



RANCHO SANTA FE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

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BREAK-IN AT STATION 2 IN 4S RANCH

4S RANCH, Calif. — Today, at approximately 6:40 a.m., someone broke into Rancho Santa Fe Fire Protection District Station 2. The suspect entered a dorm room assigned to a San Diego Medical Services paramedic and stole the keys to the ambulance assigned to the station as well as the ambulance pager. The Sheriff's Department was immediately notified and the incident is under investigation. Another ambulance was moved to Station 2, ensuring there would not be any interruption in providing emergency services to the members of the community.

“We are taking this incident very seriously,” said Battalion Chief Mike Gibbs. “The safety of the community and our personnel is our priority. We are cooperating fully with the San Diego County Sheriff's Department as they continue to investigate the incident and will do everything we can to prevent this from occurring in the future.”

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 29,000 citizens. The Fire District currently operates out of four full-time fire stations and serves the communities within and surrounding Rancho Santa Fe, Fairbanks Ranch, and 4S-Ranch.

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