

## **NEWS RELEASE**

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## **Crew Perform Rescue from Commercial Roof**

**Date/Time:** January 28, 2021, 9:20 a.m.

**Location:** 15000 Block of Summit Avenue, City of Fontana

**Incident:** Rescue

**Summary:** This morning San Bernardino County Firefighters (SBCoFD) were dispatched to a medical emergency on top of a large commercial building in the 15000 block of Summit Ave in North Fontana.

Crews arrived to find an adult male down on the roof. SBCoFD firefighter-paramedics initiated care, while ground crew's set-up for removing the patient from the roof. Utilizing a 100' aerial ladder, specialized tools, rope and rigging, crews safely rescued the victim. The patient was transported by his company to a local hospital.

All SBCoFD Truck companies are trained and equipped with tools for aerial rescues. The heavy-duty ladders have many uses, including roof access, flowing water and a high point for rope rescues.

San Bernardino County Fire responded with 1 engine, 1 truck company, 1 heavy rescue and 1 Battalion Chief. AMR assisted with 1 ground ambulance.

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