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### **El Dorado Hills Chamber of Commerce Donates \$5,000 from Brewfest Proceeds**

The El Dorado Hills Chamber of Commerce is pleased to announce the donation of proceeds from El Dorado Hills Brewfest, presented by RCP Construction, which was held on September 11, 2021 at Serrano Visitor Center Village Green. The Chamber's Board of Directors approved year-end contributions, and was pleased to allot two \$2,500 checks to:

- The El Dorado Hills Community Foundation for their Grizzly Flats Fund to aid victims of the Caldor Fire
- The El Dorado Hills Firefighters' Foundation to help support their ongoing efforts in the community

Today a check was presented to the Firefighters' Foundation President and Battalion Chief John Johnston at the El Dorado Hills Fire Station #85 (photo attached). Presenting the check was incoming Chairman of the Board and owner of BI Design and E Life Cycle, Craig Badolian. Mr. Badolian is also credited with creating the Brewfest logo in 2019, the year of the event's launch.

Debbie Manning, President & CEO of the Chamber, shared, "We were so happy to celebrate Brewfest on the 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of 9/11, along with 1,800 attendees, and able to support such vital community services. The El Dorado Hills Fire Department played a special part at the event with their Pipes and Drums, Honor Guard, and moving tribute by Fire Chief Maurice Johnson." For more information on the Firefighters' Fund, visit <https://www.edhfire.com/about-us/firefighters-foundation>.

Bill Roby, Executive Director of the El Dorado Community Foundation, expressed similar sentiments with "how very grateful I am for the donation." Because of the recent surge of the County's COVID numbers, The Foundation is not holding any in person meetings, events, or gatherings for the next 30-45 days, so a formal check presentation was not held. For more information on The El Dorado Community Foundation, visit <https://eldoradocf.org/>.

The El Dorado Hills Chamber of Commerce is a 501(c)(6) not-for-profit organization, founded in 1986 to serve and advocate for the business community. The El Dorado Hills Chamber of Commerce is home of the California Welcome Center in El Dorado Hills. For more information on the El Dorado Hills Chamber of Commerce, please contact (916) 933-1335 or visit us online at [www.eldoradohillschamber.org](http://www.eldoradohillschamber.org)

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