History Fire Station 27, Fillmore

In 1945, an agreement was reached between the Fillmore City Volunteer Fire Department and the Ventura County Fire Department for the county to place a county fire truck and one man in the Fillmore City Fire Station.

County Fire Chief Pete Little hired and assigned Don Miller, a Federal firefighter and county volunteer at the Ventura Avenue station, to the Fillmore City fire station. When Miller received a county fire call, he would ring a bell on the rooftop of the fire station to call the county volunteers. If it were a City fire call, he would call the telephone central operator to sound the roof siren for the city volunteers.

July 1, 1952, Don Miller and his family and the county fire truck moved into a new county fire station located at 613 Old Telegraph Road. The new station replaced the bell with an air horn to call the county volunteers.