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CVWD Directors,

This report on the Station Fire is as of 8:30 AM Tuesday September 1, 2009. The Station fire continued to be active in the slopes above La Crescenta last night and into this morning. Much of the fire Monday was due to back-fires set by USFS and LA County FD in an effort to create a break at the urban/wild-land boundary. Ground crews and engine companies were prevalent throughout the upper streets of the District as these back-fires were set on Monday. Several of our reservoir sites were used as staging areas by the fire fighters. Edmund 1 reservoir suffered the loss of the communication line when the pole for this overhead line burned in one of the backfires. One of our access roads has been damaged due to loss of retaining wall support. Rocks and minor landslides will need to be cleaned up on other roads leading to our sites. Otherwise CVWD assets are in good condition.

The CVWD reservoirs and distribution system continued to be kept at a full or nearly full status throughout the last 24 hour period. All booster pumps are in service and the wells have been producing at their normal capacity. Water continues to be available from FMWD in whatever quantities are needed up to the limit of the system. CVWD crews have been on duty at Glenwood in around the clock shifts. Since early Tuesday morning, the immediate threat to structures in the CVWD area appears to be past. Ground crews remain on standby to watch for, and put out, any flare-ups near homes.

Unless conditions change, it is our plan to wrap up the 24 hour operation at Glenwood effective at 6PM this evening. The District office at Raymond and Foothill Boulevard is open today for normal business. It is the recommendation of Staff to continue as scheduled with the regular meeting of the Board of Directors tonight at 7:00 PM.

If you have any questions or would like more detail please call 818-389-8777.

Regards, Dennis

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