

History

Fire Station 36, Oak Park

When the Metropolitan Development Co. received approval for the Oak Park development, they agreed to set up and pay into a fund for capital improvements for services for Oak Park. They also agreed to provide a fire station site.

In 1975, a study was done to plan the general location for fire stations in Oak Park, North Ranch, Westlake and planned Los Angeles County fire stations. The Oak Park fire station site on Deerhill Road was agreed to in the early 1980's.

The building plans used for station 32 would be used except the plans would be reversed. The location of the living side of the building on the south side over looking the park and Kanan Road instead of towards the back of planned apartments.

The Oak Park Fund provided funding for the fire station construction. The building contractor was about 75% complete when he went bankrupt. The County used the bond money to hire a new contractor to finish the building. The building was completed in 1985.