

City Administrator's

Weekly Briefing

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April 21, 2016



"Rich Heritage, Bright Future"

ADMINISTRATION

Update on Actions Taken in Response to Alleged Misappropriation of Public Funds

At the April 19, 2016 Placentia City Council meeting, an update was provided to residents on the alleged actions a City employee took to manipulate the City's financial system for personal gain.

Michael Minh Nguyen, Finance Services Manager, was arrested on April 13, 2016 for embezzlement of more than \$4 million of public funds. \$1.5 million has since been recovered.

The City is cooperating with the Orange County District Attorney's Office, the FBI, and other federal agencies to recover additional funds. It appears Mr. Nguyen allegedly created a sophisticated financial system to conceal his actions from multiple financial experts. After learning of Mr. Nguyen's actions, the City took swift and deliberate actions to lock him out of all financial controls and the City's financial systems, and freeze all financial transactions. The City then immediately reached out to the Orange County District Attorney's office and Mr. Nguyen was arrested within 24 hours.

The City's internal financial controls were also strengthened to provide additional security.

"To get to the root of this issue and ensure it never occurs again I've requested a full independent investigation to determine if there is any other involvement by City personnel," said Placentia Mayor Jeremy Yamaguchi at the City Council meeting. "I also believe it is important for the City to hire an independent Forensic Auditor to conduct an independent review of our financial system."

Mayor Yamaguchi added: "It goes without saying that the Council and I are extremely disappointed with the breach of public trust that has occurred. For some time now, the City Council has been working hard to re-build trust and move the City forward. Now more than ever, we must stand united as one Council to ensure Placentia continues to move forward."

[Click here](#) to view a PDF version of the City's presentation at the April 19, 2016 City Council meeting.

Follow Us At:



Upcoming Meetings and Events

- 4/23 Shred Day
- 4/26 Economic Development Committee Meeting
- 4/26 Historical Committee Meeting
- 4/30 Love Placentia Service Day
- 4/26 Veterans Advisory Committee Meeting

For additional information or questions about this Weekly Briefing, please contact us at administration@placentia.org.



ADMINISTRATION

Local History Lecture Series: *Placentia Then and Now: A Photo History of the City*

The Placentia Library Friends Foundation and the Placentia Historical Committee will be hosting the next featured lecture in the Local History Lecture Series entitled, “*Placentia Then and Now: A Photo History of the City*” on **Monday, May 2, 2016 at 6:00 p.m.** in the Placentia Library Community Meeting Room, 411 E. Chapman Avenue. To view previous presentations, please [click here](#). For additional information, please visit the Placentia Library [website](#) or call (714) 528-1906.

Shred Day is April 23rd

The City of Placentia and the Placentia Police Department invite you to participate in Shred Day on Saturday, April 23, 2016 from 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. or until capacity is reached at the Placentia Civic Center located at 401 E. Chapman Ave. Placentia residents can have their confidential documents destroyed on site for free by Shred-It. Residents will be required to provide proof of residency. There is a two box (banker box style or equivalent container) limit per household for destroying documents. Join the community in helping prevent fraud and identity theft by properly destroying confidential documents. For further information, call (714) 993-8117.

COMMUNITY SERVICES

Upcoming Summer Registration

Save the Date for the opening of Summer 2016 class resident registration scheduled on Saturday, May 21, 2016 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at Placentia City Hall. **Come early and join the Community Services Team for an 8 am morning walk!** Registration for our popular *Learn to Swim Program* can only be done in person. All other classes and excursions can either be done in person or online by visiting www.placentia.org/classes. The Placentia Police Department will be offering station tours as well as information on children’s safety and upcoming events. The Placentia Library will have an information booth about their exciting summer programs and you will have an opportunity to spin-the-wheel for prizes. Don’t miss this important date!



