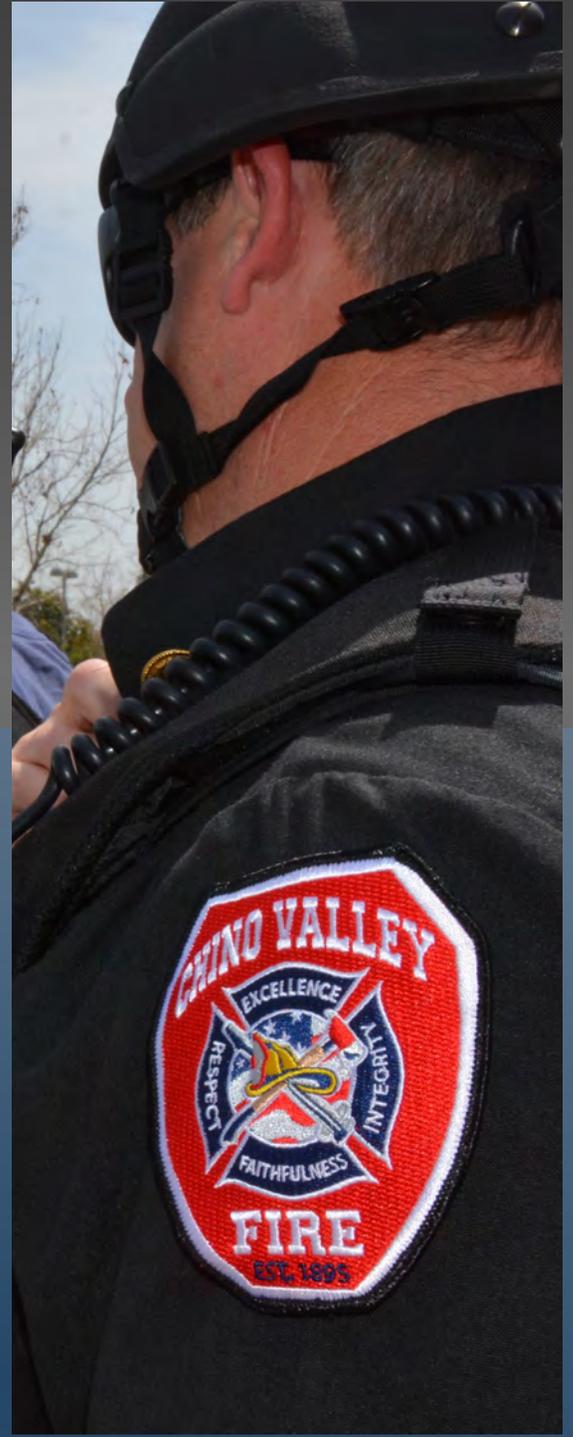
**Basic Life Support for
Health Care Providers**

Hands Only CPR

**Heartsaver CPR & AED
Instructor Courses for Law
Enforcement Partners**

High-Performance CPR

Approximate Total Reach 3,284



HEART SAFE COMMUNITY BLEED SAFE COMMUNITY

The Chino Valley Fire District partnered with the Chino Valley Fire Foundation in an effort to increase survival from sudden cardiac arrest and trauma by making Automated External Defibrillators (AEDs) and Trauma Kits readily accessible in public places through the Bleed Safe and Heart Safe Chino Valley programs.

The programs were established under the Fire District's Cardiac Care/Trauma Care Program and are designed to provide widespread access to AEDs and Trauma kits, and training on how to use the equipment.

The Fire District personnel, in partnership with the Chino Valley Fire Foundation, the Chino Police Foundation, Chino Valley Medical Center, and the Chino Hills Police Department (San Bernardino County Sheriffs Chino Hills Substation) have installed AEDs and Trauma kits in all Chino Valley schools and District office, several restaurants, and office buildings. Fire District personnel train all recipients on how to use the equipment that is donated to them. The donated equipment is funded through donations made to the Chino Valley Fire Foundation.

