

Hi Bob,

I always enjoy reading the informative and timely links that are included in each of the FireWatch newsletters. It is a great way to stay current with today's issues facing the fire services.

Several months ago, an issue of FireWatch included a link to FM Global and their interest in supporting Fire Departments across North America. FM Global offers financial assistance to Fire Depts. for Fire Prevention and training through their Fire Prevention Grant Program. Our Department submitted an application asking for assistance in purchasing a new *Sparky the Fire Dog* costume from Robotronics Inc, and we have just received notice that we were successful in our application. The costume we have selected will cost \$4710, and FM Global has committed \$2000 to go towards this purchase. To say that we were excited to receive this announcement would be a huge understatement, and we are very appreciative of FM Global's commitment to our Fire Prevention program.

If we had not been subscribed to the FireWatch newsletters, we would have never seen the link to FM Global's Grant Program. We would like to thank you for providing this informative newsletter with these very valuable links. Our successful application will result in a positive change to the delivery of our Fire Prevention materials and programs here in Prince Rupert and your newsletter is the seed for this success. Please accept our thanks and continue the great work of connecting Fire Depts. with current news through the FireWatch newsletter.

Best regards,

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