



Mailing Address and Contact Information

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Rio Fernando Fire District (575) 751-1608 Station (voice & fax)
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Taos, NM 87571

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Physician Medical Director

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Agency Description

County Fire District ISO Class 9
FDID No. 55073
EMS Bureau No. 130055

Services Provided

- Structural Fire Suppression
- Wildfire Suppression
- EMS First Response
- Heavy Extrication/Rescue
- Haz-Mat First Response

Jurisdiction Description:

North: Shadow Mountain Ranch
South: Valle Escondido / Tienditas Creek
East: Palo Flechado Pass at Taos County Line (US 64 mile marker 272.5)
West: US 64 and SR 585 intersection (US 64 mile marker 257)




Number of Stations	2
Number of Engines	3
Number of Water Tenders	1
Number of Rescue Trucks	1

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Station Information

Station	Address/Location	Apparatus Assigned
RF Main Station (Station 1)	26566 Hwy 64 East Taos, NM N 36° 22.5 x W 105° 24.7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Engine 4 • Tender 1
RF Station 2 (substation)	25979 Hwy 64 East N 36° 22.8 x W 105° 30.3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Engine 1 • Squad 51


Engines

Unit No.	Description	Image
Engine 1	Type 6, 1976 Ford F600, 4x4 200 gal / 375 gpm 3 person crew	
Engine 2	Type 6, 1996 Ford F-350, 4x4 400 gal/ 200 gpm 2 person crew	
Engine 4	Type 2, 1995 Ferrara, 4x4 1000 gal/ 1000 gpm 3 person crew	

Water Tenders

Unit No.	Description	Image
Tender 1	Support Type 3, 2001 CSI, 2x4 2100 gal / 325 gpm 2 person crew	

Rescue Vehicles

Unit No.	Description	Image
Squad 51	EMS First Response/Hvy Extrication Breathing Air System 2008 Ford F-550, 4x4 3 person crew	

Radio Frequencies

Function	Repeater / Direct	Rx Freq	Tone	Tx Freq	Tone
Primary Dispatch	State Fire	154.3100		154.3100	
Command	State Fire	154.3100		154.3100	
Structural TAC	TAC 4	154.1150		154.1150	
Wildfire TAC	TAC 2	168.2000		168.2000	
Taos Dispatch Center (Zone)	Picuris Repeater	172.2750		166.2000	0110.9