



PIONEER FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

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Pioneer Fire Protection District Community

We have the following community projects moving forward and are in need of your assistance.

We consider the listed projects to be a **Priority** to assist the district in reducing the delay in delivering crucial fire suppression water to our area in the event of a wildland fire or structure fire. In addition, to help us reduce the issues related to procuring home owner insurance.

Water Supply Storage at Fire Station 34 located at Mt. Aukum and Omo Ranch. We are in need of a 5000 gallon fire suppression water storage tank (or combination of two smaller tanks). We have collected **\$1100.00** of the \$3000.00 needed towards this project and have procured the power supply pumps and equipment through a grant.

Water Supply Storage at 4 corners (Mt. Aukum and Grizzly Flat, Bucks Bar). We have worked with the property owner and they are allowing the Pioneer Fire Protection District to utilize land to store up to 20,000 gallons of fire suppression water on site. This project will allow for a partial gravity feed/draft hydrant. This is a crucial area for our district. Procuring a water supply in this area will greatly assist us in fire suppression, in several residential and business areas of our district. We need funds to help move this project forward. We can start with just one 5000 gallon tank and over a period of time add more tanks, the property owner has offered to help with one tank. Please help support this project by donating any funds you can to this project. We estimate the tanks to be \$2600-\$3000 delivered.

Additionally, we have procured pumps to help move water from pre-designated water supply areas (property tanks, ponds, draft sites and more).

Thank you for your support

Mark S. Matthews
Fire Chief