## **Palomar Mountain Fire Safe Council Foundation**

PMFSC Board Meeting- December 15, 2018

## PMFSC Activity Update for PMVFD Meeting, January 5, 2019

Topic	Status
Financial status	Current balance: (11/30/18) \$ 51,558.68 (NRP grant \$48,328) Current liabilities: \$35,640 for 72 Barricade kits/Paid Donations received: \$340     pending: (PMVFD) pledged for Dumpster #4 Current Grant funding: \$2500 (SDG&E 2018)     \$48,328 (Neighborhood Reinvestment Program 2018) Fundraising: Working on requesting donations from neighboring Tribal Councils
CAL FIRE	Blueprints for new Station 79 facilities reviewed at central office Dec13. Potential start summer 2019. Wood stove included in plan.
SDCty Fire	P.A.C.E. SDC Evacuation Plan: Crestline-J32-Conifer will function as an alternate evacuation route for Palomar Mountain. No new information re new community based fliers. Still using old fliers.
USFS	Amy Reed new District Ranger. Tim Gray will continue in present position.  Jeff Valley NEPA evaluation anticipated 3/19  Birch Hill: 70 acres pile burn completed. Broadcast burn to be determined.  -Fry Creek Unit 5 burn scheduled next week (opposite Observatory campground)  -Then Fry Creek Unit 7 (north side campground) will be broadcast  Burn permits being issued again by Tim Gray's office. Site must be inspected before burn (Phouva). Site requirements: water available 4X4 piles. Burn permit in hand at time of burn. Illegal fires to be fined. (Illegal/unattended campfire fine: \$130)
FSCSDC	Next general meeting: January 10 in Lakeside (Lakeside Fire Protection District office.) Topic: CWPP workshop
PMVFD	72 Barricade kits moved to large Conex container
РМРО	Per PMPO request, PMFSC working on laminated Campfire instructions for Palomar community and rental units.
Community Activities/ Workshops	Completed: Chainsaw Maintenance/Use/Safety workshop with USFS (Tim Gray/Adam Maggs) Nov 17, 2018  Dumpster Days X4 (June 8, July 7-8 2018, September 8/9, October 13/14 -Filled by 11:30 AM 10/13)  Scheduled: None TBS: 6 Chipping & 6 Dumpster days (April-October 2019)  Evacuation Workshop: On Hold

<ol> <li>SDG&amp;E 2018 (\$2500): Community workshops &amp; education</li> <li>NRP/Neighborhood Reinvestment Program 2018 (\$48,328): Barricade (72 kits), 6 dumpsters, 6 chipping days.</li> </ol>
Barricade stored in large Conex container. CERT will track distribution  Dumpster days and chipping days: monthly April-October 2019
CAL FIRE 18-FP-MVU-2037 for Alternate Evacuation route (Crestline/32J/Conifer) Budget \$409,890 Administrator: RCDSDC
Fuel reduction 20" both sides of Conifer Road for 1 mile from S7 to Greenfield Rd Fuel reduction private road loop from Crestline Rd, through 32 J to Conifer Rd
1. Prepare USFS grant for submission next May. Need 50% matching funds. Will solicit community matching funds at community meetings/opportunities. (Volunteer fuel reduction value: \$28/hour. 9 people have signed pledges (764 hrs/\$14,600=\$35,992)
<ul> <li>1.SDG&amp;E (2016) \$2500 for community education projects/workshops</li> <li>2.SDG&amp;E (2017) \$2500 for community education projects/workshops</li> <li>3. USFS/FSCSDC Palomar Fuel Reduction Grant (2017)</li> <li>Final report: Curbside chipping-65 homes; DSAP coast share prepwork-22 homes; dead trees removed-8. WUI workshop held 8/18.</li> <li>4. Neighborhood Reinvestment Program (NRP) 2017: \$10,000-All funds expended for Fire Gel home kits/2 diesel power washers.</li> </ul>
SRA Fuel Reduction Grant-2016 (\$200,000) for 1) improvement in Crestline/Birch Hill (Borland to Conifer) contingency evacuation route 2) fuel reduction on land outside the 100' defensible space.      CALFIRE /Cap Trade Fire Prevention program: (\$274,086) PMFSC Evacuation Route Improvement/Fuel reduction Project for Crestline, Birch Hill, Observation Point for emergency vehicle access and resident evacuation
Birch Hill resident raised concern re local evacuation notification especially at night and/ or if cell phones not available. Only fire siren on mountain is at Fire Station 79. Additional remotely controlled sirens suggested in east at top of Birch Hill at Water company site and on west side (RC 's hill?)  All residents should either have automatic Reverse 911 or sign up with Alert San Diego. For cell phone notification.