

Incident Name: Delta Fire Vehicle Accident (2018)

State: California

Date: 9/27/18

Incident Type: Vehicle Incident or Accident

Description of the incident:

California: A FS Contract Crew was en-route to the Delta Fire when they experienced a reported tire failure (between Corning, CA and Red Bluff, CA on Interstate 5) on one of the crew carrier vehicles which resulted in a vehicle accident. Injured individuals transported to St. Elizabeth Hospital in Red Bluff, CA. Five injuries were confirmed ranging from bruises, cuts, and scrapes. All were released from the hospital. The contract company owner tied in with folks at the hospital and later checked on the entire crew confirming their individual statuses. A thorough debriefing and pulse check with the crew was conducted and currently back on the Delta fire with replacements for the folks that were injured.

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