COMMUNITY CPR PROGRAM

**First Care Provider
(Community)**

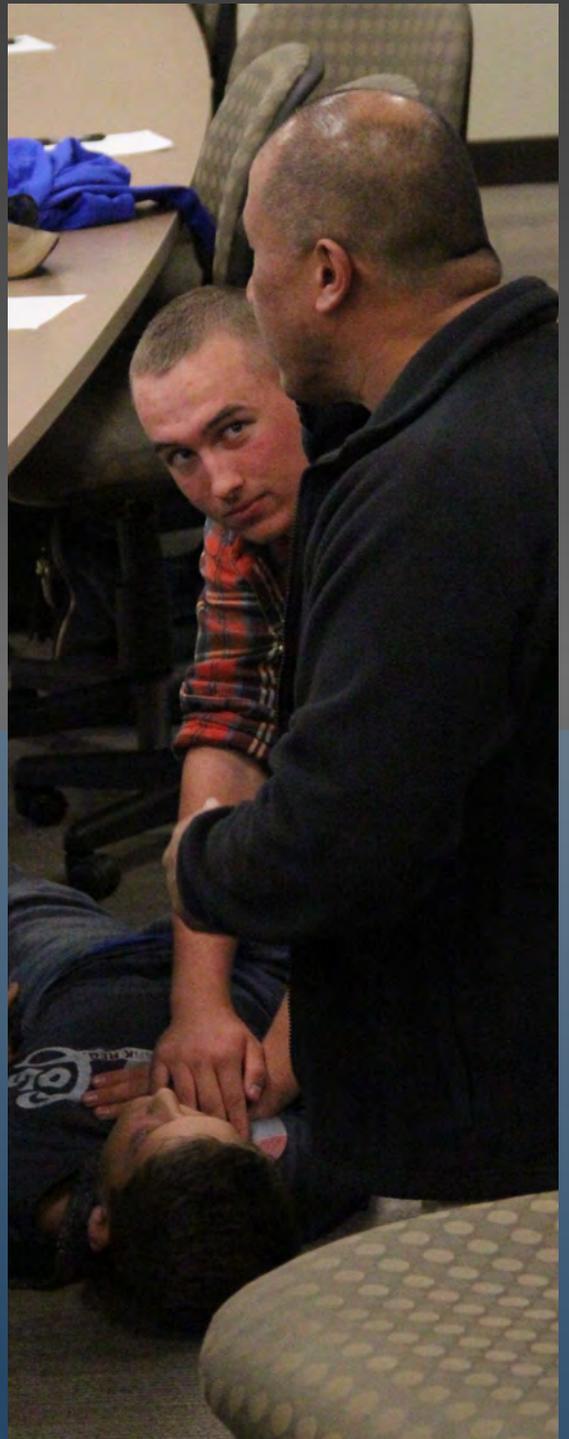
Bleed Safe Chino Valley Booths

**Surviving an Active Shooter
Workshop**

**Tactical Emergency Casualty
Care (First Responder Training)**

**Active Shooter Training with
Partner Agencies**

