

## ANNOUNCEMENT

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**DATE:** May 4, 2005

**TO:** All Personnel

**FROM:** Ronnie Hicks, Battalion Chief, Human Resources Officer

**SUBJECT:** Death of Retired Storekeeper Robert “Uncle Bob” Crist

**DISPOSITION:** Read/Post/Destroy April 12, 2005

The department has been informed of the death of retired Storekeeper Robert E. Crist, age 79. Affectionately known as “Uncle Bob”, he died Tuesday May 3, 2005 of complications from pneumonia. “Uncle Bob” began working for the department as an Auto Messenger on March 11, 1977 and retired on November 19, 1988 after 11 years of service. A warm and engaging person, “Uncle Bob” always took the time to not only speak, but to listen to anyone one he came in contact with and make them feel valued, from the newest recruit to the most seasoned veteran fire officer. Services and internment will be held in Haxtun, Colorado.

