

WHO PROTECTS THE GROVELAND COMMUNITY?

Understanding Agency Roles & Responsibilities



GCSO FIRE DEPARTMENT

CAL FIRE (MERRELL ROAD STATION)

TUOLUMNE COUNTY (COUNTY ENGINE)

U.S. FOREST SERVICE (STANISLAUS NATIONAL FOREST)

NATIONAL PARK SERVICE (YOSEMITE NATIONAL PARK)



PRIMARY MISSION

Provide all-risk emergency services including fire suppression, EMS, rescue, hazardous materials, prevention, and public education within the District.

Protect California's State Responsibility Area (SRA) from wildland fire and support an all-risk emergency response mission for the State.

Provide fire protection and emergency response for Tuolumne County areas outside local fire district boundaries and other assigned areas.

Protect and manage National Forest lands and provide wildland fire protection on lands under U.S. Forest Service jurisdiction.

Protect visitors, employees, natural resources, and cultural resources within Yosemite National Park.



PRIMARY RESPONSE AREA



Groveland Community Services District boundaries



California State Responsibility Area (SRA) in and around Groveland



Tuolumne County responsibility areas outside GCSO boundaries



Stanislaus National Forest lands



Yosemite National Park boundaries



FUNDS IT?



Groveland Community Services District (property taxes)



State of California (General Fund) + Cooperative Agreements (Amador Plan)



Tuolumne County General Fund



Federal Government (U.S. Department of Agriculture)



Federal Government (National Park Service, U.S. Department of the Interior)



KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

- Fire suppression
- EMS
- Rescue
- Hazardous material
- Vehicle accidents
- Fire prevention
- Public education
- Maintain station, equipment, hydrants & infrastructure
- Set local service levels
- Automatic & Mutual Aid

- Wildland fire suppression
- All-risk emergency response
- Fire prevention & defensible space
- Fuels reduction & vegetation management
- Automatic & mutual aid

- Fire suppression
- EMS
- Rescue
- Hazardous material
- Vehicle accidents
- Fire prevention
- County emergency response plan
- Automatic and mutual aid

- Wildland fire suppression
- Forest management
- Prescribed fire
- Fuels reduction
- Recreation management
- Watershed protection
- Natural resource management

- Structural fire protection
- Wildland fire management
- Emergency medical services
- Technical rescue
- Search & rescue
- Law enforcement support
- Visitor & resource protection