

PUBLIC NOTICE

Clark County Fire District 6 Vindicated in Federal Lawsuit

Clark County Fire District 6 is pleased to share positive news regarding the federal lawsuit filed by former employee Elijah Page against the District. After significant legal efforts, our legal team successfully filed for the dismissal of all charges, and the court has ruled in our favor. All claims against the District have been dismissed with prejudice, meaning they cannot be refiled.

This ruling fully clears the District and its personnel of any wrongdoing and validates the professionalism and integrity of our organization. The lawsuit, which stemmed from an incident that occurred last year during a break period at a fire academy held at the Salmon Creek Station, was carefully reviewed by the court, ultimately leading to a decision in our favor.

Following the ruling, Mr. Page's attorney, Angus Lee, proposed a settlement agreement stating that Mr. Page would not appeal the federal court's decision. This settlement did not include any financial obligation from the District and contains a confidentiality clause for Mr. Page to the extent permitted by law.

Fire Chief Kristan Maurer expressed gratitude for the resolution of this case but acknowledged the toll it has taken on District personnel. "While the dismissal of charges is a major milestone, the impact of the allegations has certainly left its mark. Many of our personnel experienced stress, anxiety, and sleepless nights. The demands on their time—whether in securing documents, participating in interviews, or attending depositions—have been significant."

We acknowledge that a regrettable incident occurred on District property involving a third party. Clark County Fire District 6 acted swiftly and professionally, providing support and resources to Mr. Page. We believe the federal judge's ruling affirms our commitment to maintaining a safe, inclusive, and supportive environment for all members of our organization.

As we move forward, we remain dedicated to our mission: providing high-quality emergency services to our community with professionalism, dedication, and compassion. We appreciate the unwavering support of our citizens and look forward to continuing to serve with integrity.

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