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## ATTACHMENT 2

**Date:** August 20, 2015

**To:** State Board of Fire Services

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**SUBJECT/AGENDA ACTION ITEM:**

Reaccreditation of 8 colleges as Accredited Regional Training Programs and 1 fire department as an Accredited Local Academy.

**Recommended Actions:**

Discussion/Action

Seeking SBFS approval for Antelope Valley College, City College of San Francisco, College of the Siskiyous, Crafton Hills College, Monterey Peninsula College, Moreno Valley College, Yuba College, and Victor Valley College as Accredited Regional Training Programs (ARTP's) and the San Pasqual Reservation Fire Department as an Accredited Local Academy (ALA).

**Background Information:**

In accordance with State Fire Training Procedures Manual (2008), State Fire Training (SFT) staff conducted re-accreditation site visits for each of the above training facilities. Fire Academy coordinators introduced SFT staff, to college and reservation administration, fire academy staff, college instructors, cadets and/or former cadets and members of the respective fire advisory committees. SFT was given a tour of the facilities and training grounds. SFT Staff could visually confirm the availability of apparatus, tools, equipment and PPE, along with burn props and training towers. Staff conducted a review of documents, curriculum, and reviewed security of all class data.

**Analysis/Summary of Issue:**

In every case, the above facilities showed capacity for the delivery of the Firefighter I (2001) training program and each are in the process of upgrading to the Firefighter 1 (2013) curriculum. San Pasqual Reservation Fire Department has also achieved International Fire Service Accreditation Congress (IFSAC) accreditation. Each of these facilities met or exceeded the requirements established by the OSFM. SFT Staff were unequivocal in their recommendation for reaccreditation of these training partners.