P.A.R.K.’s Program Update

This week at the Gomez Community Center was Sports Mania Week. The kids enjoyed playing with the new indoor Basketball hoop so much that they challenged the staff to a tournament on Monday! Participants also played lightning, horse and best score with their friends and Community Service Leaders. On Tuesday staff helped the kids with homework and projects and played soccer. Wednesday staff and participants played Uno and also had a pool tournament! For more information on the P.A.R.K’s program, please contact the Community Services Department at (714) 993-8232.



I Heart OC Giving Day



The Placentia Community Foundation will participate in the second annual I Heart OC Giving Day hosted by the Orange County Community Foundation. The event will take place from **6:00 a.m. April 27th through 12:00 p.m. April 28th**. This 30 hour online giving day is an opportunity to donate to any participating non-profit organization. All donations are secure and tax deductible and will be

accepted only on www.iheartoc.org. The goal of this event is to inspire the community to come together and give to local non-profits to support the great work that they do. The Placentia Community Foundation is eager to participate in this year's event and hope to advertise how valuable non-profit work is for our community. The Placentia Community Foundation offers grants to other non-profits every year to help support their causes. These donations will help continue the work of the Placentia Community Foundation. For more information on the event, please contact (714) 993-8232.

Energy Saving Presentation

The Neighborhood Services Office will host a presentation on energy and money saving utility programs through Southern California Edison. The presentation will be **Friday, April 22, 2016 at 10:30 a.m.** at the Whitten Community Center (900 S. Melrose St). This presentation is part of the North Orange County Cities Partnership, a local government partnership between Southern California Edison, SoCal Gas, the Energy Coalition and 7 other Orange County cities. For more information you can call the Neighborhood Services Office at (714) 986-2333.

Fullerton College Visit

On April 20, 2016, Community Services staff visited Fullerton College to promote part-time summer job opportunities and the Placentia's Certified Farmer's Market. The booth was set up in an ideal spot right next to the student cafeteria. Over 20 students stopped by the booth and inquired about the part-time positions and were also very interested in the Farmer's Market information. All the students that visited the booth took informational flyers. Fullerton College staff will also be posting the job flyers and Farmer's Market information throughout campus. The Community Services Department will continue to search for more outreach opportunities in the future in order to better market our programming. For more information on programs and job opportunities, please contact the Community Services Department at (714) 993-8232.





Parents Meeting April 19, 2016

On Tuesday April 19, 2016 the P.A.R.K.'s Program and the Friendly Center hosted a Parents Meeting at the Cathy Torrez Learning Center to discuss all of the programs offered at the Cathy Torrez Learning Center and Whitten Center. Various speakers were present to explain the specific services that they provide at the Whitten Center and to give more information on the upcoming summer program at the Cathy Torrez Learning Center. The Friendly Center provided dinner for 61 members of the community to enjoy while they listened to a representative from Community Health Initiative of Orange County give a presentation on "Medicare for Children." The night ended with food boxes given to every family that attended. Overall the night was a huge success.

Photography Contest-Deadline Extended!



The Photography Contest is sponsored by the Cultural Arts Commission and the Community Services Department. It requires that all photographs be taken within Placentia city limits, but entrants need not be a resident. Amateur (Youth and Adults) and Masters divisions may enter and photographs may not exceed 8"X10" in size. Entries are limited to four per person and a \$3.00 fee must accompany each photograph. All entries must be submitted no later than **5:00 p.m. on April 28th**. Entry forms are available at www.placentia.org/photocontest. For more details, please contact the Community Services Department at (714) 993-8232.

Parenting Classes at Cathy Torrez Learning Center

Western Youth Services will be hosting parenting classes at the Cathy Torrez Learning Center (143 Bradford Ave) beginning April 18th in partnership with the Friendly Center and the Placentia Neighborhood Services Office. The six week series will cover a range of topics including: establishing appropriate limits, understanding physical and emotional development of children, how to discipline without punishing or yelling, and techniques that help you maintain a positive relationship with your children. Childcare is available and a pizza dinner is served during each class. For more information or to register for the class, please call the Neighborhood Services Office at (714) 986-2333.

