IVINS CITY

COUNCIL JOINT WORK MEETING

AGENDA

Mayor Kevin Smith
City Council Members
Sharon Barton
Sharon Gillespie
Dillon Hurt
Wayne Pennington
Mike Scott

City Manager Chuck Gillette

October 22, 2026

The Ivins City Council will hold a Joint Work Meeting with the Santa Clara City Council, in the Ivins City Fire Station Bays, 90 West Center Street, Ivins, UT, on Thursday, October 22, 2026. The meeting will begin at 5:30 P.M.

NOTICE: This meeting will be held in person and via Zoom. The link for electronic participation is: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81076882302

1) **WELCOME AND CALL TO ORDER**
   - **A.** Acknowledgement of Quorum
   - **B.** Disclosures

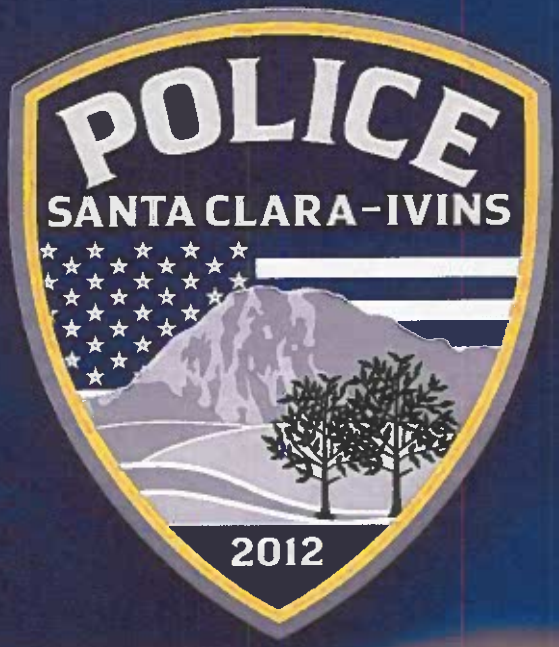
2) **WORK MEETING**
   - **A.** Annual Report by Santa Clara Ivins Police
   - **B.** Annual Report by Santa Clara Ivins Fire and Rescue

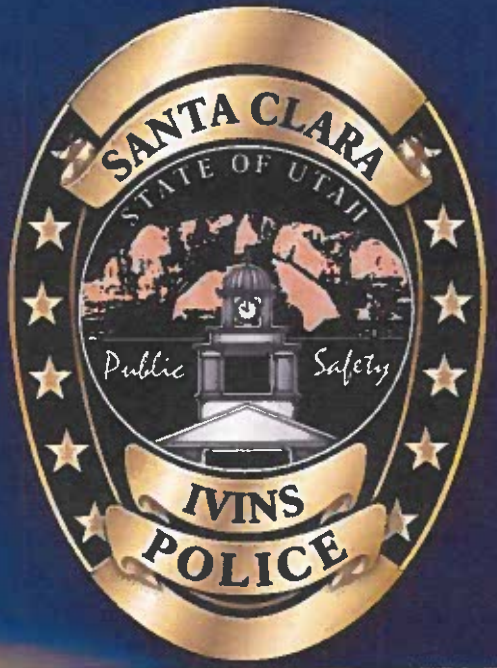
3) **ADJOURNMENT**

Reasonable accommodation: Ivins City will make efforts to provide reasonable accommodation to disabled members of the public in accessing City programs. Please contact the City Recorder at least 24 hours in advance if you have special needs.

I hereby certify that I have posted copies of the agenda in the following public and conspicuous places on October 15, 2026. Ivins City Hall, the Ivins Post Office, SCI Center Street Fire Station, Ivins City UNITY Park and Ivins City Animal Shelter. I have also sent a copy of this agenda to St. George News and posted it on the Utah Public Notice website.

