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San Diego Fire-Rescue to Graduate Largest Academy Class

42 RECRUITS WILL BECOME FIREFIGHTERS

San Diego – The San Diego Fire-Rescue Department will celebrate the graduation of the 81st Basic Fire Academy this evening. Forty-two recruits have successfully completed the 16 week academy to prepare for a career as a firefighter. They will now spend the next year as probationary firefighters, continuing their training while on the job.

This is the largest academy San Diego Fire-Rescue has ever graduated. Previous academies were limited to 32 recruits.

- WHAT:** Graduation Ceremony
- WHO:** Scott Chadwick, City of San Diego Chief Operating Officer
Chief Brian Fennessy, San Diego Fire-Rescue Department
42 graduates
- WHEN:** Thursday, July 28, 2016 at 6 p.m.
- WHERE:** Rock Church
2277 Rosecrans Street
San Diego, CA 92106
- VISUALS:** Graduation ceremony

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