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Welcome,

On behalf of all the members of the Vail Fire and Emergency Services, thank you for taking the time to learn more about our organization. It is our honor and privilege to serve the citizens and visitors of Vail. We are committed to excellence in emergency services. This is achieved by delivering emergency services in an expedient, competent and compassionate manner. We believe that quality emergency services are an essential component of maintaining Vail's status as North America's premier mountain resort community.

As you browse our website, please take time to explore the links on the right side of the webpage, they contain information that describes the services we provide as well as important safety information. While browsing this section, please note that there are several links related to the risk of wildfire. Although many associate Vail with world class skiing, our mild summers are not to be missed. Despite the enjoyable climate, many areas in and around the Town of Vail have been rated as having a high risk for wildfire. It is important to remember that during a wildfire, wind driven embers can ignite homes that are not directly adjacent to wildland fuels. Vail Fire and Emergency Services has trained personnel who can provide a defensible space inspection. Our wildland mitigation crew also provides free chipping of slash and brush from June through October. To schedule an appointment, call 970-477-3509.

We welcome you to stop in to any fire station to learn more about the services we provide and to meet the dedicated individuals that make Vail Fire a leader in emergency services. If you would like additional information about any of our programs, please contact us. I can be reached at mnovak@vailgov.com or 970-477-3474. We look forward to the opportunity to serve you.

Sincerely,

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