



Professional Narrative

For Immediate Release

Richard W. Hoffmann Sr. Commended for Deeds in Fire Safety

Mr. Hoffmann is recognized for his achievements as the chief executive officer and founder of HFT Fire and Rescue Technologies and Equipment LLC

DALLAS, OR, September 22, 2002 – Richard W. Hoffmann Sr. has been included in Marquis Who's Who. As in all Marquis Who's Who biographical volumes, individuals profiled are selected on the basis of current reference value. Factors such as position, noteworthy accomplishments, visibility, and prominence in a field are all taken into account during the selection process.

During his formative years, Mr. Hoffmann consistently exhibited an interest in chemistry and fire safety. Desiring a career that focused on helping others, he resolved to cultivate a professional future that combined his different ambitions. Presently, Mr. Hoffmann excels as the proprietor and chief executive officer of HFT Fire and Rescue Technologies and Equipment LLC.

Throughout his tenure, Mr. Hoffmann has been affiliated with numerous organizations regarding fire prevention regulations and emergency response efforts. Between 1979 and 2010, he contributed his expertise to the California Department of Forestry, the San Andreas Ambulatory Service, the Camp Roberts Fire and Security Department, the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation and the Waukee School District, among others. Likewise, Mr. Hoffmann has served as a volunteer firefighter, fire officer and fire instructor for the Delaware Township Fire Department, the San Luis Obispo County Fire Department, the Ebbetts Pass Fire Department and the Bear Valley Fire Department, to name a few.

In his present capacity, Mr. Hoffmann excels as a consultant and patented designer of hose rollers and coilers, rescue winches, hose cabinets and hydraulics calculators with HFT Fire and Rescue Technologies and Equipment LLC. Most notably, he developed a hose that measures a charging time of mere seconds and proved that the pre-coiled hose method functions more efficiently than the folded hose method when responding to uncontrollable fire outbreaks. Although Mr. Hoffmann has entered into a medically mandated retirement, he maintains his responsibilities as a safety compliance officer for nearly ten different automobile wrecking yards.

Regarding his qualifications, Mr. Hoffmann retains 175 semester credits in fire science, search and rescue, aeronautical engineering and emergency medical services through educational administrations such as San Jose State University, Columbia College, American River College, the California Department of Forestry Fire Academy and the California Specialized Training Institute. Moreover, he has published "Fire Hose Coil 'Bundle' Technology and Garden Hose Simplicity" and "Wildland Hydraulics: Myth or Math" in 2017 and 2019, respectively. Looking toward the future, Mr. Hoffmann plans to instruct at the university level, continue fireproofing residential areas and facilitate speaking engagements on fire safety.

About Marquis Who's Who®:

Since 1899, when A. N. Marquis printed the First Edition of Who's Who in America®, Marquis Who's Who® has chronicled the lives of the most accomplished individuals and innovators from every significant field of endeavor, including politics, business, medicine, law, education, art, religion and entertainment. Today, Who's Who in America® remains an essential biographical source for thousands of researchers, journalists, librarians and executive search firms around the world. Marquis® publications may be visited at the official Marquis Who's Who® website at www.marquiswhoswho.com.

****Please sign off on the content of your professional narrative. We will be happy to implement requested changes; however, if we do not hear from you within 60 days from the receipt of your narrative, we will consider the piece accurate and cannot be held responsible for inaccurate information. If your narrative requires revision after you have provided approval, we will honor one additional complimentary round of changes. Any additional edits thereafter will incur a fee.****

I have reviewed the above press release and approved its content.

Richard W. Hoffmann Sr. (Signature Required)

Date

VIP#: 4004917853

MID#: 4917853

Your signature confirms that you have approved your press release. Marquis Who's Who Ventures LLC is hereby not responsible for any errors or omissions discovered after the receipt of your authorization. Please scan and email this page to EC@marquisww.com, fax the signed release to (908) 356-0184, or mail to Marquis Who's Who 350 RXR Plaza, Uniondale, NY 11556.