

RECORD OF CONVERSATION

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Date: July 22, 2020

Person Contacted: Mohave County/Hualapai Park Ranger Mr. Gino Mejia

NTSB Accident Number: WPR19LA063

Narrative:

The following is a synopsis of the information provided by Ranger Mejia in a telephone conversation on this date:

- Mr. Mejia is a Ranger at Mohave County Hualapai Mountain Park, where the airplane crashed
- He was a first responder
- As of this date, he has no direct recollections about fuel, whether spilled or contained
- However, he and his colleagues did not request fire protection equipment or personnel until it was time for the wreckage to recovered that evening
 - o The call for fire protection was pre-emptive, in case the recovery activities resulted in an ignition /fire
 - o He/they would have requested fire equipment and personnel earlier if they had any concerns about fire hazard such as spilled fuel or other presence of fuel.
- Based on the fact that neither he nor any other first responders perceived a fire hazard and a need for fire protection until the recovery operation began that night, his current conclusion is that there was no evidence of any fuel during the first responder activity period