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CAL FIRE Riverside Unit Welcomes Battalion Chief



CAL FIRE/Riverside County Fire Chief, John R. Hawkins recently congratulated Battalion Chief, Eddy Moore who will be assigned to Battalion 10; overseeing fire stations and personnel in Desert Hot Springs, North Palm Springs, Sky Valley, Thousand Palms and North Bermuda Dunes.

Moore's career began with CAL FIRE began in 1993, where he spent eight seasons as a seasonal firefighter in the Monte Vista (San Diego) unit. In 2000, Eddy was promoted to a Firefighter II in the Riverside Unit and was assigned to Home Gardens Station #13.

In 2001 Eddy was offered a Limited Term Fire Apparatus Engineer position in San Diego for two summers before being promoted to a permanent Fire Apparatus Engineer in 2003 assigned to the Campo Battalion. In 2006, Eddy transferred back to the Riverside Unit where he worked at Indian Wells Fire Station #55. Eddy was then offered a permanent Fire Captain position in 2008 where he was assigned to Rancho Mirage Station 50.

In 2012 Eddy transferred to a staff position in the CAL FIRE San Benito- Monterey Unit in Fire Protection and Planning where he worked for 11 months teaching Community Emergency Response Training (CERT) programs for the districts of Pebble Beach, Cypress and Highlands. Eddy also assisted in fuel reduction projects, website management, and filling in as one of the Unit's Information Officers, before being promoted to Battalion Chief in the CAL FIRE San Mateo/Santa Cruz Unit.

Eddy worked in the Felton Battalion and San Mateo County division in the city of Belmont. Most recently, Eddy has transferred back to the Riverside Unit and is now working in the Desert Hot Springs Battalion. Eddy is currently assigned to Incident Management Teams 6 and has been a member of CAL FIRE Incident Management Teams for eight years working as a Communications Unit Leader.

Eddy has received numerous awards for outstanding training and several accolades throughout his career. Chief Moore enjoys spending his off-duty time with his wife, Jennypher and children Bella and Aiden.

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