



South Bay Regional Public  
Safety Training Consortium  
& the San Jose Fire Department



## **S-290: Intermediate**

# **Wildland Fire Behavior**

### **Class Description:**

This is a classroom-based skills course designed to prepare the prospective fireline supervisor to undertake safe and effective fire management operations. It is the second course in a series that collectively serves to develop fire behavior prediction knowledge and skills. Fire environment differences are discussed as necessary; instructor should stress local conditions.

### **Instructor:** Pat Schreffler

Pat Shreffler has 45 years of fire experience that includes Kern County Fire Department Training Officer and USFS Battalion Chief. Pat served 22 years on Type I and II Incident Management Teams. He has been Red Carded as OPS2, SOFR, SITL, and STL Engine, Crew, and Dozer. He also served as Fire Behavior Specialist, Prescribed Fire Burn Boss and Firing Boss. Pat is known as one of the best and most experienced instructors having been continuously teaching Fire Behavior, "S" and "I" course at regional and National Centers since 1974 including presentations at EMI, NFA, Fire Rescue West, Fire House World and The Ca. Training Officer's Symposium.

### **Prerequisites:** S-190

### **Date & Time & Location:**

**January 25-28, 2016 0900 - 1700 hours**

San Jose Fire Department Training Center  
255 S. Montgomery St., San Jose, CA. 95110

### **Cost:** \$295

To enroll, please contact: South Bay Regional Public Safety Training Consortium at (408) 270-6458 or by email at [firereservations@theacademy.ca.gov](mailto:firereservations@theacademy.ca.gov). The registration deadline is **January 20, 2016 by 12:00 pm**. Late registrations will be accepted up to the date of class if space is still available. REFUND/CANCELLATION POLICY: No refund will be given if student does not attend and/or cancels 13 (or less) calendar days prior to start of class.