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Redding Fire & EMS Company No. 1 2017 Annual Open House

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Redding, CT – **The Redding Fire & EMS Company No. 1** will host an open house taking place at the Redding Ridge Firehouse, 186 Black Rock Turnpike, Redding, CT 06896, on Saturday, October 14, 2017, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM.

Parking will be available just south of the firehouse and across the street at the field owned by St. Patrick Roman Catholic Church. Redding Fire Police personnel will assist visitors to safely walk the short distance to and from the fire station.

The event is intended to re-familiarize redding's community with the fire company operation, to promote fire safety awareness, to raise awareness of volunteer opportunities at the fire company, and to provide an opportunity for the general public to meet their friends and neighbors who volunteer to protect the community.

There will be displays, demonstrations, and fire apparatus rides. We will also host the Norwalk Fire Department's fire safety trailer to familiarize guests of all ages on what to do to escape home fires.

In the event of rain, the fire company will announce on its facebook and web pages a delay to Sunday, October 15. Limited food will be available.

Details regarding the event and other fire company information can be found at the fire company's website: <u>http://reddingfire1.org</u> and on facebook @reddingfire1

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