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			PR	PROJECT TITLE: Hidden Hills SEGS					
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NAME:	Lisa Worrall		DATE:	Septem	ber 16, 2011	TIME:	9 am		
WITH:	Fire Chief Scott F. Lewis, Pahrump Valley Fire Rescue Services, Pahrump, NV								
SUBJECT:	Pahrump Valley Fire Rescue Services Resources								

I spoke with Fire Chief Lewis with the Pahrump Valley Fire Rescue Services (PVFRS) in Pahrump, Nevada. The following are notes from our conversation:

- PVFRS would respond to medical emergencies at the HHSEGS project site with an Advanced Life Support (ALS) ambulance upon request. PVFRS will respond based on a mutual aid request initiated by SIFPD. The PVFRS service area extends to Front Site Firearms Training Institute on Old Spanish Trail.
- PVFRS will respond to trauma or industrial accidents with an ALS ambulance, Heavy Rescue, and can request a helicopter if necessary and based on their availability (weather, other calls, etc.).
- While SIFPD is the incident command, in reality because PVFRS is the closest responder with Advanced Life Support (ALS) capabilities, they are the ones that respond to emergency medical calls. They are also staffed 24 hours a day.
- It takes longer for volunteer staff to respond to calls in comparison to regular staff as regular staff are already assembled at the station and can respond right away and with volunteer staff, calls needs to be placed to get the volunteers to the station, and once at the station, they can then respond. SIFPD has volunteer firefighters in the area known locally as Charleston View.
- PVFRS has access to Mercy Air and can transport patients in a serious condition (serious cardiac arrest, stroke, large laceration, etc.) to University Hospital Medical Center (UMC) in Las Vegas in 20 minutes. If the patient is not serious then their paramedic ambulance transports the patient to Desert View in Pahrump.
- There is no Nye County Fire District, rather services are provided by PVFRS plus a group of volunteers available through the county. Nye County Emergency Services (NCES) is more of an umbrella organization.

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