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IT'S SHOCKING!

As we add more and more electrically powered appliances, computers, flat panel televisions, sound bars, DVDs, DVRs, sound systems, chargers for battery operated phones, tablets, and other devices in our lives, comes the greater likelihood of a fire associated with the misuse of electricity.

In addition, many of these devices are subject to damage or overheating caused from electric surges or short circuits. These can also cause severe damage to your home's wiring, electric panel or outlets.



Pages 4 & 5 of *HOT FLASHES* contain some helpful information to keep your family and home safe.



The Signal Hill Fire Department is proud to participate in the Volunteer Chiefs Committee of the Illinois Fire Chiefs Association in the *VOLUNTEER NOW!* Campaign.

VOLUNTEER NOW is a statewide initiative to help local fire departments to increase the number of trained, "front line" firefighters available in Illinois communities. The goal is to enhance the fire departments' abilities to comply with staffing, response and operational standards.

Thinking about becoming a Signal Hill Volunteer Firefighter? Go to www.SHFD.net and click on the recruitment tab or call 397-1995.

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Remain calm. Give location, name and type of emergency cleary. Always let the telecommunicator hang up first.

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