



Palomar Mountain Volunteer Fire Department

June 15, 2018

Chief Tony Mecham
2249 Jamacha Road
El Cajon, CA. 92019

Chief Mecham,

On behalf of the Palomar Mountain Fire Department Board of Directors I want to take this opportunity to thank you and San Diego County Fire for the enhanced service that is being provided to the residents of Palomar Mountain. Since we are now staffed with career firefighters and paramedics we have witnessed an improvement in response time and quality of emergency services provided to the community. The County of San Diego and Battalion Chief Cal Hendri keep us updated on the progress of station improvements. Chief Hendri and Captain Dean Kowalski attend our board meetings and report on call volumes, personnel changes, and conditions of the station.

The career firefighters and county reserves at Station 79 are professional, friendly, and courteous to board members and community members alike. The equipment upgrades, including the engine, quick attack, water tender and the new station construction are very exciting for the residents. The investment the county is making in our community is greatly appreciated.

We are eager to help the station construction process move forward and we hope to see the firefighters in their new crew quarters very soon. Thank you again for the great service you are providing to the community of Palomar Mountain.

Sincerely,

Cliff Kellogg
President
Palomar Mountain Volunteer Fire Department Board of Directors