Futsal League

The Placentia Futsal championships have concluded and this season's games were very exciting. The silver division champion is team Mexico. The bronze division champion is FC Morelia. All of the teams this season put forth a great effort and helped to make this season of Placentia Futsal one of the best seasons yet. The City of Placentia is proud to offer an adult futsal league to its residents. A new season will start on May 19. For more information please call the Placentia Community Services Department at 714-993-8232 or go to www.placentia.org/sports.





ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Coastal Spa and Patio Store Now Open!



Coast Hot Spring Spas has moved to Placentia and is now open! The new location at **735 West Orangethorpe** features a massive showroom of spa products, patio furnishings, fireplaces, saunas and barbeques. With the move, the 28 year establishment will be re-branding itself as Coastal Spa and Patio Store to

better reflect the business. Follow them on [Facebook](#) or [visit their website](#) for more information and stay alert for their Grand Opening celebration coming soon in May.



Second Community Workshop on the Old Town Santa Fe District

The City will be hosting a second community workshop on the Old Town Santa Fe District Plan on Wednesday, May 4th at 7:00 p.m. at the Backs Community Building, 201 N. Bradford Avenue. The City is in the process of developing a plan to improve and position the City's historic Old Town District to better connect with other areas of the City. The Santa Fe District is an asset to the City and is poised to be one of the City's key destinations particularly with the new Metrolink train station coming soon. The purpose of the Plan is to enhance the historic importance of the area while creating public spaces and pathways to make a cohesive walkable urban environment with retail, restaurants, offices, and community facilities. In addition to the Plan, the current zoning code provisions for the existing "Santa Fe Commercial District" will be amended to provide development standards for new infill construction and revitalization. Your input is crucial, so please attend this meaningful community workshop. For additional information, please [click on the flyer here](#) or call (714) 993-8264.

PUBLIC WORKS

Public Works Department Update

This past week our staff performed various maintenance activities throughout the City. The Graffiti Crew removed graffiti per work order requests Citywide. The Sign Shop repaired and replaced several signs within the public right-of-way. The Paint Crew painted traffic legends in zones 5 and 6. The Ball Field Maintenance Crew worked on the infields at the Sports Complex, Tuffree Park and Torii Hunter field. The Facility Maintenance Crew completed several work orders for City buildings and replaced light ballasts at City Hall and the Whitten Community Center. The Irrigation Crew checked and repaired irrigation systems per work order requests. This included the repair of a broken irrigation lateral on a median on Alta Vista Parkway. The Maintenance crews cleaned the downtown area and performed weed abatement in assigned areas.



POLICE DEPARTMENT

Crime Prevention

Career Day

Officers visited with students at Valdez Middle School Academy on April 15, 2016 for Career Day. The Officers gave information to students regarding the path to becoming a Police Officer. The students enjoyed hearing the personal experiences from the officers and seeing their police vehicle.

Neighborhood Watch

A Neighborhood Watch meeting was conducted on April 18, 2016 for The Greens HOA. Police personnel and Neighborhood Watch board members attended the meeting. This was the first in a series of three meetings for this group. The residents were trained in how and what to observe, what is suspicious behavior, contacting the police, and 9-1-1 education. Also crime statistics were shared with the residents. Those who attended expressed appreciation for the information that was shared.

Love Placentia Day

Love Placentia Service Day will be held on Saturday, April 30, 2016. The event will kick off with a rally at El Dorado High School at 8am. From El Dorado participants will depart to different service projects throughout the City benefiting the needs of the less fortunate, elderly, veterans, schools, and city parks and facilities. Volunteer opportunities are now available for individuals and groups to sign up for on the Love Placentia website, www.loveplacentia.com.

Community Meeting

A Community Meeting was held for the residents at Criterion Town on Tuesday, April 21, 2016. The focus of the meeting was the Dog Walker Watch program. Residents were trained in walking safety, how and what to observe in suspicious behavior and 9-1-1 education. The residents were very engaged during the meeting and asked key questions of Police personnel. Also the residents expressed gratitude to the Police Department for their service.

