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Paul Davis Restoration and Remodeling of Idaho donates contents cleaning services to fire departments

Idaho Falls, Idaho – November 11, 2011 – Jack Meikle and Douglas Hadley owners of Paul Davis Restoration and Remodeling of Idaho, will donate the company's contents cleaning services to local fire departments. The office was recently certified by the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) to clean fire gear. To date, the company has cleaned fire suits, helmets and additional gear and equipment for Blackfoot, Shelley, Idaho Falls, and Ammon fire departments. Specifically, Paul Davis' NFPA 1851 certification allows staff technicians to follow industry standards in the selection, care, and maintenance of protective ensembles for structural and proximity fire fighting with strict codes and standards.

According to Jack Meikle and Doug Hadley, Paul Davis office owners, they contacted several fire departments in Southeast Idaho and offered to clean gear as a way of saying thank you to firefighters for what they do in the local community. Now, the fire departments will contact the Paul Davis office when gear needs to be cleaned. The cleaning services will be completed in two to three working days and without charge. "Even though some fire departments have special washing machines and detergents for turn out gear, the boots and helmets cannot be cleaned in most of the fire department washing machines," said Meikle. The Paul Davis office is also certified to inspect the fire gear for cleaning and disinfecting purposes.

Paul Davis will be using advanced cleaning methods that were originally designed to clean and disinfect hard to clean sports equipment such as hockey pads and football gear. The green technology and earth-friendly mild detergents can clean and restore 85 percent of what would have previously been discarded. Additionally, the Esporta system will not cause the degradation to materials caused by more conventional cleaning systems. The system eliminates stains, and disinfects and deodorizes substances such as tar, diesel fuel, smoke and soot.

"We are very excited to be helping our local firefighters. They are guaranteed to receive the restoration industry's most efficient and cost-effective professional methods of cleaning valuable goods and equipment through a patented, multiple-step process of washing, sanitizing, and finishing," said Meikle.

The local office is the only Paul Davis franchise in Idaho to own and operate an advanced contents cleaning facility. The facility includes an Esporta Wash System and an Omegasonics cleaning system along with the company's Complete Contents Library with Pack Out Inventory (POI) technology, to determine proper restoration for specific loss situations, how to inspect and assess contents, inventorying, packing and tracking management, as well as storage, settlement and returning preparation for an insurable loss. The library and software system streamlines the often time-consuming process of inspecting, valuing, inventorying, packing, tracking, restoring and returning property.

Paul Davis is offering the cleaning services to fire departments serving communities in Idaho Falls, Rexburg, Pocatello, Ammon, Blackfoot, St. Anthony, Shelley, Firth, Ririe, Rigby, Iona, and Ucon. For more information, contact Kristi Jensen at 208.522.7374 or email Kristi@callpauldavis.com.

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Meikle, Hadley and their staff of technicians are certified in Applied Structural Drying (ASD), and water, fire, and smoke damage restoration from The Clean Trust, formerly known as The Institute of Inspection, Cleaning and Restoration Certification (IICRC). Staff members are also certified to operate the Esporta Wash System from the Certified Contents Restoration Network (CCRN).

Paul Davis Restoration and Remodeling of Idaho was established in 1993. The company has office locations at 1022 Lincoln Road in Idaho Falls and 267 Southside Way in Pocatello. Visit the website at www.callpauldavis.com.

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