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RedStorm Delivers 3000-Gallon UST Elliptical Tanker to Seventh District Volunteer Fire Department, Maryland

RedStorm Fire & Rescue Apparatus, Inc. congratulates Seventh District VFD on their new US Tanker® 3000-gallon elliptical tanker

GAINESVILLE, VA (October 15, 2011) – RedStorm Fire & Rescue Apparatus, Inc. has delivered a new, 3000-gallon tanker built by US Tanker (UST) to Seventh District Volunteer Fire Department (VFD) in St. Mary's County, Maryland. The tanker features a 3000-gallon elliptical water tank, Hale QPAK 1000-gpm pump, three 10" side and rear dumps, a 4" LDH discharge, two 3" direct tank fills, a Zico 3500 Porta-Tank Quick Lift System and storage for two SCBAs. The body is constructed entirely of stainless steel, as are the pump house, plumbing, underbody support structure and water tank cradle. The body features a lifetime warranty.

"We really appreciate this business from Seventh District VFD and were happy we could deliver the tanker ahead of schedule. In their station, they now have a high-capacity, high-capability apparatus that can be used for many types of response calls, and for many years. Chief John Nelson and the apparatus committee took great effort to develop a specification that suits their department, and we couldn't be more pleased to provide this new tanker that was built to their exact requirements," said Tim Allaband, RedStorm vice president.

The new tanker rides on a Kenworth T800 chassis with a 500-hp Cummins ISX15 engine, Allison 4000EVS transmission, air ride seats, dual exhaust stacks and a custom bumper extension. It is equipped with an Electronic Stability Control (ESC) system for enhanced handling and safety. The warning and lighting packages includes an LED warning light package, DOT LED lighting package, and a Roto-Ray warning light.

About Seventh District Volunteer Fire Department

Founded in 1949, Seventh District Volunteer Fire Department is an all-volunteer with more than 30 active members in Avenue, Maryland. Avenue is located in the northwestern part of St. Mary's County in southern Maryland. The department serves several small towns with a total population of approximately 4,000 people. Its first due area is surrounded by miles of shoreline and includes St.

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Clement's Island, landing place of Maryland's first colonists and known as the "Birthplace of Maryland." Chief John Nelson leads the department. To learn more, visit <http://www.sdvfd5.com>.

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RedStorm is a fire apparatus dealership serving customers in the Mid-Atlantic states, including Virginia, Maryland, Delaware, Pennsylvania, and the District of Columbia. RedStorm represents Custom Fire Apparatus (www.customfire.com) throughout their territory and US Tanker (www.ustanker.com) in Pennsylvania, Maryland and Delaware. The professionals at RedStorm are experienced firefighters who offer a knowledgeable perspective on fire apparatus configurations. RedStorm provides sole-source responsibility and an All Source™ approach to service, through strategic partnerships with best-in-class local service providers. The company takes pride in making customers' experience professional, productive and enjoyable. To learn more, visit www.redstormfire.com.

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