

## Smoking / Tobacco Products

### 1026.1 PURPOSE AND SCOPE

The U.S. Surgeon General has determined that the use of tobacco in any form can be hazardous to one's health. Tobacco products in any form may be offensive to other members and the public.

### 1026.2 POLICY

It is the policy of the Fresno County Fire Protection District that all members are prohibited from smoking or using tobacco products while on-duty.

Smoking and use of other tobacco products is not permitted inside any district facility, office, district vehicle or fire apparatus, fire station, training facility or any other public building (Labor Code § 6404.5). Tobacco products cannot be used within close proximity to any of these facilities to prevent smoke from being inhaled by the public or other members. It is the responsibility of all members to ensure that no person smokes or uses any tobacco product inside district facilities and vehicles.

No person shall smoke tobacco products within 20 feet of a main entrance, exit or operable window of any public building (including any district facility), or buildings on the campuses of the University of California, California State University and California community colleges, whether that person is present for training, enforcement or any other purpose (Government Code § 7596 et seq.).