



ARIZONA FIRE & MEDICAL AUTHORITY

Protecting life and property and enhancing the well-being of all those that we serve.

Residents of the Arizona Fire & Medical Authority:

On behalf of the Governing Boards of the North County Fire & Medical District, the South County Fire & Medical District, and the Arizona Fire & Medical Authority, we would like to extend a message of gratitude to our communities for your continued support during these challenging times. Your kind words, letters of well wishes, and donations have been unmatched and are truly inspiring. On behalf of all our firefighters and paramedics, we thank you!

In response to the coronavirus (COVID-19), the Authority has established an internal COVID-19 task force. We are working closely with local public health and state agencies to coordinate information and response. Based on CDC guidelines and input from our medical director, we are implementing plans to ensure the continuity of emergency operations. This includes refreshed training on protective equipment, supply acquisition and management, patient assessment and treatment strategies, and emergency staffing plans.

Plans and contingencies are now in place to ensure that we can continue to meet your emergency service needs. Rest assured that should you need emergency assistance, we are ready - Just dial 9-1-1. If you are experiencing flu-like symptoms, please contact your physician for directions on self-care. If your symptoms are severe or continue to increase in severity, then please don't hesitate in dialing 9-1-1.

In line with CDC guidelines, the Authority has temporarily suspended public walk-in access to our fire stations and administrative facilities. Authority business will continue to be conducted. Should you need to contact the Administration Office, please call (623) 544-5400 or email us at info@afma.az.gov.

You can find detailed and up-to-date information and resources on COVID-19 and the State and County's emergency response models on the Authority's website at www.afma.az.gov, or through the following:

- Maricopa County COVID-19 Hotline: 844-542-8201
- Arizona COVID-19 Hotline: 2-1-1
- Senior Help Hotline: 602-264-4357
- Maricopa County Health Department: <https://www.maricopa.gov/5460/Coronavirus-Disease-2019>
- Arizona Department of Health Services: <https://www.azdhs.gov/index.php>
- CDC: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-nCoV/index.html>

Together we can slow the spread. Together we can save lives. Combat COVID-19 and stay home. **We are here and ready to take care of you, please stay home for us!**

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The Arizona Fire & Medical Authority proudly serves the communities of Coldwater Ranch, Corte Bella, Cross River, Dos Rios, Pinnacle Peak County Island, Rancho Cabrillo, Rancho Silverado, Rio Sierra, Sun City West, Sundero, Sun Lakes, Tonopah, and Wittmann