



Ruidoso councilors, mayor, manager and deputy manager grabbed shovels Friday to break ground with the contractor and fire department officials at the site of the new main fire station at School House Park at the intersection of Sudderth Drive and Paradise Canyon. Fire Chief Virgil Reynolds, who served with the fire department 41 years, said replacing the old station on Eagle Drive with a more modern and larger structure was one of the goals he wanted to accomplish before he retires. The \$4,095,797 station is projected to take nearly a year to complete and work is being handled by White Sands Construction of Alamogordo.

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