

**It's about firefighter safety....**

**OLDEST BLOWER FOUND IN CALIFORNIA!**

**Tempest Technology Oldest Power Blower Contest**

September 31, 2005 brought to a close our search for the Oldest Tempest Power Blower. We received many entries from all over the United States with blowers ranging in age from ten years to eighteen years. Thank you to all who participated. We hope that this contest gave you the opportunity to get out to your customers and talk about something new and dig around in their compartments to see what is really going on behind the scenes. Maybe it even brought you additional sales and helped build better relationships.

The oldest Tempest blower was found at the Porterville California Fire Department, Station #1. The serial number on the unit dates it back to October 1987, which makes it 18 years old this month. This blower will be brought back to our facility, cleaned and tuned and then shipped off to the First Due Fire Museum in Hazelwood, MO, where it will be part of their Positive Pressure Ventilation Display. We are honored to contribute this piece of history to the museum and help educate individuals and children on the evolution and effectiveness of PPV.

We take great pride as a manufacturer in knowing that our products truly are built to last. There are not many things that we use in our daily lives that will last eighteen years. It is encouraging to know that every blower that leaves our factory is built with quality materials and the intention of being in service for many years to come. Thank you for helping us to realize this about our products. It is with your hard work and dedication that we continue to strive and improve year after year.

**October 7, 2005**

**Congratulations to  
Erik Anderson  
with  
L.N. Curtis and Sons  
and  
The Porterville, CA  
Fire Department**

**They are the winners of  
the Tempest Technology  
Oldest Blower Contest!**

**Need Assistance?  
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**New Literature Is On It's Way!**

The new product cut sheets are ready and will be coming your. Beginning this week you will begin receiving the Tempest Telepike cut sheet and the Tempest Generator Blower Packages cut sheet. Single sheets will be mailed out to your attention. Should you need more to distribute to your customers, please contact Customer Service at 800-346-2143, or email [response@temepst-edge.com](mailto:response@temepst-edge.com).

We also have electronic versions available. To receive a PDF file containing either cut sheet, please email our Marketing Department at [paleyc@temepst-edge.com](mailto:paleyc@temepst-edge.com). We hope that you will use these tools to further your sales of the Tempest Telepike and Generator Blower Packages.

The image displays three product cut sheets for Tempest Technology blowers. The first two sheets are for 'NEW Blower Power from Tempest' and feature a red generator blower unit. The third sheet is for 'NEW! The Tempest Telepike' and features a long, narrow blower unit. Each sheet includes technical specifications, features, and images of the equipment. A price tag of \$465.00 is visible on the Telepike sheet.

