



# SAN FRANCISCO FIRE DEPARTMENT

# MEDIA RELEASE

## San Francisco Fire Department disaster water supply demonstration

**San Francisco CA-** The San Francisco Fire Department will demonstrate its new Rosenbauer Hose Tender and our Auxiliary above-ground water supply system.

The Rosenbauer Hose Tender is designed to address potential water supply issues that may occur during a large-scale conflagration or after a seismic event. It will be utilized to supply a 5" above-ground water main system or to apply water directly to a large fire in the event that the domestic water supply is compromised. The Hose Tender is just one of many redundancies that the SFFD can use to ensure a water supply during exigent circumstances. It will be used to draft water from Lake Merced, Spreckels Lake, Blue Heron Lake, or San Francisco Bay. The three new Hose Tenders will be instrumental during a large-scale emergency response.

**WHAT:** Demonstration of the Rosenbauer Hose Tender and the 5" above-ground water main system

**WHEN:** February 29<sup>th</sup>, 2024  
11:00 AM (Anticipated end time of 1:00 PM)

**WHERE:** [Twin Peaks Reservoir](#) at Marview Way and Fairview Court, San Francisco, CA. 94114

**LOGISTICS:** The public, dignitaries, and media are invited and encouraged to attend this free event. Public parking is available in multiple locations in the immediate area. As it may be cold, please check the weather before attending and consider appropriate attire. This event will occur rain or shine.

**ADDITIONAL INFO:** [Auxiliary Water System](#)







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