Kari D. Jimenez, MPA, MMC
City Recorder





STATE OF THE DEPARTMENT

Santa Clara–Ivins Public Safety

October 2026

Chief Jaron Studley

SANTA CLARA-IVINS PUBLIC SAFETY

INTRODUCTION

BUDGET- $4,550,330.00

OFFICERS- 9

DETECTIVES- 2

SPECIALTIES- 1 TF (FOG), 2 SRO'S (LAVA RIDGE / VISTA), 2 K9'S Rosko Forest

SERGEANTS- 4

CAPTAIN- 1

CHIEF-1

ADMINISTRATION- 4

SANTA CLARA-IVINS PUBLIC SAFETY

FIVE-YEAR AVERAGES

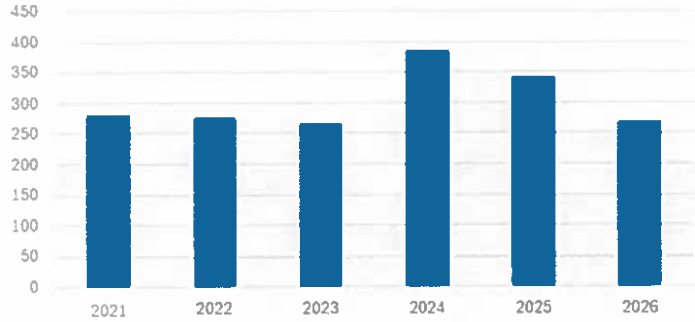
Based on the U.S. Census estimates, the combined population increased from approximately 16,531 in 2020 to 20,268 in 2025 — an increase of roughly 23%.

Population Growth, 2020–2025

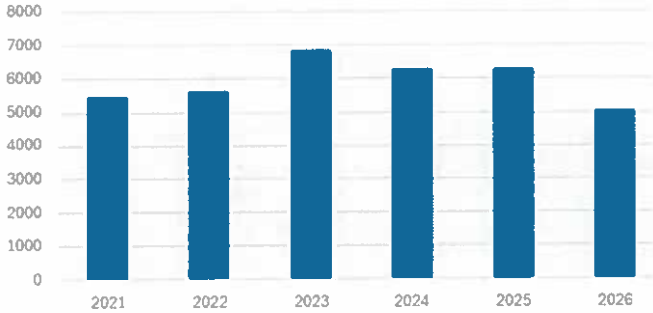
+23%

Approximately 3,737 additional residents

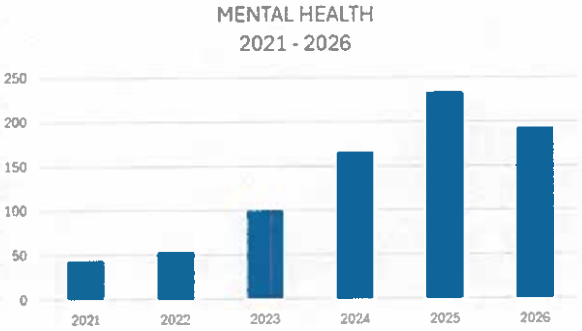
CRIME AGAINST PERSONS
2021 - 2026



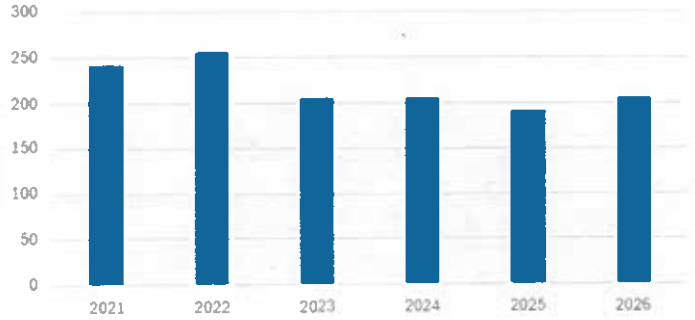
CALLS FOR SERVICE
2021 - 2026



MENTAL HEALTH
2021 - 2026



CRIME AGAINST PROPERTY
2021 - 2026



SANTA CLARA-IVINS PUBLIC SAFETY

VISION

To set the standard for professional policing through leadership, innovation, *community trust*, and an unwavering commitment to public safety.

