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	Cumberland County Fire Chief's Association		<p>REFERENCES: <i>NFPA 472 - Hazardous Material Competence</i> <i>NFPA 1001- Firefighter Qualifications</i> <i>NFPA 1002 – Driver Operator Qualifications</i> <i>NFPA 1006 – Technical Rescue Qualifikation</i> <i>NFPA 1021 – Fire Officer Qualifikation</i> <i>NFPA 1403 – Live Fire Training Evolutions</i> <i>NFPA 1410 (2015)- Initial Scene Operations</i> <i>NFPA 1451- Emergency Vehicle Operations</i> <i>NFPA 1500 – Safety</i> <i>OSFM 9S/9E Inspection Worksheets</i> <i>County Contract:</i> <i>Section 13</i> <i>Section 16 M</i></p> <p>FORMS: TBP</p>
Training			
APPROVED BY: CCFCA Board of Directors – <i>Freddy L. Johnson Sr., President</i> <i>May 23, 2022, BOD Meeting</i>		EFFECTIVE: July 1, 2022	

1.0 Purpose

The purpose of this policy is to identify the necessary training requirements for Cumberland County fire departments. It identifies core fire service job competencies that all fire departments should have capability. Included are training requirements to meet the Cumberland County Contract, Insurance Service Office (ISO) requirements for rated departments and applicable benchmark drills. This policy shall apply to all rated departments and include NC-9S requirements.

2.0 Definitions:

Best Practices – standard tasks and procedures aligning with NFPA standards that are recognized and accepted as the best operational tactics, techniques, and procedures.

Shall – aligns with mandatory requirements that must met.

ISO – Insurance Services Office

Rated Department – a fire department having an ISO rating of 1 through 8.

9S Department – a fire department having an ISO rating of 9S

3.0 Policy

All signature departments shall align with the designated training requirements outlined in this policy. This includes departments who provide specialized technical rescue, and emergency medical first responder services.

4.0 Procedure:

Section 1. Training Requirements

A. Fire Departments

1. All rated fire departments will meet the ISO requirements designated by type and hours. This includes the 9S departments. See [Enclosure 1](#) for ISO requirements.
2. Fire departments should incorporate the benchmark drills outlined in [Enclosure 2](#) and complete the designated benchmark drill stipulated by the CCFCA Training Committee.
3. All fire departments will meet any applicable OSHA training requirements. This includes annual bloodborne pathogen and HIPPA training.
4. Fire departments providing technical rescue services (Medium and Heavy) will comply with training requirements outlined by the CCFCA Rescue committee. These requirements can be found at [Enclosure 3](#) (TBP).
5. Fire departments providing surface water rescue services will comply with water rescue training requirements outlined by the CCFCA Rescue committee. These requirements can be found at [Enclosure 3](#) (TBP).
6. Member firefighters shall meet the recruit training requirements of their respective fire department. It is strongly recommended that firefighters strive to become certified Firefighter I&II.
7. Fire departments providing emergency medical services shall comply with the training requirements and continuing education stipulated by the Medical Director. The EMT CONED requirements change annually and will be published separately.

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8. Fire departments providing water rescue shall comply with the training requirements outlined by the CCFCA Rescue Committee. These requirements can be found in [Enclosure 3](#) (TBP).
9. Fire departments providing rescue boat services shall comply with the training requirements outlined by the CCFCA Rescue Committee. These requirements can be found in [Enclosure 3](#) (TBP).

B. Department Officers

1. Fire department company officers shall obtain a minimum training level of Volunteer Fire Officer I.
2. Chief Fire Officers shall complete a minimum training level of Fire Officer II.
3. Fire Chiefs shall complete a minimum training level of Fire Officer II and be current on Chief 101 certification.

