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JOHN QUINTANAR

Fire/Life Safety and Security Consultant

49 Years of Experience

Education

John holds a B.S. in Fire Protection Management and Technology from Cal State in Los Angeles. He has an Associate of Arts degree in Political Science from Rio Hondo College.

Summary of Abilities

John has a unique and extensive background in non-emergency and emergency incidents and planning, including transportation, natural disasters, large public gatherings, municipal buildings, and arson. He was a member of the Los Angeles Fire Department for 35 years in the roles of Firefighter, Engineer, Captain I, Captain II, and Battalion Chief, in both operational and administrative roles. His experience as a Fire, Life, Safety and Security Consultant has brought his experience and

expertise to projects in public transportation, working with constructors, designers, and first responders.

Areas of Expertise

- Experienced First Responder Trainer
- Fire Suppression Background
- Fire Code and NFPA
- Witnessing Safety Certification for Transit Projects
- Arson Investigation
- Hazardous Materials

Registrations & Certifications

- NIMS Certified Instructor
- FEMA Certificate Planning and Operations
- Fire Department Instructor
- California State Arson Investigator
- California State Certified Private Investigator
- Emergency Medical Technician ID
- Department Hazardous Material Training

Selected Current & Recent Projects

- In his tenure with the LA Fire Department, John managed numerous emergency incidents in such areas as the LA International Airport, Los Angeles Harbor, and incidents

involving rail, high-rise buildings and brush fires. His recent relevant experience in Consulting and in Emergency and Safety Planning in Design and Construction includes:

- Fire/Life and Safety Consultant on the Eastside and Expo 1 Light Rail Transportation Projects, Los Angeles, California
- Fire/Life and Safety and Security Consultant on the Tex Rail Project for Texas Trinity Metro
- Safety and Security Consultant on the LA Metro Pasadena Gold Line Extension
- Fire/Life and Safety and Security Consultant on the LA Metro K Line Extension to Torrance Project
- Fire/Life and Safety and Security Consultant on the LA Metro Southeast Gateway Line 30% Advanced Engineering Project
- Management of public gatherings in the aftermath of 9/11
- Management of city-wide protests in Los Angeles, California
- Serving as Fire Department Liaison Officer to LA Metro

Employment

- Business Contingency Group
- Los Angeles Fire Department