Approximate Total Reached 3,000

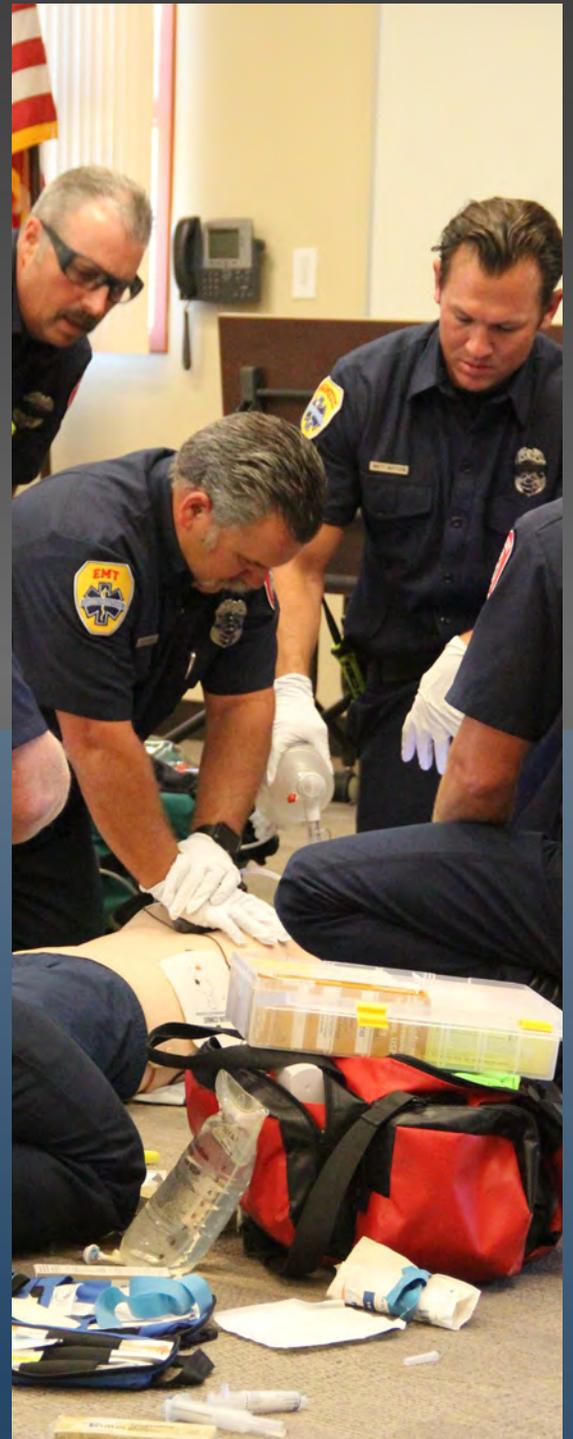


TRAINING

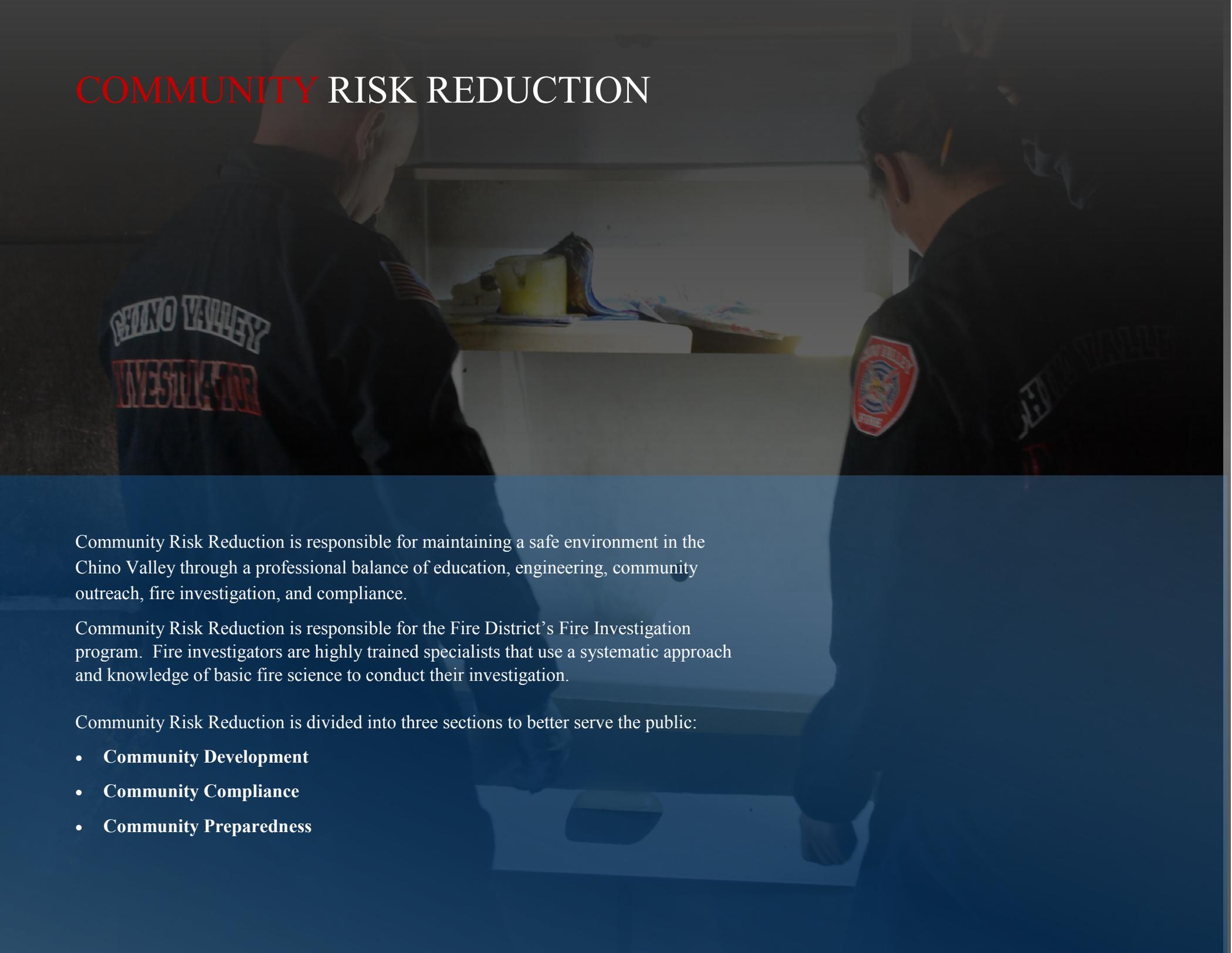
Chino Valley Fire District emergency personnel are trained and ready to respond to any type of emergency incident that the community may face.

