



# CITY OF MANTECA

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Fire Department

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**Manteca Fire Department has three (3) firefighters on home isolation.**

Manteca Fire Department was notified of an exposure to a patient who has been confirmed to have COVID-19. Due to this exposure, Manteca Fire has three firefighters on home isolation. All of the firefighters are healthy and are asymptomatic at this time.

As part of our commitment to ensuring the safety of our employees and our citizens we have chosen to exceed the recommended home isolation period. As such, the firefighters will be isolated at home for 14 days.

Fire Chief Kyle Shipherd stated that the City remained fully staffed during the incident and will remain fully staffed through the duration of the home isolation.

As of 6:55 p.m. there are 25 confirmed cases in San Joaquin County and 2 deaths.

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