Significant Events

April 13, 2016

A report of a student with a gun was made at El Camino High School. The weapon turned out to be a replica .45 caliber 1911 handgun. The student had painted the orange tip black to make the gun look more realistic. A crime report was taken and the school administrators will be conducting disciplinary proceedings.



April 14, 2016

At 3:05 a.m., an interrupted residential burglary was reported in the 100 Block of Pembroke Ln. The resident stated she was awakened to a male in a red baseball cap attempting to raise her partially open bedroom window. The suspect fled eastbound on Stratford Circle; an area check was conducted but he was unable to be located. Fullerton PD had calls of a suspicious person near Topaz with a similar description just prior and were also unable to locate him.

April 16, 2016

An injury traffic collision occurred at Yorba Linda and Palm. Due to the severity of the elderly driver's injuries, he was transported as a trauma patient. The Traffic Bureau was called in, as were traffic cadets and CSI. As of now, the driver is listed as being in critical but stable condition.

Another theft of air conditioner parts on the roof occurred in the shopping center of the 700 block N. Rose.

BUILDING AND PLANNING DIVISIONS

1. On April 11, solar panel installation plans and structural calculations for the wind and seismic load analysis were reviewed and approved by the Building Division. These eleven (11) solar panel installation projects are for detached single-family homes.
2. On April 12, new building permits for Phase 8 of the Terraza community by Beazer Homes were approved by the Planning and Building divisions. Phase 8 consists of nine (9) detached single-family homes ranging from approximately 2,100 to 2,800 sq. ft. of living area with two car attached garage. The cost of the construction is \$5,400,000.
3. On April 12, tenant improvement plans for a commercial building located at 710 N. Rose Drive (Ralph's) were submitted to the Planning and Building Divisions for review and approval. The scope of work includes a new food service area, seating area, floral shop, and produce display area. In addition, the tenant will be relocating the Starbucks and self-checkout stations. The cost of the construction is \$150,000.
4. On April 13, building plans and structural calculations for a residential renovation project located at Michel Way were re-submitted for review and approval to the Planning and Building divisions. This project involves demolition of existing non-bearing walls which were built illegally; a new bathroom, remodeling of the living room and new electrical, plumbing and HVAC fixtures.
5. On April 13, tenant improvement plans for an industrial building located at 580 S. Melrose Street were reviewed and approved by the Planning and Building divisions. This project includes interior remodeling and interior renovations and installing steel frame storage racks.



EXTERNAL COMMUNICATION

Orange County Fire Authority Weekly Executive Summary



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News & Events

The Orange County Task Force on Drowning Prevention had a very productive meeting this last week. The messaging for the drowning prevention campaign has been finalized and will be used for bus signage with OCTA. It will run from May to October. Fund raising is underway to fund additional signage and media. Captain Steve Concialdi is leading a work group to organize three “stand-up” media events prior to each of the significant summer weekends; Memorial Day, Fourth of July, and Labor Day in order to continue to promote drowning prevention and the campaign. The meeting also included a discussion on various legislative options both through city ordinances and state legislation to strengthen the current law on isolation barriers around pools.

Orange County Fire Authority crews from Battalion 4, Engine 19, Truck 22, Patrol 7 and Information 1 participated in an Every 15 Minutes program at El Toro High School this last Monday. CHP, OCSD, Mission Hospital, FADD, TIP, CARE Ambulance, Quality Towing and O’Conner Mortuary participated in the mock DUI demonstration as well. The program is aimed at showing high school students the dangers and consequences of drinking or texting while driving. [KNBC Channel 4](#) covered the event.

OCFA recently partnered with [PulsePoint](#) to help save lives. If you haven’t done so already, please be sure to like/follow/visit the OCFA [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [Instagram](#) pages to keep up to date on things like the PulsePoint launch, recent incidents, and safety campaigns. We have personalized the PulsePoint PSA for each of our member cities and the video will be shared on the cities social media/websites.