The Training Division combines classroom, computer and hands-on applications for training. Below are examples of training for emergency medical services personnel:

- Active Shooter
- Advanced Cardiac Life Support
- Automobile Extrication Techniques
- Building and Shoring
- Command and Control
- Company Officer Development
- Confined Space Rescue
- CPR
- Engineer Development
- Firefighter-Down Rescue
- Firefighter Self-Survival
- Helicopter Operations
- High-Performance CPR
- High-Rise Firefighting
- Ladders
- Paramedic Protocols
- Rope Systems
- Salvage
- Search and Rescue
- Structural Firefighting Tactics
- Trench Rescue
- Wildland Firefighting



COMMUNITY RISK REDUCTION

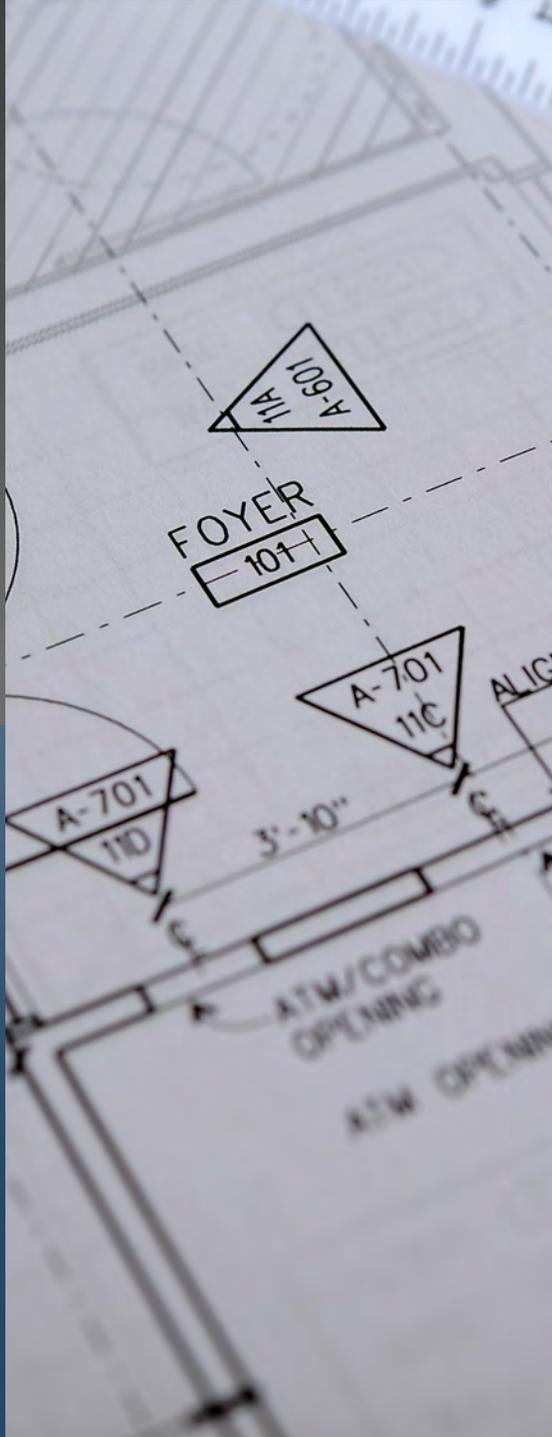
The background image shows two individuals in dark jackets, likely fire investigators, standing at a table. The jacket on the left has 'CHINO VALLEY INVESTIGATOR' printed on the back. The jacket on the right has a fire department patch and 'CHINO VALLEY' visible. They appear to be examining items on the table, which includes a yellow container and some papers. The scene is dimly lit, suggesting an indoor setting like a laboratory or evidence room.

