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FIRE MARSHAL NAMED FIRE PREVENTION OFFICER OF THE YEAR

RANCHO SANTA FE, Calif. — The San Diego County Fire Prevention Officers named Cliff Hunter, Fire Marshal for the Rancho Santa Fe Fire Protection District, as the Fire Prevention Officer of the Year. Hunter received this honor from his peers for his selfless dedication to fire prevention and fire safety in San Diego County. He was instrumental in the development of the county's consolidated fire code and the adoption of the International Codes. He is a wildland urban interface (WUI) expert who has made enormous contributions to WUI code development and public education efforts in San Diego and across the country. Hunter's expertise has been featured in numerous local and national publications and broadcast interviews promoting shelter-in-place communities and strict code requirements to mitigate the threat of wildfires.

The mission of the Rancho Santa Fe Fire Protection District is "To protect life, property, and environment through prevention, preparedness, education and emergency response." Formed in 1946, the Fire District now spans approximately 42-square miles and protects over 26,500 citizens. The Fire District currently operates out of four full-time fire stations and serves the communities within and surrounding Rancho Santa Fe and 4S-Ranch.

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