*Weekly Media Clips

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Board Action

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Weekly Update on Response and Preparedness

[Weekly Fire Activity Report](#): This is a regular status update of available OCFA resources and a list of OCFA out of County resources jurisdiction and a list of out of county resources.

Weather Outlook: *Normal to Below Normal Temperatures for April 22 – April 29.* For more information, please visit the [National Weather Service Climate Prediction Center](#).

Fire Outlook –Dry: Little or no risk of large fires in the absence of a “High Risk” event. You can obtain a 7-day forecast, monthly and/or seasonal by clicking [here](#).



Community Events

- Crew from Station 29 (C Shift) provided a life and fire safety program and station tour to a group of Girl Scouts from **Dana Point**. The program was on April 16 from 2 p.m. – 3 p.m.
- Crews from Engine 4 and Patrol 26 (C Shift) and Community Education Specialist Polly Bowen attended the *Crime Survivors Survive and Thrive Run/Walk and Safety Expo* at Mason Regional Park in **Irvine**. The event was on April 16 from 7 a.m. – 12 p.m.
- Community Education Specialist Alexa Pratt provided a life and fire safety program to a group of Alpha Kappa Delta Phi members at UC **Irvine**. The program was on April 20 from 3 p.m. – 4 p.m.
- Crew from Engine 55 (B Shift) provided a life and fire safety program and station tour to a group of Daisy Scouts from **Irvine**. The program was on April 20 from 12 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.
- Community Education Specialists Martha Espiritu provided a drowning prevention presentation to a group of parents from **Irvine** Community Preschool. The program was on April 21 from 6:30 p.m. – 8 p.m.
- Crew from Engine 20 (C Shift) provided a static display for the Make-A-Wish Walk at The Great Park in **Irvine**. The event was on April 16 from 8 a.m. – 12 p.m.
- Crew from Station 36 (C Shift) provided a life and fire safety program and station tour to a group of Cub Scouts from **Irvine**. The program was on April 16 from 10 a.m. – 11 a.m.
- Crew from Engine 4 (A Shift) provided a life and fire safety program and engine visit to students at the UCI Infant Toddler Center in **Irvine**. The program was on April 19 from 10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
- Crew from Station 36 (B Shift) provided a life and fire safety program and station tour to a group of students from Springbrook Elementary in **Irvine**. The program was on April 20 from 9 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
- Crew from Engine 22 (C Shift) provided an engine visit for the San Joaquin Elementary School carnival in **Laguna Hills**. The event was on April 16 from 12 p.m. – 4 p.m.
- Crew from Station 19 (B Shift) provided a life and fire safety program and station tour to a group of Daisy Scouts from **Lake Forest**. The program was on April 21 from 3:15 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.
- Battalion Chief Johnson, crews from Helicopter 1, Engine 24 and Truck 45 (C Shift) participated in the *Up in the Air Festival* in **Mission Viejo**. The event was on April 16 from 11 a.m. – 4 p.m.
- Crew from Station 24 (A Shift) and Community Education Specialist Polly Bowen provided a life and fire safety program and station tour to a group of preschoolers from Presbyterian Church of the Masters in **Mission Viejo**. The program was on April 18 from 10 a.m. – 11 a.m.