To build a progressive public safety organization where employees are empowered, *community relationships* are strengthened, and our capabilities evolve to meet the challenges of tomorrow.

SANTA CLARA-IVINS PUBLIC SAFETY

COMMUNITY

- Santa Clara
- **8,722** Residents

CITY OF SANTA CLARA
FOUNDED 1854

- Ivins
- **11,546** Residents

UTAH
IVINS CITY

- Combined
- **20,268** Residents

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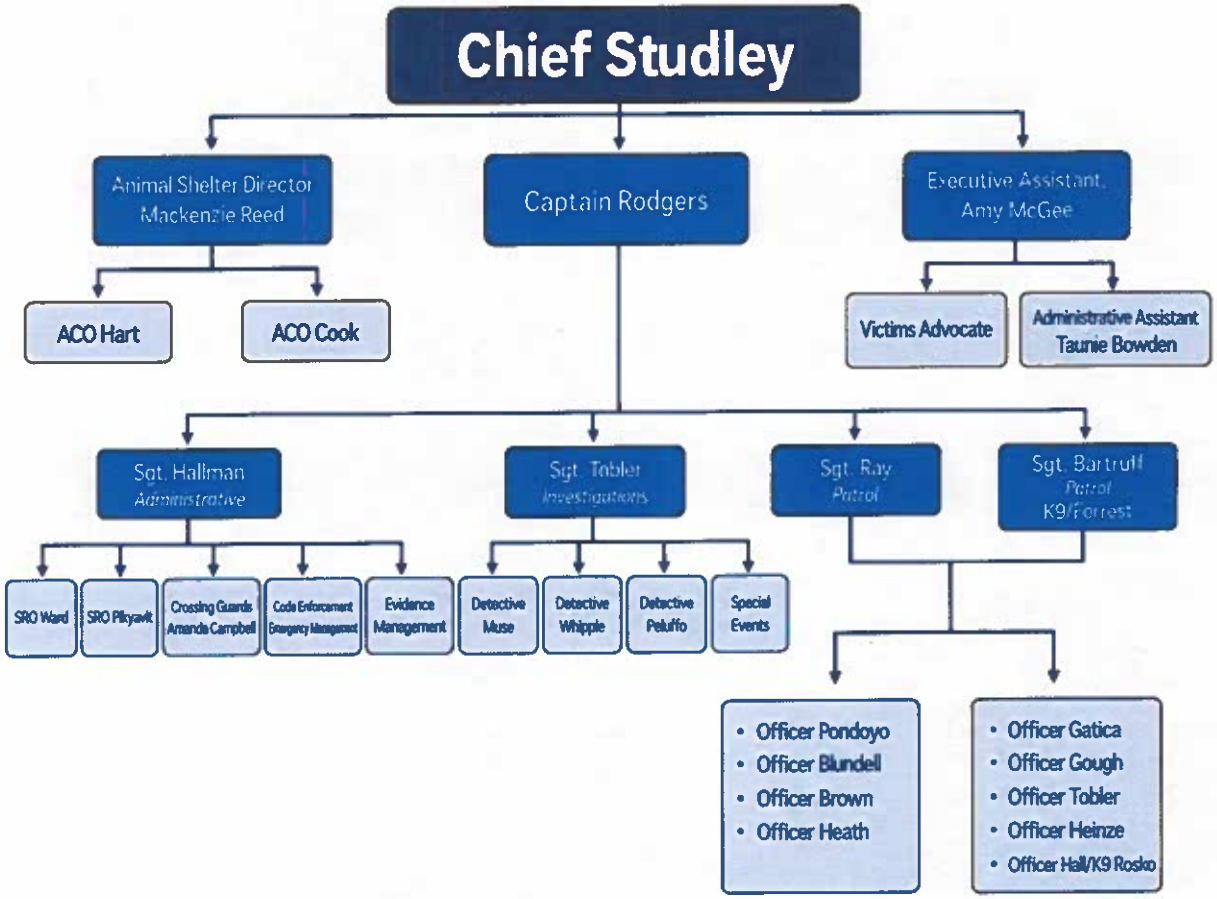






