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### **FIREFIGHTERS EXTINGUISH DRYER FIRE IN FAIRBANKS SALON**

**RANCHO SANTA FE, Calif.** — On Wednesday, March 23, 2011, at 7:56 a.m., firefighters from the Rancho Santa Fe Fire Protection District (RSFFPD) and the Solana Beach Fire Department responded to a reported fire at the Casa Blanca Salon and Spa in the 16000 block of San Dieguito Road in Fairbanks Ranch. Upon arrival, they found light smoke throughout the business. Further investigation led them to discover a fire inside a clothes dryer had burned the dryer's contents before burning out.

Four fire engines, one ladder truck, one medic unit, and one battalion chief responded to the incident. No injuries were reported. All occupants of the building were able to safely evacuate and the salon did not sustain any structural damage. The cause is under investigation

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 38-square miles and protects over 27,000 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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