- Crew from Station 24 (A Shift) provided a life and fire safety program and station tour to a group of students from a local elementary school in **Mission Viejo**. The program was on April 18 from 10 a.m. – 11 a.m.
- Crew from Station 56 (C Shift) provided a life and fire safety program and station tour to a group of ROP students from **Rancho Mission Viejo**. The program was on April 16 from 9:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.
- Crews from Engine 2 (C Shift) provided an engine visit to students at **Rossmoor** Elementary Child Development Center for their Family Fun Day. The event was on April 16 from 1 p.m. – 2 p.m.
- Community Education Specialist Polly Bowen provided a senior fire safety program to residents at Cotton’s Point in **San Clemente**. The program was on April 20 from 3 p.m. – 4 p.m.
- Crew from Station 59 (C Shift) provided a life and fire safety program and station tour to a group of Cub Scouts from **San Clemente**. The program was on April 16 from 9 a.m. – 10 a.m.
- Community Education Specialist Martha Espiritu participated in the Sandpoint Neighborhood Association meeting in **Santa Ana**. The event was held on April 20 from 7 p.m. – 9 p.m.
- Crew from Engine 75 (B Shift) provided a life and fire safety program and engine visit to students at Martin Elementary in **Santa Ana**. The program was on April 15 from 9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.
- Crew from Engine 73 (C Shift) provided a static display for the Dia del Niño Celebration and Resource Fair in **Santa Ana**. The event was on April 16 from 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.
- Crews from Engine 75 and Truck 71 (B Shift) participated in an *Every 15 Minutes* program at Orange County High School of the Performing Arts in **Santa Ana**. The program was on April 21 from 12 p.m. – 2 p.m.
- Crews from Engine 21 and Engine 37 (C Shift) and Community Education Specialist Alexa Pratt participated in the Safer3 Water Safety Challenge at Blue Buoy Swim School in **Tustin**. The event took place on April 17 from 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.
- Crew from Engine 21 (A Shift) participated in a Team Kids Kickoff event at Heideman Elementary in **Tustin**. The event was on April 19 from 8:45 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.
- Crew from Engine 21 (B Shift) attended the Team Kids Carnival at Heideman Elementary in **Tustin**. The event was on April 20 from 11 a.m. – 1 p.m.
- Crew from Patrol 32 (B Shift) participated in a career day event for students at Bernardo Yorba Middle School in **Yorba Linda**. The program was on April 15 from 7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
- Crew from Truck 34 (A Shift) participated in a Charity Ball Drop for Wintersburg Presbyterian Church at Black Gold Country Club in **Yorba Linda**. The event was on April 18 from 5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.



Significant Emergency Incidents

Silverado

Remote Rescue – April 14 - At 3:52 p.m. a Remote Rescue response was dispatched to the area of the Black Star Falls for the report of a fallen hiker. As ground units were making access to the area Duke1 from OCSD arrived in the area and began to search for the patient. Helicopter 1 also arrived in the area and landed at Irvine Lake in order to get the aircraft configured for a possible hoist rescue. Duke1 located the patient at 4:08 p.m. and started “walking” units into the location. Ground units arrived on scene with the patient and determined that the patient did not need to go by air and Helicopter 1 was canceled. The patient was loaded into S42 and brought out of the area.

Incident Commander: **Chief Hoey, B3**

Tustin

Confined Space Rescue – April 15 - At 8:59 a.m. a Confined Space Rescue response was dispatched to The Tustin Sports Park on Robinson Drive in Tustin. Dirt had caved in on a worker that was approximately 20 feet below ground. First arriving units confirmed that the worker was still in the trench, no longer covered with dirt and did have a leg injury at a minimum. The Incident Commander requested that all technical rescue trucks be added to the call along with the lumber cache from Fire Station 54. Once the exterior of the hole was secured, a stokes basket was lowered into the hole. The patient was able to get himself into the basket and secure himself with direction for the crews above the hole. The basket was hoisted out of the hole at 10:17 a.m. The patient was transported to Orange County Global Medical Center for evaluation and treatment.

Incident Commander: **Chief Hoey, B3**

San Juan Capistrano

Remote Rescue – April 16 - At approximately 9:15 a.m. Orange County Sheriff Department reported a bicyclist down on Star Ridge Trail inside Caspers Park on Ortega Highway in San Juan Capistrano. A REMOTE rescue assignment was dispatched. Helicopter 1 responded and accessed the patient by foot after a flat pitch landing at a nearby unimproved landing site. The patient was located by a Sherriff Flight Medic. The OCFA Helicopter 1 medic determined the patient met trauma criteria due to mechanism. The patient was packaged with full spinal precautions and placed in a stokes basket for helicopter transport. The patient was treated onscene with pain management and a continued assessment enroute to MCH was performed by OCFA HC-1 Medic. The patient was received at Mission Hospital, MVO by a trauma team.

