



KENSINGTON

FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

Agenda Item 08a

DATE: March 19, 2025
TO: Board of Directors
RE: Emergency Preparedness Committee Meeting - 2/27/25
SUBMITTED BY: Mary A. Morris-Mayorga, General Manager

Recommended Action

For information only, no action is required.

Background

The Emergency Preparedness Committee met on February 27, 2025 and discussed the following topics:

- Determine the action steps for the approved 2025 EPC Work Plan
The committee determined work plan assignments.
- Review EPC New Member Application to recommend for Board approval
The committee reviewed the application received by Annette McCoubrey and recommended approval to the Board.
- Launch campaign to aggressively promote Kensington resident enrollment in Nixle and correspondingly, solicit a KPD/KFD commitment to establish protocols for using this system in emergency situations
- Promote use of the Watch Duty app for timely information about local wildfire activity
- Discuss Berkeley's EMBER initiatives, incorporate ideas into Work Plan actions as necessary
- Consider developing a grant program for house hardening in support of 2025 EPC Work Plan Project #3

Fiscal Impact

There is no fiscal impact identified at this time.