

## Press Release

### **DARRYL PAGE AND GREG MEYER JOIN FIREMAN'S FUND INSURANCE COMPANY IN SENIOR PERSONAL INSURANCE ROLES**

NOVATO, Calif., (Oct. 15, 2008) – Property/casualty insurance executive Darryl Page has been appointed president for the Personal Insurance division of Fireman's Fund Insurance Company, announced Mike LaRocco, president and chief executive officer.

Page joins Fireman's Fund from Allstate Insurance Company, where he has 27 years of insurance experience, including roles in underwriting, sales and operations, and considerable experience working directly with independent agents in several regions throughout the United States. He most recently served as vice president, western market operating committee. He is a graduate of Santa Clara University.

Greg Meyer has been appointed senior vice president, product management for the Personal Insurance division of Fireman's Fund. Meyer joins Fireman's Fund from Zurich Insurance where he served as senior vice president overseeing small business and commercial automobile programs. Prior to Zurich, Meyer worked for Allstate for eight years, most recently as vice president of independent agency business. He also spent seven years at The Progressive Corporation in a variety of product management roles. He holds a Bachelor of Science degree from the University of Illinois and an M.B.A. from the University of Chicago.

Page and Meyer will provide new leadership to the company's Personal Insurance division, a \$1.2 billion unit which serves affluent and high net worth customers, positioning the business for new growth.

"Darryl and Greg are high-caliber industry leaders and their considerable expertise and skills will help us achieve our goals as we seek to grow profitably in the coming years," said LaRocco.

#### **About Fireman's Fund**

Fireman's Fund Insurance Company is a premier property and casualty insurance company providing personal, commercial and specialty insurance products nationwide. It is rated 'AA-' by Standard & Poor's Rating Services. Fireman's Fund is a member of the Allianz Group (NYSE: AZ), one of the world's largest providers of insurance and financial services. For additional information, visit [www.firemansfund.com](http://www.firemansfund.com).

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