Incident Commander: **Chief Sanchez, B6**

Lake Forest

Structure Fire – April 16 - At approximately 4:55 a.m. a fire was reported with flames and broken windows from the leasing office of Saddleback Ranch Apartments on Los Alisos in Lake Forest. Engine 19 arrived onscene with heavy smoke showing, Engine 19 established Incident Command. Engine 19 reported a primary all clear at 5:11 a.m. Units still onscene at time of this report.

Incident Commander: **Captain/Paramedic Nelson, E19**
Cause: **Under Investigation**



Newport Coast Unincorporated

Remote Rescue – April 17- At 8:59 a.m. a Remote Rescue response was dispatched Crystal Cove State Park, for a reported bicyclist that had fallen and possibly fractured his arm. As ground units started to make access into the reported location Duke1 from the sheriff's office arrived over the area and began to look for the patient. They were able to locate the patient and give directions for the ground resources. Helicopter 1 arrived over the scene, coordinated with Duke1 and Duke1 departed the area. Helicopter 1 started to look for an area to make a flat pitch landing near the patient to insert the rescuer/medic; however, due to erratic winds in the area they had to abort. Helicopter 1 was only able to assist ground units with getting to the patient and then they cleared the scene. The patient was able to be treated and loaded into Patrol 11 and driven out of the park to an awaiting ambulance.

Incident Commander: **Chief Schultz, B5**

San Clemente Unincorporated

Remote Rescue – April 17 - At 2:06 p.m. a Remote Rescue response was dispatched to an area of the San Juan Trail off of the Ortega Highway for the report of a female that was light headed due to possible dehydration. As ground units started to make their way to the trail head to start hiking to the patients reported location a plan was made to have the rest of the units to stage at Casper's Park for a possible helicopter rescue. Duke1 arrived over the area and was able to locate the patient and drop water and first aid supplies to the group that was with the patient. After coordinating with Duke1, Helicopter 1 inserted a rescuer and he made contact with the patient at 2:55 p.m. Helicopter 1 did a pick off extraction of the patient and rescuer, secured the patient in the helicopter and flew the short distance to Casper's Park. The patient was evaluated by paramedics on the ground and after refusing any further treatment/transport was released at the scene.

Incident Commander: **Chief Capobianco, B6**

Vegetation Fire

Orange Park Unincorporated – April 17 - At 3:37 p.m. a medium Vegetation Fire response was dispatched to the Irvine Regional Park, Orange Park Unincorporated, for the report of a fire behind the stables along the creek. The first arriving unit was Helicopter 1 that was returning from the Remote Rescue off the Ortega Hwy. Helicopter 1 put the fire at approximately ¼ acre that was wind driven and then flew to Irvine Lake to reconfigure the aircraft and get water. Once units arrived on scene, with two water drops from Helicopter 1, they were able to quickly contain the fire at 3:52 p.m.

Incident Commander: **Chief Roberts, B3**
Cause: **Under Investigation**

Structure Fire

Santa Ana – April 17 - At 5:13 p.m. a Structure Fire response was dispatched to North Parton Street in Santa Ana. First arriving units found a two story multi-family dwelling with smoke showing from one of the units and asked for the balance of the Working Structure Fire response. Investigation revealed that the smoke was coming from burned food on the stove within one of the apartments and the additional units were cancelled.

Incident Commander: **Engine 71**
Cause: **Under Investigation**



Remote Rescue

Laguna Niguel – April 19 - At 10:34 a.m. a Remote Rescue response was dispatched to Aliso Woods Canyon Park in Laguna Niguel. The report was of a 23-year-old female that was feeling faint near the intersections of Mathis Canyon Trail and Car Wreck Trail. As fire units were enroute Duke1 from OCSD arrived over the area and was quickly able to locate the patient. They landed and were able to get the patient to the helicopter in order to get her into some shade and offer her some water while awaiting paramedic arrival. Once on scene, paramedics evaluated the patient and determined that she needed to be transported ALS for treatment. She was taken by ground to an awaiting ambulance and was taken to an area hospital.

