Walter Leo Sykes, Jr.

Walter Leo Sykes, Jr. was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age	48
Rank	Firefighter
Classification	Volunteer
Incident date	Oct, 26, 2005
Date of death	Oct, 26, 2005
Cause of fatal injury	Stress/Overexertion
Nature of fatal injury	Cardiovascular Event/Heart Attack
Activity type	Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)
Emergency duty	Yes
Duty type	On-Scene Fire
Fixed property use	Residential

Memorial fund information:

Firefighter Sykes had been actively involved in the planning of a new Fire Station. Therefore, the community felt it appropriate to offer that tax deductible donations can be made to: Lewiston Fire Station Fund, c/o Humboldt Area Foundation (HAF), 373 Indianola Road, Bayside, CA 95524.

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