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**Moraga Orinda Fire District**  
**Board of Directors Meetings**  
Meetings of the MOFD Board of Directors are open to the public and take place on the third Wednesday of each month in the Board Room, Administration Building, 1280 Moraga Way, Moraga.

**Next meeting(s):**

**November 17th, 7pm**  
regular Meeting,  
Station 41 (1280 Moraga Way, Moraga),  
(go to www.mofd.org as the meeting date approaches for more information)

**Wyro Reelected to MOFD Board of Directors**

By Lucy Amaral



From left: MOFD Board members Brook Mancinelli, Fred Weil, Dick Olsen, Board president Frank Sperling, and John Wyro  
Photo Lucy Amaral

During their November 3 meeting, members of the Moraga-Orinda Board of Directors congratulated John Wyro on his reelection to the Board. Wyro defeated challenger Bob Jungbluth in the November 2 election to represent Orinda's District 4.

Board members Frank Sperling and Dick Olsen, who also ran for reelection for District 1 and District 3 respectively, ran unopposed and were appointed in lieu of election. The newly reelected board members' next four year terms officially begin in December.

**MOFD Promotes Two to Rank of Captain**

By Lucy Amaral




From left: Mark McCullah, Jon Bensley, Battalion Chief Stephen Healy, and Fire Chief Randy Bradley.  
Photo Lucy Amaral

The Moraga-Orinda Fire District (MOFD) held a badge pinning ceremony November 3, promoting Firefighters Jon Bensley and Mark McCullah to the rank of Captain. Bensley, who has worked as an emergency room technician in Walnut Creek and paramedic in Fresno, joined MOFD in 2006 as a fire-

fighter/paramedic and was promoted to engineer in 2008. McCullah started with MOFD as a reserve in 2004 and was hired as a firefighter/paramedic in 2006. He is currently on MOFD's swift water rescue team, an instructor for rescue boat operations and Rapid Intervention Crew, and an academy instructor.

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