Community Wildfire Awareness Event

June 7, 2017

Dear Brisbane Resident:

North County Fire Authority and the Brisbane Office of Emergency Services will conduct the annual Community Wildfire Awareness Event on **Saturday June 24, 2017 beginning at 9:00 AM and concluding around 12 Noon.**

This annual event provides wild fire awareness, but is also a reminder to the community of the importance in being wildfire prepared. The North County Fire Authority has prepared the Brisbane Wildland Pre-Fire Attack Plan, which guides and assists in implementing tactics and strategies when dealing with wild fire incidents. During this event, fire personnel will revisit the attack plan and conduct training exercises within the community involving multiple fire resources.

During an actual evacuation, it will be critical for you to follow the directions provided by public safety personnel, especially with regards to routes out of town. The location and direction of a moving wildfire will determine the inbound route to be utilized by responding fire companies and other emergency responders, thus the public may be directed to alternate routes to minimize delays of responders, which could result in utilizing a street that is different than your daily drive in and out of town.

During an actual major emergency or disaster, evacuees will proceed to the Residential Assembly Point (RAP) near the Sierra Point Yacht Club located at the Brisbane Marina and then to a city shelter if it becomes necessary. Citizens evacuating on foot are directed to go to the Brisbane Community Park in the center of town and will be sheltered until transportation can be arranged.

Please be mindful that there will be emergency equipment and fire personnel operating in town, including the potential of a CAL FIRE helicopter and/or other aircraft.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Brisbane Office of Emergency Services at 415-508-2131 or the North County Fire Authority at 650-991-8138.

Yours Truly,

Lori S. Liu

Lori S. Liu, Mayor
City of Brisbane