SANTA CLARA-IVINS PUBLIC SAFETY

STAFF



SANTA CLARA-IVINS PUBLIC SAFETY

CAPABILITIES AND SPECIALTIES

- 24/7 COVERAGE WITH TWO ON-DUTY AT ALL TIMES
- PATROL/NARCOTICS DETECTION K9
- EXPLOSIVES DETECTION K9
- SWAT
- VFAST
- TASK FORCE (FOG)
- PUBLIC ORDER
- ICAC
- DRONES
- ACCIDENT RECONSTRUCTION
- BOMB SQUAD

SANTA CLARA-IVINS PUBLIC SAFETY

FUTURE PRIORITIES

- ICAC Position- Washington County Task Force Expansion & MOU
- Dispatch MOU
- Bomb Squad MOU
- Accreditation Renewal for 2027-2031

SANTA CLARA-IVINS PUBLIC SAFETY

CHALLENGES

1. Staffing and Sustainability

Maintaining patrol coverage while strengthening investigative and supervisory capacity as the population grows.

2. Specialized Investigations

Expanding ICAC and major crimes investigative resources to address increasingly complex cases involving technology and vulnerable victims.

3. Equipment and Technology

Long-term fleet planning, improved evidence management, investigative technology, training, and emergency preparedness.

4. Community Engagement

Maintaining public trust through visible patrols, accessible community events, school partnerships, and open communication.

Thank you for your dedication and support to the men and women who relentlessly serve your communities.