ENCLOSURES:5

Enclosure 1 – ISO Training Requirements

Enclosure 2 – Recommended Benchmark Drills

Enclosure 3 – Medium and Heavy Rescue Training Requirements (TBP)

Enclosure 4 – Water Rescue Training Requirements (TBP)

Enclosure 5 – Rescue Boat Training Requirements (TBP)

Enclosures

Enclosure 1 – ISO Training Requirements

New ISO Training Requirements

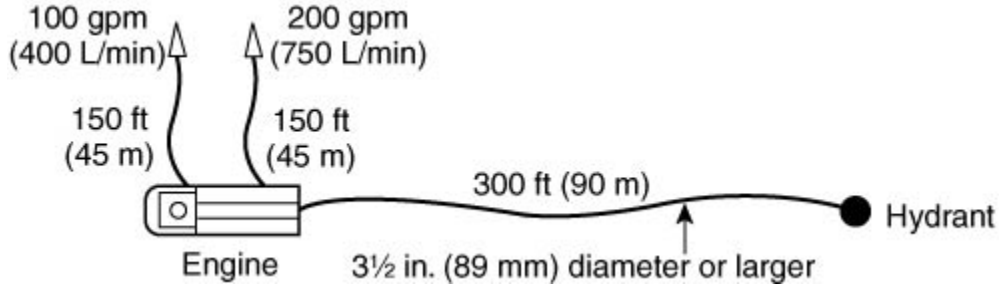
Facilities & Use	18 hrs/FF/year	Subjects must be structure fire related IAW NFPA 1001. Facilities are towers, burn buildings, car fire props, flashover simulators. Includes multi-company drills.
Company Tng	16 hrs/FF/month	Subjects must be structure fire related and IAW NFPA 1001.
Officer Tng	12 hrs/Off/year	Officers should be certified IAW NFPA 1021. Requires 12 hours of continuing education.
New D.O. Tng	60 hrs/New D.O.	Training must be IAW NFPA 1002 and NFPA 1451.
In-Svc DO Tng	12 hrs/Driver	Training must be IAW NFPA 1002 and NFPA 1451.
Recruit Tng	240 hrs	Training must be structure fire related and IAW NFPA 1001. Our Pre-Basic Program is compliant.
Pre-Plan Insp	Annual Review By Select FFs	For max credit, annual/update inspections must be conducted on <u>all</u> commercial, industrial, institutional & similar type buildings (greater than 4 family dwellings). Reports & sketches should be up-to-date.
HAZMAT	6 hrs/FF/yr	Training subjects must cover incidents involving HAZMAT IAW NFPA 472.

Additional Information:
 Firefighters have 216 hours of required training per year
 Firefighter/Engineers have 228 hours of required training per year
 Officers have 228 hours of required training (216 (FF/HAZMAT) + 12 (Officer Tng)). If they drive, the total required training hours are 240.
 NFPA 1001 Standard for Professional Firefighter Qualifications
 NFPA 1021 Standard for Fire Officer Professional Qualifications
 NFPA 1451 Standard for Fire & Emergency Service Vehicle Operations Training Program
 NFPA 1002 Standard for Fire Service Apparatus Driver/Operator Professional Qualifications
 NFPA 472 Standard for Competence of Responders to Hazardous Materials/Weapons of Mass Destruction Incidents

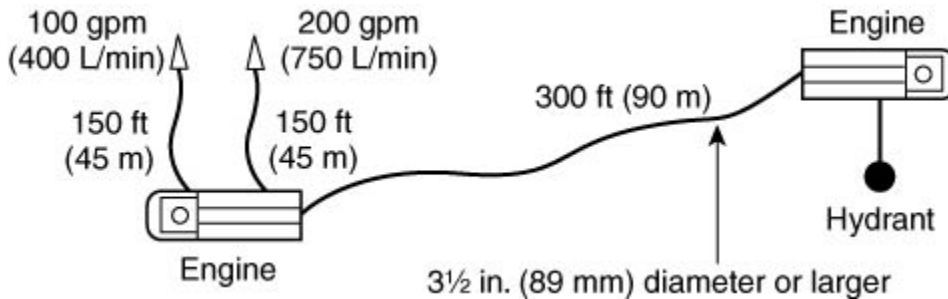
A 9-S rating must show a minimum of thirty-six (36) training hours for each firefighter on the department roster.