Community Risk Reduction is responsible for maintaining a safe environment in the Chino Valley through a professional balance of education, engineering, community outreach, fire investigation, and compliance.

Community Risk Reduction is responsible for the Fire District's Fire Investigation program. Fire investigators are highly trained specialists that use a systematic approach and knowledge of basic fire science to conduct their investigation.

Community Risk Reduction is divided into three sections to better serve the public:

- **Community Development**
- **Community Compliance**
- **Community Preparedness**



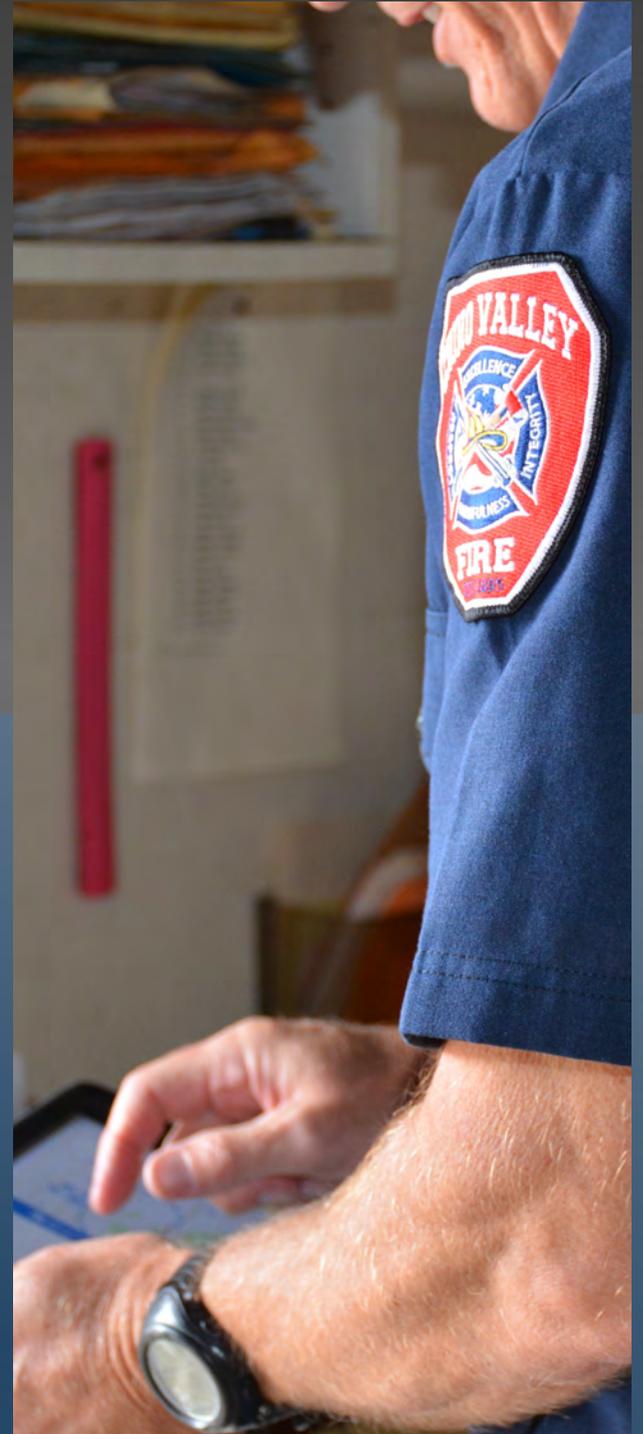
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Community Development ensures all new construction in the Chino Valley is code compliant by working with developers prior to building design in order to ensure code requirements are understood and met.

