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***To safeguard life and property from the hazards of fire and explosion
through prevention, investigation and education.***

Caldwell Fire Department
403 Blaine St.
Caldwell, ID 83605

09/2020-Present

Deputy Chief of Prevention/Fire Marshal
City of Caldwell & Canyon County Fire Protection District
i.e. Cities of Greenleaf, Notus, Huston

Senior level Command Staff that is responsible for all internal and external fire prevention and all risk mitigation activities. Supervises and directs the work of all personnel assigned to the Fire Prevention Division. Works closely and cooperatively with the community development staff known as the 'Red Carpet Team', this includes building officials, public works department, city engineers, architects, designers, contractors, and the public. Provides plan review of New Construction projects, Fire Protection Systems, Fire Alarm Systems, New Business, inspections, specialized equipment as well as required follow-up inspections and permitting. Reviews/creates technical written and oral reports; understands State/County/City laws, codes, and regulations. Proficient in multiple computer data programs including CitizenServe, Project Doc, ESO, Vector Scheduling, Liv, Tenzinga, Lexipol, Opengov, 921 Doc and others. Responsible for annual development and accounting of the Fire Prevention Division budget. Provides and develops Community Education Programs for local Schools, City and County special events and community outreach. Oversees and monitors the new recruit academy Community Risk Reduction Program for all probationary Firefighters. Primary/lead investigator for the city's fire investigations team. Determines the origin and causes of incidents, prepare fire investigation reports and findings. May be required to testify in a court of law involving criminal cases or code enforcement related issues. As assigned by the Fire Chief, may serve as liaison with other governmental agencies and communities.

Idaho State Fire Marshal Office
700 W. State St. 3rd Floor P.O. Box 83720
Boise, ID 837200043

9/2015-9/2020

Deputy State Fire Marshal
Deputy Fire Investigator, CFIT

Collects and preserves evidence, documents incident site through digital photography, interviews witnesses and suspects, completes detailed investigation reports and provides expert testimony in court for fire and explosion investigations.

Areas documented during the course of the investigations include details of fire ignition, growth, and development; contributions of building construction, interior finish and furnishings; fire detection and suppression scenarios; performance of structures exposed to the fire; smoke movement and control; human reaction (response) and evacuation; firefighting and rescue; fire propagation as a function of human reaction time; and the extent of life loss, injury and property damage.

Ventura County Fire Department (VNC)
165 Durley Ave. Camarillo, CA 93010

11/2001 – 9/2015

Fire Inspector
Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Manager

Conducted emergency training for citizens the cities of Simi Valley, Moorpark, Thousand Oaks, Agoura, Camarillo, Santa Paula, Fillmore, Ojai and unincorporated Ventura County.

Conducted Train-The-Trainer (TTT) training for CERT Instructors for Ventura County firefighters and other municipal agencies in southern California.

Maintained and manage all equipment and stock, ordering of supplies, maintain training records, grant information, annual budget, and county wide coronation.

Meet and confer with VNC management, County and City Emergency Managers to provide training and scheduling.

Community Education Officer

Coordinate Volunteers and staff for public events and presentations.

Conduct Fire & safety presentations on all topics and programs.

Create and implement educational material and programs for school aged children and seniors.

Maintain and manage current grant static's and information directly related to education programs.

Code Enforcement Officer

Conduct Fire & Safety inspections, issue IFC permits and enforce Fire Department codes and ordinances.

Participate in Public Safety & Fire Education events throughout the county.

Provide First Aid, CPR & AED training for the VCFD EMS Division.

Supervisor's Name: Fire Prevention Officer Marnel VandenBossche,

Fire Hazard Reduction Program Senior Coordinator

Provide for the protection of structures in the urban/wildland interface by establishing and maintaining a 100-foot defensible perimeter around each structure.

Provide for the removal of annual fuels within the defensive perimeter.

Provide any fire suppression resource from any agency the opportunity to successfully protect structures and other valuable properties during a wildfire threat.

Protect the watershed fire areas from exposure to structure fires in the wildland/interface areas.

All Risk Incident Management

Provide logistical & ICS support on large-scale incidents as a Base Camp Manager, Facilities Unit Leader, Ordering Manager, Receiving and Distribution Manager, Supply Unit Leader or Logistics Section Chief

Oxnard College Regional Fire Academy
4000 South Rose Ave. Oxnard CA 93033-6699

1/2002 – 12/2005

Professional Instructor

Teach the skills and the accredited Firefighter 1 curriculum set forth by the college officials and the State of California.

