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## **CAL FIRE - RIVERSIDE UNIT** RIVERSIDE COUNTY FIRE DEPARTMENT

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**Kevin Hawkins Assistant City Manager** City of Temecula

Dear Kevin,

The Riverside County Fire Department respectfully requests that the City of Temecula consider donating the Smeal Ladder Truck, T273, to the County Fire Department. This donation would provide several benefits to both the City of Temecula and the broader region, including:

- The City will be released from liability associated with T273.
- T273 will be added to the regional cost allocation pool.
- The City will not lose any ISO points the city has received the same number of allocated points for trucks in the last two ISO evaluations.
- The County will cover the insurance costs for T273.
- T273 will serve as a relief truck within the regional model.
- When not in use, T273 will be housed at Station 95 in Roipaugh Ranch.

Additionally, while the aerial ladder will continue to display "City of Temecula," the door logo will be updated to "Riverside County Fire" with the dual State and County logos.

We believe this arrangement will be mutually beneficial and enhance our collective efforts to maintain the highest level of fire service and safety in our community.

Sincerely,

Bill Weiser Fire Chief

Riverside County Fire Dept. **CAL FIRE Riverside Unit** 



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City of Temecula Aaron Adams, City Manager 41000 Main Street Temecula, CA 92590

Re: Donation Request for Type I Fire Engine 292 and Truck 273

Mr. Adams,

On behalf of the Riverside County Fire Department, I am respectfully requesting the donation of the City of Temecula's Type I Fire Engine 292 and Truck 273 currently utilized as a reserve fire engine and truck. This donation will allow the Fire Department to enhance our reserve fleet capabilities and depth in the integrated cooperative fire system. In addition, this will ensure the maintenance and insurance expenses are the responsibility of the Fire Department.

Thank you for your consideration and continued support of the Fire Department. We greatly appreciate the continued partnership between the City of Temecula and the Riverside County Fire Department.

Thank you,

Geoffery Pemberton, County Chief Deputy

cc: Bill Weiser, Fire Chief

