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Fire Prevention and Community Risk Reduction Announcement

Kent, Wash – October 8, 2018 – The media is cordially invited to a news conference as Puget Sound Fire begins a new program aimed at helping to keep our community safe.

This is Fire Prevention Week and an opportune time to announce Community Risk Reduction (CRR).

CRR, which is a first for the area, utilizes five techniques to lessen risk within the community. Risk is addressed through Education, Enforcement, Engineering, Economic Incentives, and Emergency Response.

For the program to be successful, we're asking for the public to help identify risks in our community, and we're hoping our local media will support us.

The news conference speakers will be:

Fire Chief Matt Morris

Fire Marshal Jon Napier

The media will have the opportunity to ask questions following statements by the speakers.

News conference details:

Date: October 10, 2018 (Wednesday)

Time: 10:00 am

Loc: Puget Sound Fire Administrative Headquarters

24611 116 Ave. SE Kent, WA 98030

Please contact Captain Ohashi with any questions at 253-856-4481.

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