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OCFA Storm Preparations

Irvine, CA – In response to this week’s rainfall, the Orange County Fire Authority has allocated additional resources from today, Jan. 5, thru Thurs., Jan. 7. The additional resources will be positioned to assist residents within OCFA’s service area who face potential hardship due to storm activity. The additional staffing is as follows:

- Up-staff for Tuesday (1/5), Wednesday (1/6), and Thursday (1/7)
 - Staff medic rescuer on helicopter
 - Staff Santiago hand crew
 - Staff Heavy Fire Equipment Operator (bulldozer)
 - Hardcover Fire Station 11, Fire Station 14, Fire Station 16 because of burn scar areas
- Monitor all areas for potential impacts:
- The Orange County (Operational Area) Emergency Operations Center has been activated.

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The OCFA is a joint powers authority that serves more than 1.8 million residents in 23 cities and the unincorporated areas of the county.