Enclosure 2 Recommended Benchmark Drills (Engine Companies)

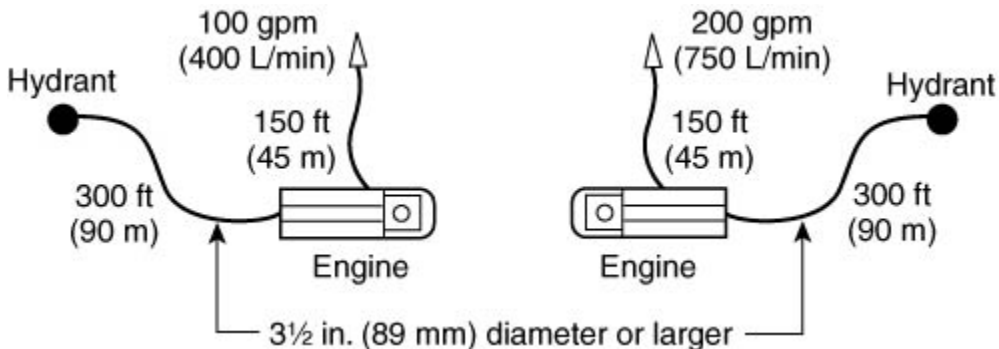
1. Forward Lay Using One Engine and One Supply Line — Recommended Maximum Time is 3 Minutes.



2. Reverse Lay from First Engine to Second Engine — Recommended Maximum Time is 4 Minutes.



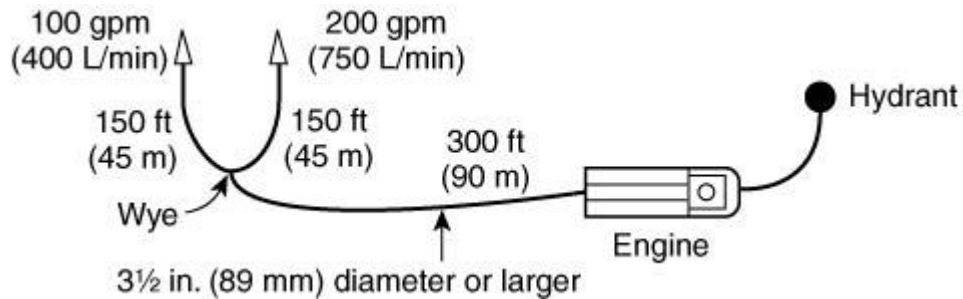
3. Forward Lays Using Two Engines — Recommended Maximum Time is 3.5 Minutes.



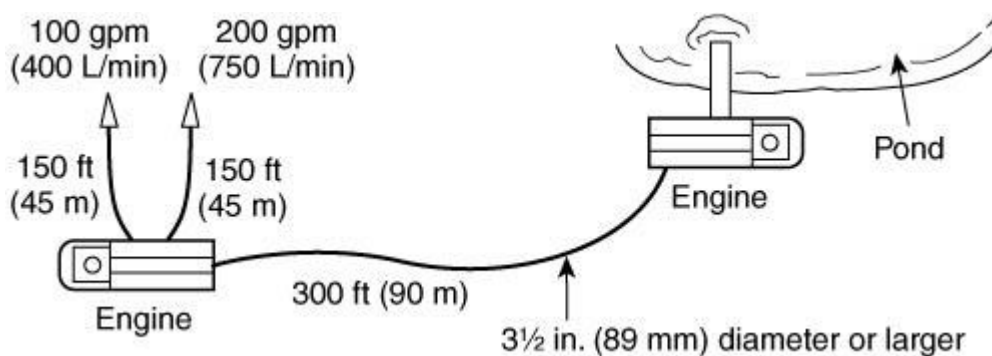
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Enclosure 2 (cont.) Engine Companies

