

**The U.S. Fire Administration has received notice of
the following firefighter fatality:**

Daniel Laird

Captain

United States Forest Service - Tahoe National Forest
Nevada City, California

While helping with an aerial delivered prescribed burn in the Sam Houston National Forest in Texas, Captain Daniel Laird's helicopter went down. Laird passed away from the injuries he sustained in the crash. Other crew members sustained non-life-threatening injuries.

Age: 41

Gender: Male

Status: Career

Years of Service: 23

Date of Incident: March 27, 2019

Date of Death: March 27, 2019