

**Groveland Community Services District
Fire Department / CALFIRE**

18966 Ferretti Road Groveland, CA 95321

Staff Report

November 1, 2022

To: Board of Directors

From: Marc DiTullio, Assistant Chief
By: Travis Chunn, Fire Captain

Subject: Monthly Activity Report – September 1, 2022 to October 31, 2022

Operations:

On September 30, 2022, at approximately 5:54 PM, CAL FIRE Battalion 4416, Training 4427, Engine 4466, Engine 4478, and GCSD Engine 781 were dispatched to an aircraft down at the Pine Mountain Lake Airport. Engine 781 arrived at scene first to find one single engine fixed wing plane rolled over on the runway. There were no injuries.

On October 6, 2022, at approximately 12:29 PM, GCSD Engine 781 was dispatched to a vehicle accident where the vehicle struck a propane tank. Upon arrival Engine 781 found a single vehicle that had rolled down a driveway into a propane tank. The propane tank lines were broken, and propane was leaking. The tank was shut off and Suburban Propane arrived to remedy the situation. There were no injuries.

On October 11, 2022, at approximately 7:39 PM, GCSD Engine 781 and Tuolumne County Engine 513 were dispatched to the 20000 block of Nonpareil Way in Groveland for an unresponsive patient with possible CPR required. Upon arrival Engine 781 found a patient who was breathing, but who had significant injuries. Engine 781 requested an air ambulance to the Pine Mountain Lake Airport. The patient was flown to Modesto.



Apparatus and Equipment:

Apparatus	Description	Status
Engine 781	2009 Pierce Contender	In Service
Engine 787	2000 Freightliner FL112	In Service
Engine 783	1995 International Model 15	In Service
Utility 786	2008 Chevrolet 2500	In Service

Training:

In addition to our monthly Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) curriculum and engine company performance standards, Battalion personnel received the following specialized training:

- Rope Rescue
- Pickets
- Hand-Held Radios
- Maps
- Code 3 Driving
- Pumping
- Tire Chains



Fire Department News:

On September 17, 2022, GCSD Engine 781 and Tuolumne County Engine 631 participated in the 49er Festival Parade. Engine 781 had a booth at the festival and handed out fire prevention materials.



On October 31, 2022, Engine 781 participated in the Trunk or Treat at the Mary Laveroni Community Park. Engine 781 handed out candy to the kids as part of the event.



Grant Updates:

California Fire Foundation Grant: (3) Mobile Radios

Awarded: \$13,869.59 w/ no matching funds required. This check has been received by GCSD

Current Status: Mobile Radios are backordered for 150 days, Columbia Communications has (3) reserved for us when they get their next shipment

Volunteer Fire Assistance Grant: (5) Hand-Held Radios

Awarded: \$6,652.03 50/50 match = \$6,652.02 (GCSD portion)

Grant Agreement #7GF223114

Current Status: Ordered and received (4) radios & accessories. (1) radio and (5) lapel mics are back ordered. We can submit the invoices for reimbursement when we receive the remainder of the order.

FEMA Assistance to Firefighters Grant: Plymovent Exhaust Capture System

Awarded: \$41,336.23 w/ a 5% match = \$5,833.85 (GCSD portion: due to price increase & addition of payment bond)

Grant # EMW-2021-FG-06645

Current Status: Award has been accepted in the FEMA GO system. There is an Environmental & Historic Preservation (EHP) process that was required by FEMA for any construction project. The application was submitted, and we received the approval letter from FEMA on October 25, 2022.

U.S. Department of Homeland Security
Washington, DC 20472



FEMA

October 25, 2022

To: Elena Porterfield, Preparedness Officer, GPD
From: Amber Martinez, Environmental Protection Specialist, GPD
Subject: EHP Review Completion for 2021-FG-06645 (44123) Groveland CA Exhaust Extraction System

Documentation for the following project was submitted to the Grant Programs Directorate (GPD) for Environmental and Historic Preservation (EHP) review.

Project Description: Installation of exhaust extraction system
Grant Recipient: Groveland Community Services District
Project Location: 18930 Highway 120 Groveland, CA 95321
Grant Number(s): 2021-FG-0664
Case Number: 2021-FG-06645 (44123)
Grant Program: Assistance to Firefighter Grant Program

The materials submitted were reviewed according to the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) of 1969, the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA) and other EHP laws, regulations, and Executive Orders.

After review of the documentation provided, the environmental review is now completed in accordance with FEMA Instruction 108-1-1 and DHS Instruction 023-01-001-01. Please inform the recipient that because of this determination their project has been approved for EHP compliance, subject to the conditions outlined below. In addition, where subrecipients are involved, I request you remind the recipient of their responsibility to ensure subrecipients comply with these conditions.

