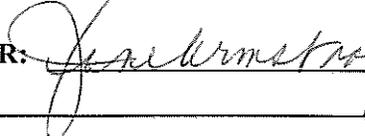


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The position of hazardous materials team member for the Scotts Valley Fire Protection District will be utilized to staff the Santa Cruz Haz Mat Interagency Team (SCHMIT) in a cooperative manner.

Members of the Haz Mat response team shall be paid in accordance with the conditions set forth in the current memorandum of understanding.

The hazardous materials response team will consist of an agreed upon number in cooperation with the SCHMIT Administrators.

It will be the responsibility of the Haz Mat team members to:

1. Respond to incidents as a member of SCHMIT, as directed.
2. Be well-versed in isolation measures, identification processes, and control methods to be used at hazardous materials incidents.
3. Be subject to recall for the staffing and response of SCHMIT.
4. Maintain all inventory and resources assigned to the Haz Mat van.

In addition, members will:

- Respond to Haz Mat incidents
- Provide information and resources to incident commanders
- Effectively administer isolation measures
- Provide product identification
- Supervise decontamination of personnel and equipment
- Apply any control measures that may be applicable within their scope and level of training
- Effectively use Haz Mat computer programs used on the Haz Mat van

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Minimum Qualifications:

- Hold the position of firefighter II for the Scotts Valley Fire Protection District
- A minimum of three (3) years in the district, or equivalent experience
- Successfully complete of the certification exams for each of the four courses of hazardous materials technician
 - Hazardous Materials 1A
 - Hazardous Materials 1B
 - Hazardous Materials 1C
 - Hazardous Materials 1D
- Successfully complete 24 hours of technician level refresher training annually.

Desirable Qualifications:

- Successfully complete of the certification exams for the courses of hazardous materials specialist
 - Hazardous Materials 1F
 - Hazardous Materials 1G
 - Haz Mat On-Scene Commander
- Other related courses and experience for continuing education