

## **ATTACHMENT A**

Letter of Interest from Allan Hancock College - Fire Engine Donation



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May 24, 2022

Fire Chief Mark Hartwig  
Santa Barbara County Fire Department  
4410 Cathedral Oaks Road  
Santa Barbara, CA 93110

Re: Donation of one (1) Type 1 Fire Engine

Dear Chief Hartwig,

Please accept this letter of interest regarding the disposition of one (1) Santa Barbara County Fire Department Type 1 Fire Engine. The Allan Hancock Fire Academy requests your consideration as you determine its future. As with past equipment donations from your department, your surplus equipment will continue to benefit the fire service, albeit in a non-emergency role, as a training aid in our Firefighter training program. The acquisition of your Type 1 engine will surely enhance the Structural Firefighting training that we currently provide in our Fire Academy and it will likely remain in limited service in our program for several more years.

We value our longstanding partnership with Santa Barbara County Fire Department and we appreciate your continued generosity and support of our Fire Technology programs.

Thank you for your continued support and consideration.

With much gratitude,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Eric D. Smith".

Eric D. Smith

cc: Dr. Robert Curry, Associate Superintendent/Vice President, Academic Affairs, Allan Hancock College  
Chief Leonard Champion, Fire Academy Coordinator, Allan Hancock College