Incident Commander: Chief Perkins, B4
Cause: Under Investigation

Suspicious Package

Laguna Niguel – April 19 - OCFA units were requested to assist with a Suspicious Package that was located inside the Ziggurat Building on Avila Road in Laguna Niguel. Once on scene fire units went into Unified Command with OC Bomb Squad. After extensive testing/evaluation the package was opened and verified to be office supplies with no other threat. All units were released at 12:59 p.m.

Incident Commander: Chief Perkins, B4

Vehicle Fire

Mission Viejo – April 19 - At midnight a Vehicle Fire response was dispatched to the area of Avery Pkwy and Marguerite Pkwy in Mission Viejo. Once units were in the area they were able to locate two vehicles that were on fire to the rear of a business in the area and the fire was spreading to the surrounding vegetation. The Incident Commander requested two additional engines to assist at the scene. Both the vehicle fires and the vegetation fire were quickly contained.

Incident Commander: Engine 9
Cause: Under Investigation

San Clemente

Remote Rescue – April 20 - At 10:09 a.m., a REMOTE rescue response was dispatched to a hiker down on La Pata Trail on bordering San Clemente and Camp Pendleton. Duke was able to locate the patient and directed ground units to the patient. The patient who suffered an ankle injury was unable to walk out. She was hoisted via stokes basket over to a nearby dog park where ground units were waiting to evaluate. She signed refused treatment and signed AMA.

Incident Commander: Chief Bramlette, B6

Incidents By Major Category
for Period: 4/4/2016 - 4/10/2016

CITY/JURISDICTION	FIRE	OVER - PRESSURE RUPTURE	EMS/ RESCUE CALL	HAZMAT	SERVICE CALL	GOOD INTENT CALL	FALSE CALL	NATURAL	OTHER	TOTAL
ALISO VIEJO	0	0	24	0	0	0	2	0	5	31
BUENA PARK	4	0	104	0	5	10	5	0	7	135
CYPRESS	0	0	50	0	2	4	4	0	7	67
DANA POINT	2	0	48	1	5	5	1	0	5	67
IRVINE	3	0	171	2	6	16	16	0	32	246
IRVINE - MCE	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
IRVINE - UCI	0	0	5	0	0	3	3	0	4	15
LA PALMA	0	0	17	0	1	3	1	0	0	22
LAGUNA HILLS	1	0	41	0	2	3	1	0	3	51
LAGUNA NIGUEL	0	0	45	0	6	8	1	0	12	72
LAGUNA WOODS	1	1	74	0	3	4	1	0	14	98
LAKE FOREST CITY	1	0	81	2	5	2	6	0	9	106
LOS ALAMITOS	1	0	24	0	0	1	0	0	0	26
MISSION VIEJO	0	0	104	1	4	5	4	0	7	125
PLACENTIA	0	0	35	1	2	1	0	0	17	56
RANCHO SANTA MARGARITA	2	0	37	0	0	2	2	0	1	44
SAN CLEMENTE	4	0	78	1	8	8	3	0	9	111
SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO	0	0	41	0	2	4	0	0	11	58
SANTA ANA	4	0	304	4	9	33	18	0	47	419
SEAL BEACH	2	0	54	1	4	3	0	0	12	76
STANTON	1	0	52	0	2	3	0	0	2	60
TUSTIN	1	1	69	2	5	4	2	0	6	90
VILLA PARK	0	0	3	0	0	2	1	0	1	7
WESTMINSTER	2	1	127	1	8	10	3	0	13	165
YORBA LINDA	1	0	43	0	6	7	0	0	16	73
UNINCORPORATED	0	1	76	3	9	15	4	0	17	125
TOTAL	30	4	1708	19	94	156	78	0	257	2346