LIVERMORE
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PRESS RELEASE

I. DATE AND TIME OF PRESS RELEASE: May 1, 2009 @ 9:30 a.m.

II. FACTUAL INFORMATION:

On Tuesday May 5, 2009 the Livermore-Pleasanton Fire Department will be holding the 2nd class in a series of 6 CERT classes @ the Livermore Police Department. This class is from 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. and will include a small 'burn' to teach citizens how to use a home fire extinguisher properly. The burn will take place in front of the PD at approximately 7:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. This class is full.

CERT educates citizens on the following: Disaster Preparedness, Disaster Triage, Damage Assessment, Utility Control and Light Search & Rescue.

The above class series is full. If you wish to attend the next series of 6 classes, you must pre-register for the classes. You can find CERT classes at Adult Education Centers or through your local Fire Department. Both the Livermore Police Department & Livermore Pleasanton Fire Department encourages every citizen to enroll in a CERT class and educate themselves in disaster preparedness.

For more information on CERT contact Genevieve Pastor-Cohen at the Livermore Pleasanton Fire Department, 454-2317; cert@lpfire.org

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Should you require further information please call the contact person designated in this press release. If the contact person is not available, and you have a deadline, please call the on duty Watch Commander at (925) 371-4820.

Steve Sweeney
Chief of Police

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