



**AGENDA OF THE
CRESCENT FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT
BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

**REGULAR MEETING
HELD
MONDAY, JANUARY 12, 2026
AT 5:00 P.M.**

Submit comments via ccfire@crescentcity.org; or submit a written comment by filing it with the Administrative Specialist at 255 W Washington Blvd, Crescent City, California 95531 prior to 5:00 pm, January 12, 2026. If you require special accommodation, please contact Administrative Specialist, Vanessa Duncan at 464-2421.

1. OPEN SESSION

- 1.1** CALL TO ORDER
- 1.2** ROLL CALL
- 1.3** FLAG SALUTE

2. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Any member of the audience is invited to address the Board on any matter that is within the jurisdiction of the Crescent Fire Protection District. Comments of public interest or on matters appearing on the agenda are accepted. Note, however, that the Board is not able to undertake extended discussion or act on non-agendized items. Such items can be referred to staff for appropriate action, which may include placement on a future agenda. All comments shall be directed toward the entire Board. After receiving recognition from the Chairman, please state your name and city or county residency for the record. Public comment is limited to three (3) minutes. The public is additionally allotted five minutes each in which to speak on any item on the agenda prior to any action taken by the Board.

3. CONSENT CALENDAR

- 3.1** APPROVE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF NOVEMBER 10, 2025 AND SPECIAL MEETING OF DECEMBER 11, 2025

3.2 APPROVAL OF WARRANT CLAIMS FOR PERIOD COVERING NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER 2025

TAKE PUBLIC COMMENT ON CONSENT CALENDAR

CONSIDER AND ADOPT CONSENT CALENDAR

4. NEW BUSINESS

Take action as necessary and appropriate.

4.1 WELCOMING NEW INTERIM FIRE CHIEF BILL GILLESPIE

RECOMMENDATION

1. Receive information
2. Technical questions from the Board
3. Take public comment
4. Further Board discussion

4.2 REVIEW AND DISCUSS POTENTIAL DISTRICT EMPLOYMENT STRUCTURES

RECOMMENDATION

1. Receive staff report
2. Technical questions from the Board
3. Take public comment
4. Further Board discussion
5. Provide direction to staff regarding whether the Fire Chief position should continue to be structured as a City position or whether alternative District employment structures should be explored for future recruitment.

4.3 APPROVE UPDATED WARRANT CLAIMS SIGNATURE PAGE

RECOMMENDATION

1. Receive staff report
2. Technical questions from the Board
3. Take public comment
4. Further Board discussion
5. Approve an updated warrant claims signature page designating Interim Fire Chief Bill Gillespie, Administrative Specialist Vanessa Duncan, and Board Chair Jim Eler as authorized signers

4.4 WASHINGTON STATION KITCHEN REMODEL

RECOMMENDATION

1. Receive verbal report
2. Technical questions from the Board
3. Take public comment
4. Further Board discussion
5. Provide direction to staff as deemed appropriate

5. OLD BUSINESS

Take action as necessary and appropriate.

No old business at this time.

6. CHIEFS REPORT

Take action as necessary and appropriate.

UPDATE ON CURRENT MATTERS AND THOSE IN PROGRESS

6.1 RESPONSES OCCURRED BETWEEN: 11-01-25 to 12-31-25

7. BOARD COMMENTS

THIS AGENDA ITEM ALLOWS BOARD MEMBERS THE OPPORTUNITY TO DISCUSS ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST, PROVIDE A REFERENCE OR OTHER RESOURCE TO STAFF, ASK FOR CLARIFICATION OR REQUEST STAFF TO REPORT TO THE BOARD ON A CERTAIN MATTER

8. ADJOURNMENT

ADJOURN TO THE NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETING ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2026 AT 5:00 PM

POSTED:

01/09/2026

/s/ Vanessa Duncan

Clerk of the Board/Administrative Specialist

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CFR 35.102-35.104 ADA Title II]*

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