



River Delta Fire Protection District

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News Release – River Delta Fire Protection District

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The River Delta Fire District Command staff pulled together funds out of their own pockets and purchased a thermal imaging camera for the district. “This is a huge improvement for citizens and firefighters,” River Delta Battalion Chief McPeak said.”

The camera will allow firefighters to look through smoke and darkness to determine fire locations and search for victims during limited visibility conditions. In addition, the tool can help a firefighter find an exit.

“Thermal imaging cameras have become a very important tool for firefighters,” said Chief McPeak.” “This new tool will allow our fire crews to have a thermal imaging camera on the fire ground to enhance firefighter safety and will help mitigate incidents quickly and efficiently.”

After some basic training, this new tool should be put in service by the end of next week.

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