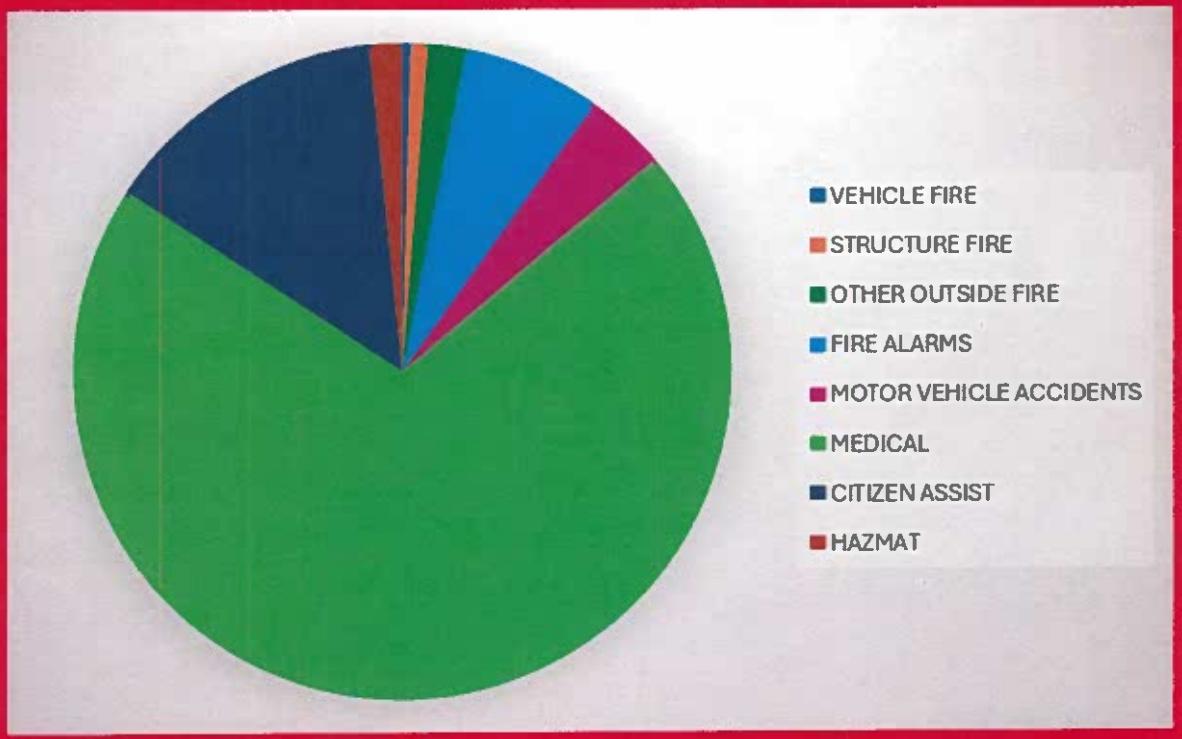


Santa Clara - Ivins

Fire & Rescue

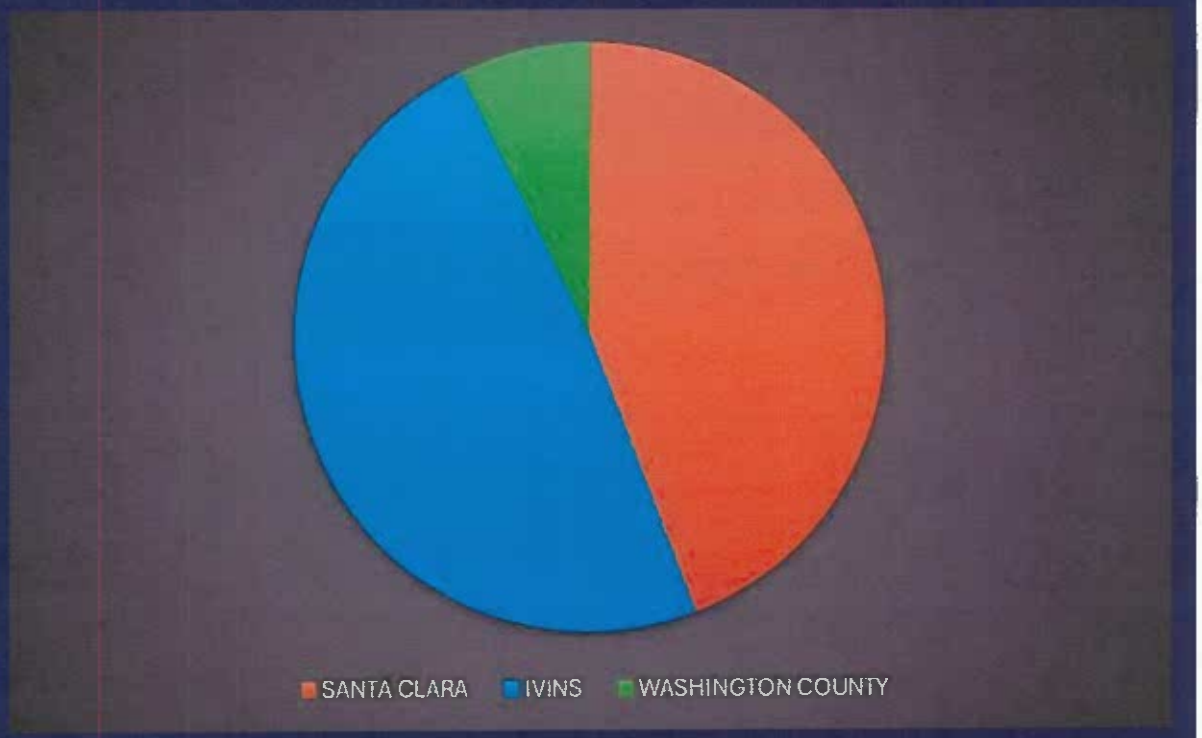
2026 –Year To Date
1,360 incidents

VEHICLE FIRE	0.40%
STRUCTURE FIRE	0.87%
OTHER OUTSIDE FIRE	1.87%
FIRE ALARMS	6.80%
MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS	4.00%
MEDICAL	70.31%
CITIZEN ASSIST	14.14%
HAZMAT	1.60%



