# RPMUD Newsletter

## **RECENT ACTIVITY**

#### Caney Creek Fire and Rescue Now Serving from RPMUD Building

As part of a ten-year partnership, Caney Creek Fire and Rescue has officially moved into its new home at the RPMUD building. A dedicated three-person crew is now on duty 24/7, serving River Plantation and nearby communities.

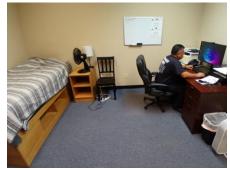
In just the first 90 days, the crew responded to more than 60 emergency calls. Thanks to the new location—equipped with a grass truck, rescue boat, and Engine 87 their average response time is an impressive 7 minutes.

Shortly after moving in, Station 83 made a life-saving rescue. Responding to a call about an unresponsive man in a vehicle, firefighters broke a window to reach the patient, pulled him to safety, and began CPR. Using a heart monitor, they delivered one shock and successfully revived him before EMS arrived.



Kitchen facilities

To accommodate a full-time crew, the building underwent several renovations. A full kitchen was installed, and office spaces were converted into combination bedroom-workrooms to support the crew's round-the-clock schedule.



Bed/work room

When not responding to emergencies, the team is available to support the community in other ways. They offer training on fire extinguishers, trip hazards, smoke detectors, home escape planning, and even kids' fire safety courses.

Caney Creek Fire and Rescue is already making a meaningful impact in the community—and they're just getting started.



Grass truck and Engine 83



### MAJOR PROJECTS

#### East Ditch Repair

FEMA has approved the repair of the concrete-lined ditch. Funding is expected soon, and work will begin once the funds are awarded.

#### **Charleston Park Irrigation**

The irrigation system is set to run twice a week to help keep the park green and healthy throughout the summer.

#### Storm Sewer Repair

Storm sewer construction is currently underway in the Fairway Oaks area.

#### Waste Water Treatment Plant Electrical Upgrades

The new generator has been delivered. An electrician is now working to complete the wiring and transition the electrical service.