Fire District personnel review plans prior to construction and issue permits for various construction related projects.

Once plans are approved and permits have been issued, inspections are conducted to ensure compliance with approved plans, codes, and/or standards.

PERMIT TYPE	PERMITS ISSUED	INSPECTIONS
New Construction	661	1,552
Tenant Improvements	132	155
Sprinklers	933	2,179
Fire Alarms	165	266
Solar	944	876
Special Events	126	31
Other	167	286



COMMUNITY COMPLIANCE

Community Compliance oversees the Fire District's Vegetation Management program, which consists of biannual inspections conducted by fire personnel to ensure proper clearance of vegetation and other combustible materials.

Community Risk Reduction coordinates the inspections of local businesses by our emergency services personnel through the Engine Company Inspection program.

Community Compliance also oversees fireworks enforcement during the 4th of July holiday. Fire inspectors inspect fireworks booths in the city of Chino on a daily basis to ensure fireworks are stored and handled properly. Our staff sorts and tracks all confiscated illegal fireworks in partnership with local law enforcement, ensuring proper disposal.

FIRE INVESTIGATIONS

Investigations Conducted	46
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FIREWORKS STATISTICS

Confiscated Fireworks	2,209 pounds
Citations Issued	97
Fireworks Related Fires	5
Fireworks Related Injuries	4
Fireworks Booth Inspections	240

WEED ABATEMENT

Brush Inspections	320
Spring non-Compliant Parcels	473
Spring Parcels Abated by Contractor	54
Fall Non-Compliant Parcels	115
Fall Parcels Abated by Contractor	30



