



RIVER DELTA FIRE DISTRICT

STANDARD OPERATING GUIDELINE

Chapter 1: OATH OF OFFICE

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Oath of Office

102.1 PURPOSE AND SCOPE

This policy establishes the oath of office for all sworn personnel of this district.

102.2 OATH OF OFFICE

Upon employment, all sworn personnel shall be required to affirm the oath of office expressing commitment to support and defend the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California (California Constitution, Article 20, Section 3 and Government Code § 3102).

The oath shall be as follows:

I, [employee name], do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties upon which I am about to enter.