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WATERBURY PHASE 2 PRELIMINARY PLAN

FIRE PROTECTION REPORT

The **Falcon Fire Protection District** (FFPD) provides services including fire suppression, fire prevention and education, emergency medical response, code enforcement and hazardous material response within the Waterbury vicinity. The FFPD currently is a combination of career and volunteer staff and has 21 career firefighter/ emergency medical technicians (EMTs) and 20 volunteer-reserve firefighter/ EMTs. It also supports a reserve emergency medical services program comprised of 13 EMTs who respond to emergency medical calls. All alarm responses are made within an 8 minute average for District 1 and the department operates from five stations for the protection of residents and businesses.

The district's stations include:

Falcon Fire Headquarters Building, also includes Station 3, located at 7030 Old Meridian Road and is staffed by two Falcon firefighter/EMTs.

Station 1, the newest station, located at Meridian Ranch Boulevard and Stapleton Drive. It is staffed 24/7 with four firefighters on each of the three shifts.

Station 2, on North Meridian Road in the north end of the District, is not staffed.

Station 6, on Jones Road in the south end of the District, is not staffed.

The Waterbury project is located within District 1 approximately 2 miles from the new Station 1 and approximately 3.5 miles from Station 3/ Headquarters.

FFPD has a new insurance rating (ISO) of 5 for all properties located within five road miles of any station and within 1000 feet of a fire hydrant. It has an insurance rating of 7 for all properties located within five road miles of any station but beyond 1000 feet of a fire hydrant; and an insurance rating of 10 for properties located outside the five road mile area. The FFPD is supported by a property tax rate of 5.712 mills.

To help assure timely responses in outlying areas, select volunteers are equipped to respond directly to the scene of an emergency bringing medical supplies, oxygen, and automatic defibrillators. All volunteers are issued their own protective equipment and will frequently report directly to the scene of a fire emergency to provide valuable information to responding firefighters and immediate protective actions as required.

A Commitment letter will be prepared by the Falcon Fire Protection District and submitted to the county upon request.