

FALCON FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

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Falcon Fire Department Capabilities: Currently the Falcon Fire Protection District is a primarily career organization. With three stations staffed 24/7 located at 7020 Old Meridian Road, 12072 Royal County Down Road and 2710 Capital Drive and two unstaffed stations located at 14450 N. Meridian Road and 15355 Jones Road. The staffed stations currently have a crew of four firefighters per shift dedicated to fire suppression and two firefighter/Paramedics dedicated to ambulance transport and medical response. Volunteer firefighters supplement the full time staffing on an as available basis and respond to calls in the same manner.

Each of the three staffed stations is equipped with one 1,250 gallon per minute pumper, one 2,000-gallon water tender, one type 6 engine-brush truck and one advanced life support transport ambulance. The district has two additional reserve engines, one additional pumper/tender and one reserve transport ambulance as well as multiple Command Staff and support vehicles.

Currently there are two new capital projects in progress including the remodel and addition of a new administration building and new fleet maintenance facility. Capital Apparatus are funded through a Capital Projects Fund which sets money aside to make those purchases on a revolving replacement schedule. The Falcon Fire Protection District ("FFPD"), a political subdivision of the State of Colorado, formed pursuant to the Special District Act, §32-1-101, C.R.S., et seq., and located in unincorporated El Paso County. The District is managed by a publicly elected Board consisting of 5 Directors. The Falcon Fire District is a Special District therefore funding is provided through property taxation. Currently the District has a mill levy rate of 14.886 generating \$8,411,592 in 2022 tax revenue.

Services provided include emergency medical response and transport, fire suppression, fire prevention and education, code enforcement and hazardous material response. There are no plans at this time to expand to or delete from any of these services.

The Falcon Fire District is approximately 113 square miles in size and has a District wide average response time of 12 minutes with an estimated emergent response time to ASSESSOR PARCEL NUMBERS: 5312402015, 5312403004, 5312404003, 5312405003 Site Intersection: Southeast corner of Meridian Road and Hwy 24. of 3 minutes with a response travel distance of .5 road miles or less. The number of respondents to any emergency will fluctuate from a minimum of 4 responders to a high average of 13 responders on an as needed basis.

Insurance Services Office (ISO) scores fire departments on how they are doing against its organization's standards to determine property insurance costs. Protection Class ratings are ranked from a best case of 1 to a worst case of 10. The Falcon Fire District has a District wide ISO Protection Class rating of 3/10. # for all property within 5 road miles of a District fire station or one of the District's automatic aid neighboring District stations. This project is .5 miles or less from the nearest station therefore will have a protection class rating of 3.

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