



# NEWS RELEASE

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## **Stockton Fire Department Invites Community to Open House on Saturday** ***Neighborhood Fire Station Company No. 7***

(Stockton, CA) – The Stockton Fire Department will host an Open House at Fire Station No. 7 at 1767 W. Hammer Lane, next to Gibbons Park, this Saturday, April 22, 2017, from 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Great opportunity for families, neighbors, community and service groups to visit Company No. 7 and learn more about what Stockton Firefighters do. Meet local Firefighters and other members of the Stockton Fire Department, take a tour of the station, enjoy free hot dogs, let the kids play in a jump house, learn how to identify and use Safe and Sane fireworks, watch the “Jaws of Life” for vehicle extrication in action, and visit many more community information exhibits – with giveaways! There will be activities for everyone, including free fingerprinting for children, courtesy of the Stockton Police Department.

“You might drive by Stockton’s neighborhood fire stations every day and never know who works there or what’s inside,” said Stockton Fire Chief Erik Newman. “Bring the entire family and meet your local firefighters, ask questions about fire prevention and equipment, or even what it’s like to be a firefighter. We look forward to hosting the community, answering your questions, providing tours, activities, and refreshments.”

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