Special Conditions: None

Standard Conditions:

- Any change to the approved scope of work will require re-evaluation for compliance with NEPA and other Laws and Executive Orders.
- This review does not address all federal, state, and local requirements. Acceptance of federal funding requires the recipient to comply with all federal, state, and local laws. Failure to obtain all appropriate federal, state, and local environmental permits and clearances may jeopardize federal funding.

EHP Completion Letter
EHP Case Number: 2021-FG-06645 (44123)

- If ground disturbing activities occur during construction, applicant will monitor ground disturbance and if any potential archeological resources are discovered, will immediately cease construction in that area and notify the State and FEMA.

This is official documentation and must be retained as part of the project record. A copy of this letter will be added to the grant file that includes this project.

If you have further questions please contact GPDEHPinfo@fema.dhs.gov.

MONTH - September 2022

STATION 78

Alarm Sounding	1
Odor Investigation	0
Debris Fire	0
Medical Aid	36
Fire Menace Standby	0
Fire Other	0
Haz Mat	1
Landing Zone	0
Plane/Heli Crash	1
Public Assist	12
Smoke Check	0
Structure Fire	0
Commercial Structure Fire	0
Vegetation Fire	1
Vehicle Accident	3
Vehicle Accident/Pin in	0
Vehicle Fire	0
TOTAL	55

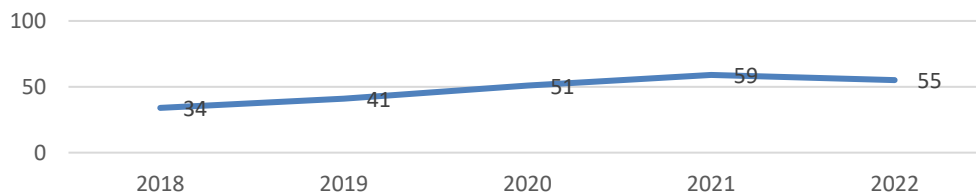


Auto Aid	Given
Tuolumne County	1
INC# 12332 Vegetation Fire Old Priest Grade	
TCFD Engine: 17 Calls	

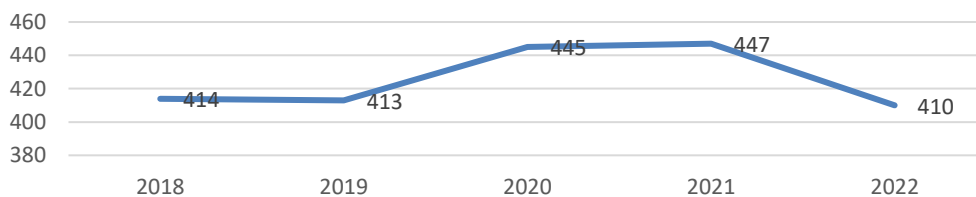
ALS	
YES	NO
21	15

Last Call Logged Run # 12564

GCSD TOTAL INCIDENTS SEPTEMBER 2018-2022



GCSD TOTAL INCIDENTS YEAR TO DATE



MONTH - October 2022

STATION 78

Alarm Sounding	2
Odor Investigation	1
Debris Fire	0
Medical Aid	29
Fire Menace Standby	0
Fire Other	0
Haz Mat	1
Landing Zone	2
Plane/Heli Crash	0
Public Assist	10
Smoke Check	1
Structure Fire	0
Commercial Structure Fire	0
Vegetation Fire	0
Vehicle Accident	1
Vehicle Accident/Pin in	0
Vehicle Fire	0
TOTAL	47

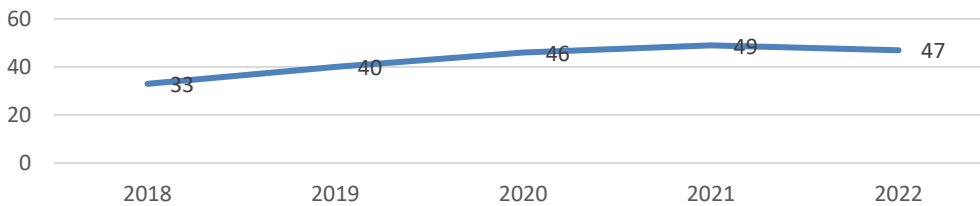


Auto Aid	Given
Tuolumne County	1
INC# 13114 Vehicle Accident Smith Station Rd.	
TCFD Engine: 20 calls	

ALS	
YES	NO
23	8

Last Call Logged Run # 13859

GCSO TOTAL INCIDENTS OCTOBER 2018 - 2022



GCSO TOTAL INCIDENTS YEAR TO DATE