Taft City Fire Department
801 Center St. Taft, CA 93268

6/2001 - 11/2001

Salary: Volunteer

Hours per week: 24

Auxiliary Firefighter (Volunteer)

Assigned to engine company as a firefighter for response to all risk emergency events and public assist calls

Conduct fire prevention and safety inspections

Supervisor's Name: Captain Scott Huntter, Supervisor's Phone: 805 765-4136)

BOEING / contracted to Pinkerton
3311 E La Palma Ave. Anaheim, CA 92806

6/1998 - 1/2003

Fire Prevention Officer 98-00 / Training Lt. 00-01

Managed and supervised over 40 security and fire suppression personnel on a daily basis.

Maintained employee training records, work schedules and evaluations.

Conducted Hazardous Material training up to the FROD(Federal)

Conducted AHA First Aid, CPR, AED & Blood borne Pathogen training.

Conducted and implemented training for fire tactics, suppression and building inspections.

Respond to Hazardous Materials/ Medical / Fire / TC / USAR responses

Inspect and maintain risers, extinguishers and fire alarm systems.

Supervisor's Name: Pete Sanchez , Supervisor's Phone: 714 762-5578)

US Forest Service

6/1997 - 9/1997

**Highway 96 @ Ishi Pishi Rd.
PO Drawer Box 410**

Forestry Technician

Urban interface and wildland fire suppression operations including but not limited to hand line construction, engine operations, safety/look out, EMS, helitack and hazmat operations.

Fire prevention and education duties

Supervisor's Name: Ken Pough, Supervisor's Phone: 530 627 3291)

Incident Management Team (IMT)

2003-2015

CalFire IMT

Served on team 10 facilities Trainee, 6 Facilities Unit Leader and Team 7 as Supply Unit Leader

US Forest Service IMT

Served on team 2 as a Base Camp Manager, Ordering Manager Trainee

**JOB RELATED
TRAINING**

State of Idaho Fire Code Official 2019, 2018,2017,2016, 2015

ICC Certified Fire Marshal (Tested)

- ICC Fire Codes & Standards (1/3 FM Certification)
- ICC Management Module (1/3 FM Certification)
- ICC Legal (1/3 FM Certification)

ICC Fire Inspector 1 (Tested)

IFSTA Inspector 1 (Tested)

Fire Prevention 1A, 1C, 2C (CSFT)

Permitting & Inspecting Outdoor Public Display Fireworks

- Aerial & Theatrical Fireworks
- Motion Picture / Television Fire Safety Officer

IAAI Certified Fire Investigator (IAAI-CFI)

- Principles of Fire Investigation 67 Hours (Tested)
- Fire Investigation for Fire Officers 41 Hours (Tested)
- Fire Investigation Orientation, FRO, 1A
- Fire Investigation Instructor, EITC
- CFI Trainer 486 total credit hours (Tested)
- NWCG FI-210 Wildland Fire Investigation
- NWCG FI-110 Wildland Fire Observation & Origin Scene Protection

CSFT Public Education 1

CSFT Instructor Orientation, Instructor 1A, Instructor 1B

EMI Community Emergency Response Training (CERT) Program Mgr.

- Train-The-Trainer Instructor, Student Instructor,

L-381 Incident Command Leadership

CSFT Logistics Section Chief Type 3

CSFT S-450 Logistics Section Chief

- Facilities Unit Leader / Base Camp Mgr.
- Supply Unit leader / Receiving & distribution Mgr./ Ordering Mgr.
- I-236 Staging Area Mgr.
- NWCG S-420 Command and General Staff
- NWCG ICS I-400, 300, 200, 100

S-404 Safety Officer

S-203 Public Information Officer (PIO)

S-110 Wildland Fire Orientation

RT-130 Wildland Refresher

S-215 Fire Operations in the Urban Interface

S-330 Strike Team / Task Force Leader

CSFT Firefighter 1 Certified

- USAR 1
- Confined Space and Rescue Operational
- Rescue Systems 1
- CSFT Fire Control #3

Hazardous Materials FRO Instructor, Technician, FRO, FROD

Terrorism Liaison Officer (TLO)

Emergency Responses to Terrorism

AFFILIATIONS

International Association of Arson Investigators, Member
International Association of Arson Investigators Idaho Chapter, District 2 Reprehensive
National Association of Fire Investigators, Member
Idaho Fire Chiefs Association, Member
International Association of Fire Chiefs, Member
State Of Idaho DOPL Board member for the LP Board

**ADDITIONAL
INFORMATION**

2003 Ventura County Fire Inspector of the Year

Awarded "Appreciation of Courage" medal for 2004 Wildland Fires from the City of Simi Valley & Hummingbird Ranch

2010 Ventura County Fire Inspector of the Year

Challenge Coin "Award of Excellence" 2013, 2014, 2015

International Association of Arson Investigators, 2ed Place Arson Photo Award 2019