2026 RESPONSE AREAS

SANTA CLARA	44.15%
IVINS	48.57%
WASHINGTON COUNTY	7.28%

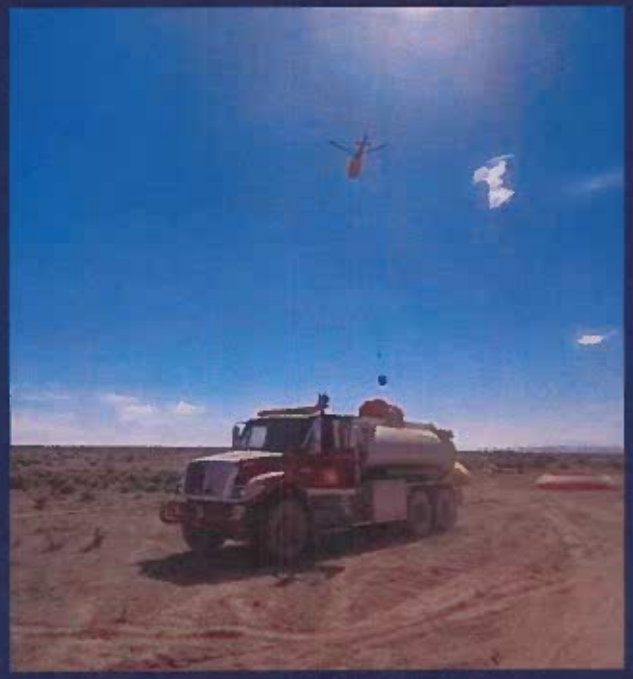


WILDLAND UPDATE

18 Wildland Deployments for 2026 Season to date.



Morrill
Cottonwood
Dellenbaugh
Sawmill
Cottonwood
Rock Canyon
Wild Goose
2026 CDC UT State Support
Turkey Farm
Grizzly Ridge
2026 UBC UT State Support
CY26 FFSL State Support
Widemouth 2
Widemouth 2
Kearny
2026 Initial Attack
2027 Initial Attack
OSC Support



WILDLAND URBAN INTERFACE UPDATE

Local WUI maps adopted by Santa Clara and Ivins City



AMBULANCE UPDATE

Received new ambulance in January 2026





Replacement for aging equipment to improve service and reliability to the community

TRAINING UPDATES

Multiple Courses Throughout the Year:

- Big Box Fire
- Autism Awareness
- Utah Winter Fire School
- St. George Regional Hospital Simulation Lab
- Cadavar Lab
- K-9 Casualty Care
- Training with Medical Director
- Hazardous Materials
- National Skills Verification
- Mental Health



CITYWIDE: CPR, AED, & FIRST AID



- All City Employees will be trained by the end of 2026
- As of now, the Police Dept. & Parks Dept. have all been certified.