COMMUNITY PREPAREDNESS

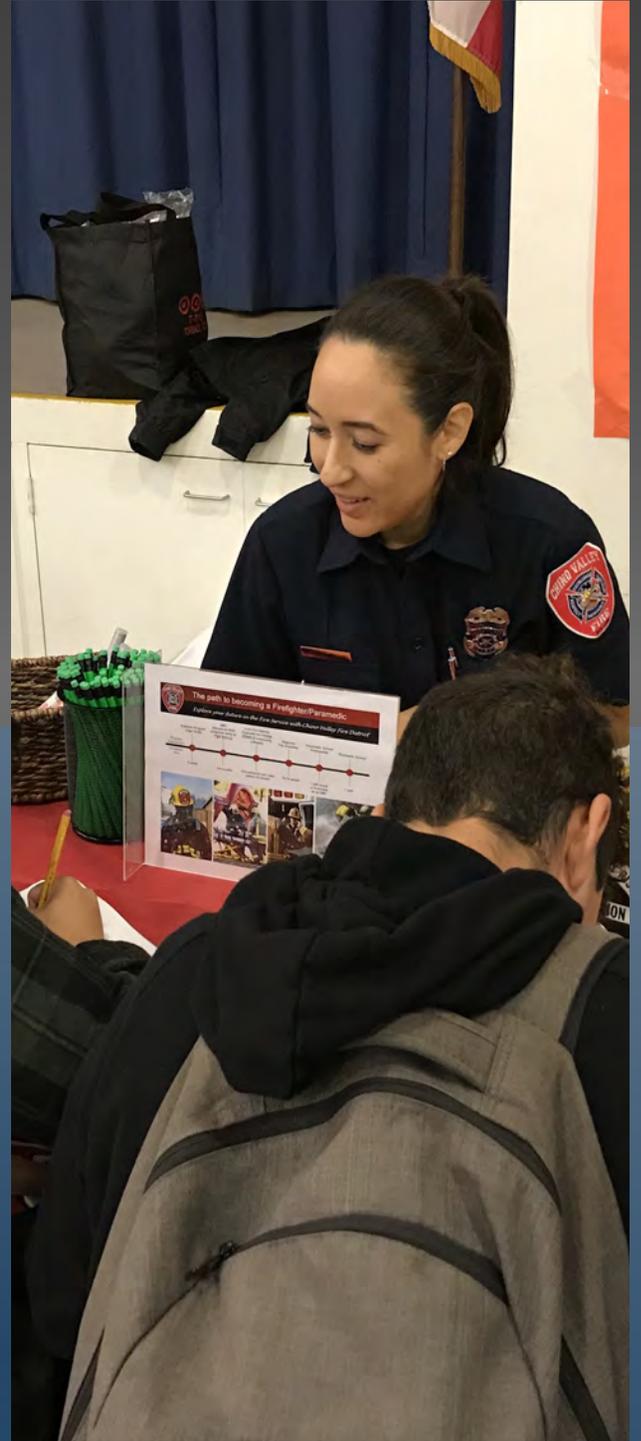
Community Preparedness empowers the public with knowledge so that they can prepare for any emergency situation that the Chino Valley may face.

Community Preparedness educates all segments of the population on fire and life safety, earthquake preparedness, flooding, and wildland fires.

Community Preparedness works in partnership with community groups, volunteer organizations, non-profit organizations, our local schools, and community leaders. Community Preparedness oversees the Fire District's website and social media platforms, which include Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, and YouTube.

SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORM	FOLLOWING
Facebook	4,703
Instagram	4,133
Twitter	1,851
YouTube	70,051 (views)

COMMUNITY OUTREACH	
School Presentations/ Student Outreach	
Community Events/ Outreach Booths	
Fire Extinguisher Training	
Remembering When Program	
Total	39,615



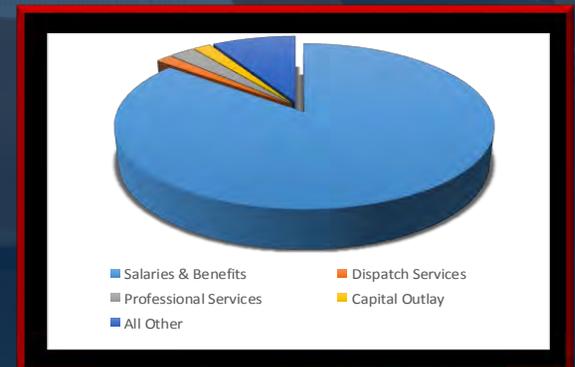
FINANCE

For the fiscal year that ended June 30, 2018, General Fund unrestricted revenues totaled \$40.8 million against total unrestricted expenditures of \$38.5 million.

