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# Los Angeles Fire Department Foundation Leadership Circle

The Leadership Circle provides ongoing recognition and a special event and/or memento to those generous supporters of the Los Angeles Fire Department who make an annual commitment of more than \$10,000 to the Fire Department Foundation.

What your tax-deductible gift provides:

Major equipment such as night vision goggles for helicopters, computer servers for headquarters, modern flashlights for the entire department;

Medical equipment such as evacuation stair chairs so patients can be moved safely and quickly down stairs and in narrow conditions;

Training such as L-480 major incident leadership training, travel to FEMA training for Urban Search & Rescue dogs and handlers and software for online training at fire stations;

Youth programs throughout the city to provide training and positive activities for high school students that may lead to a career in fire service;

and so much more! Your partnership provides what firefighters and paramedics need to maintain their tradition of service at the highest level.

# Recognition

Leadership Circle members will be listed on our letterhead, website and other printed materials. Show that you care for the first responders who care for us.

An exclusive annual event will be held so Leadership Circle members can learn about their investment in the safety of our city. You will be inspired by the work of our firefighters and paramedics, while they will be able to thank you for your ongoing commitment.

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# Fire Department Foundation Grants Made to LAFD

#### **Computers and Plotter/Printer**

A mobile computer, work station computer and a plotter/printer needed to run ADAM, the strategic planning deployment software.

#### **Grant Consultant**

Grant development consultant for preparation of grants agenda for LAFD as well as for development of concept papers and grant applications.

# **Challenge Coins**

Commemorative coins for use as gifts for dignitaries and guests from other cities. It is customary for chiefs of departments to have promotional items they can exchange as gifts.

#### Wildland Hose Packs

Wildland hose packs for two companies. These packs allow firefighters to rapidly deploy a progressive hose lay when attacking a brush fire.

#### **Laptop and Accessories**

A DELL laptop computer and accessories to support the Department's Network Staffing System (NSS). The upgraded computer allows effective system functionality. NSS is the Department's backbone program for tracking member information and sworn payroll.

#### Night Vision Goggles

Helicopter modification for night vision goggles. These night vision goggles allow for greater safety and effectiveness for one of three Department helicopters during night operations.

#### **Laptop Case**

Pelican Computer Protective case for DELL laptop computer. The case protects the high-end portable computer which is programmed with ADAM.

#### **Leadership Academy Graduation**

Funding to cover expenses for graduation ceremony reception, including food and beverages for 120 guests.

#### Chief's Promotional Material

Printing and postage for Christmas cards from the Fire Chief and the Los Angeles City Fire Department for the purpose of maintaining good public relations and community outreach for the LAFD.

#### iPad for Chief of Staff

iPad and accessories to facilitate the Chief of Staff in the role as executive assistant to the Fire Chief and liaison with the Mayor's office, City Council and the Fire Commission.

# **Community Service Awards**

Four plaques for the recipients of the Fire Service Day Community Service Award.

# **Pacific Coast FIRE Academy**

Budget for the youth program, Pacific Coast FIRE Academy (Harbor) which provides students of Los Angeles an opportunity for hands-on training and mentoring from Los Angeles Firefighters.

#### **Promotional Materials**

Funding for the community liaison office to purchase T-shirts, hats, mugs and other LAFD items to use as giveaways to dignitaries and visitors from outside agencies.

#### Server Hardware and Software

New servers that allow the Department to maintain and enhance large- scale information dissemination and computing capabilities, operating the official website and portal intranet.

# **High School Fire Academy**

Funding for the High School Fire Academy serving Central Los Angeles which focuses on City of Los Angeles High School students, many of whom come from at-risk environments. The academy introduces the discipline of the Fire Service and simultaneously serves as a recruitment tool for the Fire Department.

#### **iPads**

iPads from a restricted gift for senior command staff.

# Search Dog Kennels

Funding for materials to build FEMA search dog kennels at Fire Station 88. Canines did not have a cool or comfortable place to stay during training and mobilization.

# L-480 training

Training in support of the Fire Department's Field Incident Management Teams. The curriculum was intended to make these individuals more effective and efficient when working in and around the all-risk environment. Sixty members from all ranks participated in the training.

# Valley FIRE Academy

Budget for the youth program, Pacific Coast FIRE Academy, which provides students of Los Angeles an opportunity for hands-on training and mentoring from Los Angeles Firefighters.

#### **USAR Dog**

Purchase of a disaster search canine which includes training of the dog and the handler to expand the department's FEMA task force.

#### **Grant Consultant**

Continuation of services of a grant development consultant for preparation of grants agenda for LAFD as well as for development of concept papers and grant applications.

#### **Multisites Software**

Software that allows for the creation, replication and maintenance of multiple websites efficiently. The software facilitates the new development of internal and external LAFD websites and eliminates the need to synchronize articles, categories, and sections common to other websites.

#### **Honor Guard Uniforms**

New uniforms for the Honor Guard that represents the LAFD in memorials, community and Fire Department events. This was a collaborative grant with other LAFD support groups.

#### MIS iPads

iPads for MIS Division. With the expanded use of iPads by the command staff and senior leaders, providing these iPads for MIS staff created a common base of technology.

#### **EZGlide Stair Chairs**

Fourteen chairs are funded with designated gifts from Glendale Memorial and Cedars-Sinai Medical Center. The chairs enable department members to move a patient up to 500 pounds on stairs and through narrow hallways. Use of the chair prevents back injury to the members, and speeds transport of the patient.

# California Council for Excellence (conference)

Attendance of ten LAFD members at two-day conference held in May. The attendees were evaluating the appropriateness of the program as a possible management system for the department.

# High School Fire Academy (Central LA)

Fire service training for youth from at-risk environments. The program teaches the students valuable skills, while building a strong relationship with the Fire Department.

# **Rescue Equipment**

12 hydration packs along with reservoirs for one company to maintain hydration while fighting brush fires and rescues during prolonged operations.

# **Flashlights**

Purchase of the first 1,000 of 3,000 flashlights designed specifically for the LAFD with advanced technology. The second round will be in June, funded by a Wasserman Foundation grant, and the third 1,000 in the fall.

#### Saw

Reciprocating saw for one company.

# Software for Community Emergency Response Teams (CERT)

A variety of software packages for the preparation and presentation of audiovisual programs. CERT delivers a seven-week program to citizens of Los Angeles, giving them the latest information on disaster preparedness and response.

# **Executive Team Training**

Cost of facilitator for a two-day program for Chief Cummings and his executive leadership team to enhance their leadership skills and unite with a common vision for the LAFD. Team building and goal setting.

# Soil Survey Report for Training Rope Tower

Soil survey report needed for construction of a 60-foot training rope tower at Fire Station 88 which is funded by the city. Tower will be used to train all personnel on the LAFD including the US&R Task Forces.

# Fire Station Grand Opening

Funding to supplement expenses of grand opening celebration of Fire Station 21.

# **Scholarship Essay Award**

An annual commitment to fund the "Best Essay" for the LAFD Merit Scholarship Board for the child of an active duty member of the department.