SPECIAL EVENTS



- Black Desert PGA
- Black Desert PPA
- Gunlock Rodeo
- Red Mtn. 50K
- Red Rock Rampage
- Roxsand Mtn. Bike Race
- Huntsman Senior Games
- Snow Canyon Half Marathon
- Spring Tour of St. George
- Heritage Days
- Swiss Days
- True Grit
- Tuacahn PRCA
- Open House/Pancake Breakfast

STATION REMODEL UPDATE

Fire Station Funding

Celeste Malloy's Visit

Remodel Progress Update

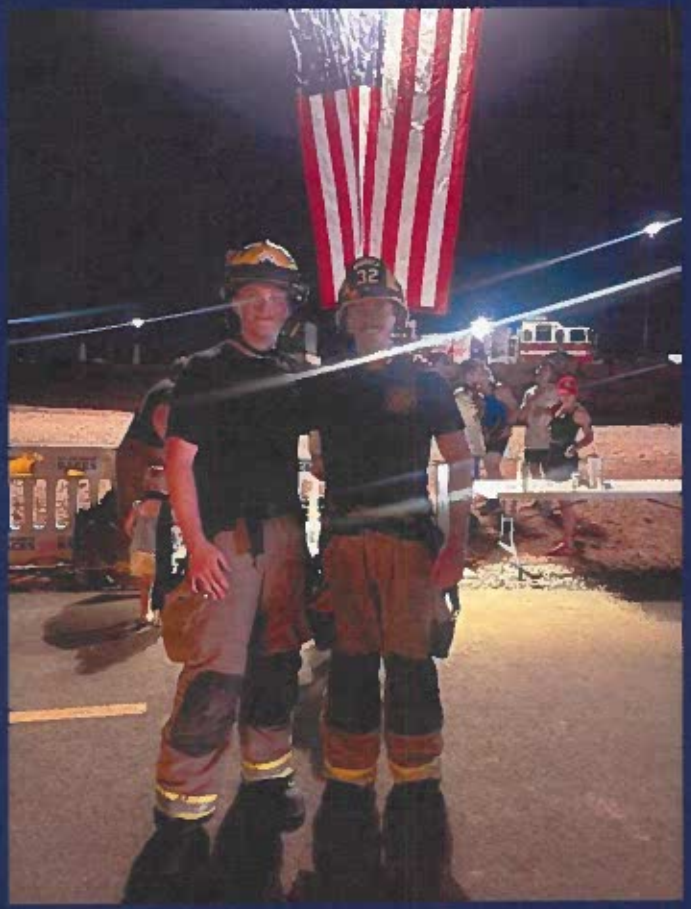


GRANT UPDATE

- Firefighter License Plate
- Bureau of EMS Rural Competitive
- Bureau of EMS per Capita
- SAFER
- Rural Health Transformation Program

9/11 25th Anniversary Event





Admin Assistant – Jenny Mihoky

- She's new to the department and excited to be apart of the family.
- She loves her 3 kids, hiking, riding her e-bike, and exploring all of Utah's beauty.



SCHOOL TOURS & YOUTH ENGAGEMENT





- Lava Ridge Intermediate
- Red Mtn. Elementary
- Santa Clara Elementary
- Arrowhead Elementary
- Vista Charter School
- Preschool Fire Safety Awareness



CERTIFICATION UPDATES

- 5 Firefighters enrolled in Paramedics School with completion in December 2026
- 4 Firefighters completed Advanced EMT
- 3 Firefighters completed Apparatus Driver Operator - Pumper
- 1 Firefighter completed Hazmat Technician
- 1 Firefighter enrolled in Hazmat Technician Training
- 1 Firefighter completed Board Recertification for Tactical Paramedic
- 1 Firefighter now qualified Wildland Engine Boss
- 1 Wildland Firefighter completed Fire Academy
- 1 Firefighter enrolled in Smoke Divers School

UPCOMING EVENTS

- PD/FD Trunk Or Treat
- Live Fire Training
- PD/FD Christmas Party
- New Ladder Truck
- Impact Fee Study
- 2027 Winter Fire School
- Additional Paramedic School Sponsorships
- Hiring of Additional Firefighters



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www.santaclarautah.gov/fire/

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FIRE ADMINISTRATION

Monday – Thursday 7am – 5pm

(435) 673 – 6712 EXT.300

NON-EMEGENCY DISPATCH (24-Hours)

(435) 627 - 4300