CATEGORY	\$ (in Millions)	% of Total
Property Tax	\$28.5	70%
Contract	9.3	23%
Permit & Inspection Fees	1.5	4%
Mutual Aid Recoveries	1.0	2%
Other Revenues	0.5	1%
Total	\$40.8	100%

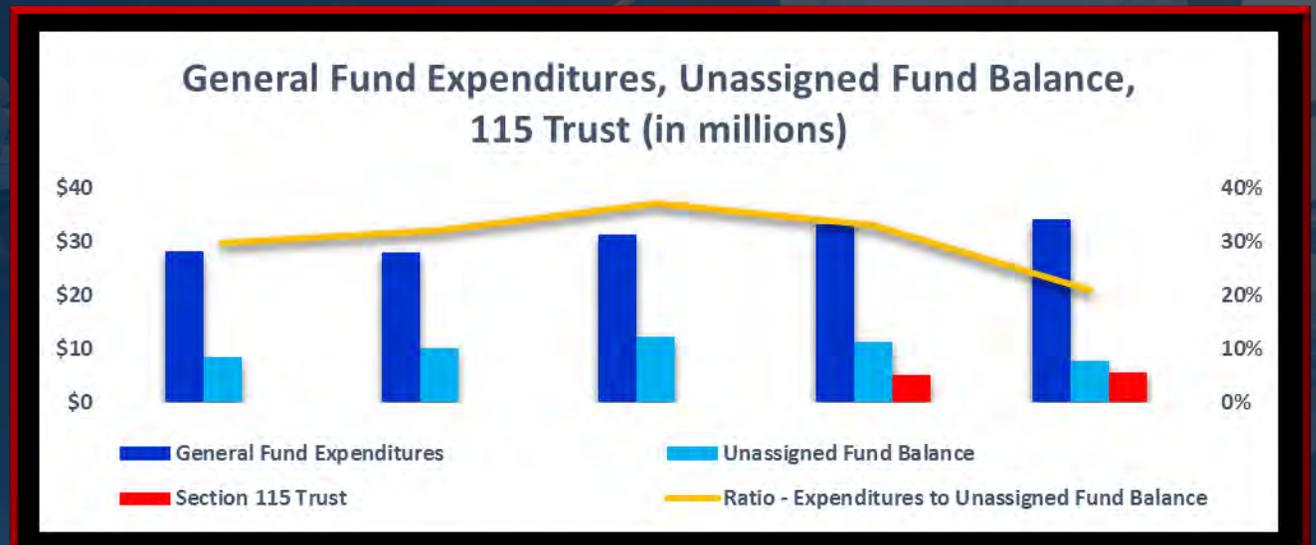
FY18 UNRESTRICTED REVENUES, UNRESTRICTED EXPENDITURES & CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE

CATEGORY	\$ (IN THE MILLIONS)	% OF TOTAL
Salaries & Benefits	\$32.9	85%
Dispatch Services	0.6	2%
Professional Services	1.0	
Capital Outlay	0.7	2%
All Other	3.3	8%
Net Revenue from Operations	\$2.3	6%*
Total	\$38.5	100%
*Percent of Revenues		



FINANCE

The District adopted an Internal Revenue Service Code Section 115 Retirement Trust in late Fiscal 2017, initially depositing \$5 million to the trust from Fund Balance. Funds accumulated in the restricted use trust may only be used to reduce pension liabilities. As of June 30, 2018, the balance in the trust amounted to just over \$5.4 million.



FIRE CHAPLAINS

The Fire Chaplain program is staffed by volunteers who have a desire to serve within the Chino Valley. They provide spiritual ministry after a traumatic event to Fire District employees and their families, as well as Chino Valley residents.

Fire Chaplains serve non-denominationally and do not promote a doctrinal position or take the place of a family pastor.

Trained and experienced chaplains are available around the clock to provide comfort, encouragement, and support.

Fire Chaplains perform the following services:

- Crisis intervention involving victims of emergencies
- Death notifications
- Critical incident stress management
- Confidential counseling and referrals for fire personnel and their families
- Visit sick or injured fire personnel at home or in the hospital
- Memorials, funerals, invocations, and wedding ceremonies for fire personnel and their families

CHAPLAIN SERVICES	
Calls for Service	46
Invocations	34







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