4. Reverse Lay with One Engine Using a Wye — Recommended Maximum Time is 4 Minutes.

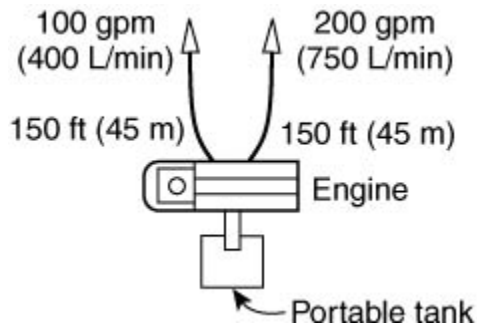


5. Drafting Operation Using Two Engines — Recommended Maximum Time is 6 Minutes.



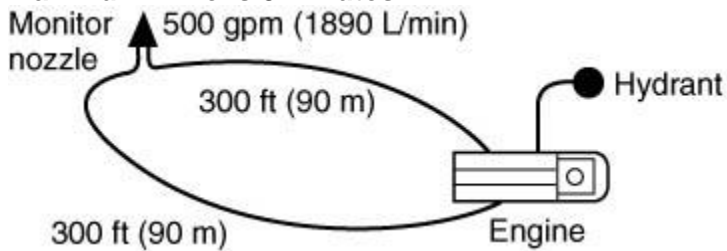
6. Portable Water Supply Tank Using One Engine and Water Supply Apparatus — Recommended Maximum Time is 5 Minutes.

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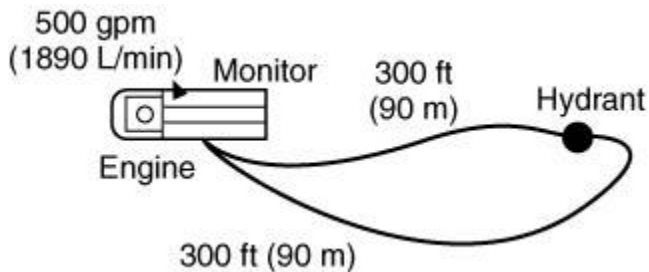


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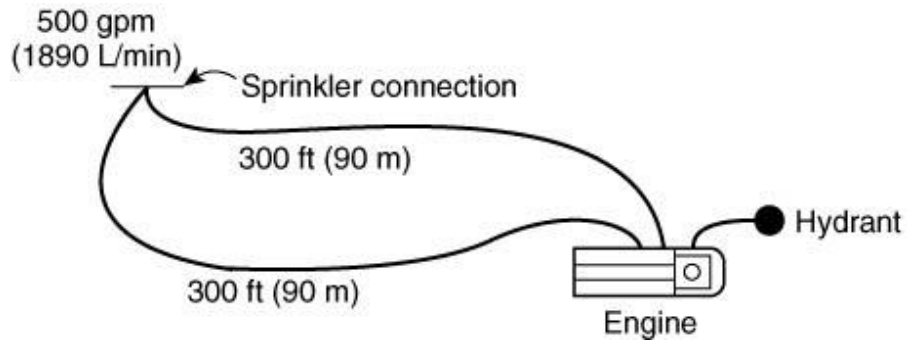
7. Reverse Lay from Portable Monitor Nozzle Using One Engine — Recommended Maximum Time is 5 Minutes.



8. Forward Lay with One Engine Using Engine Monitor — Recommended Maximum Time is 3 Minutes.



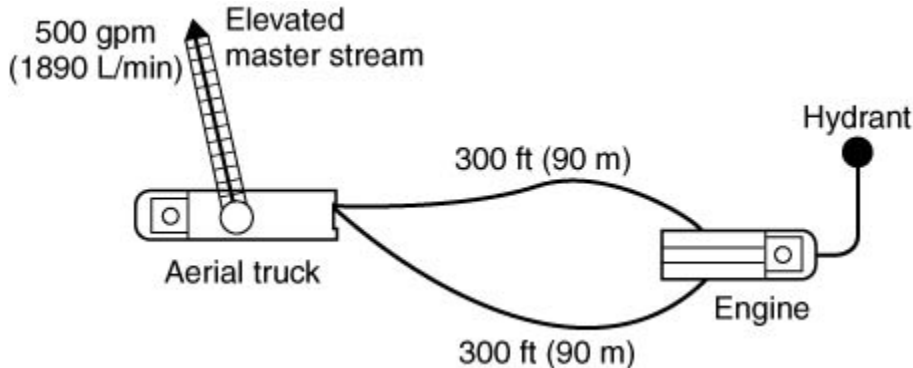
9. Reverse Lay from the Sprinkler Connection Using Two Supply Lines — Recommended Maximum Time is 3.5 Minutes.



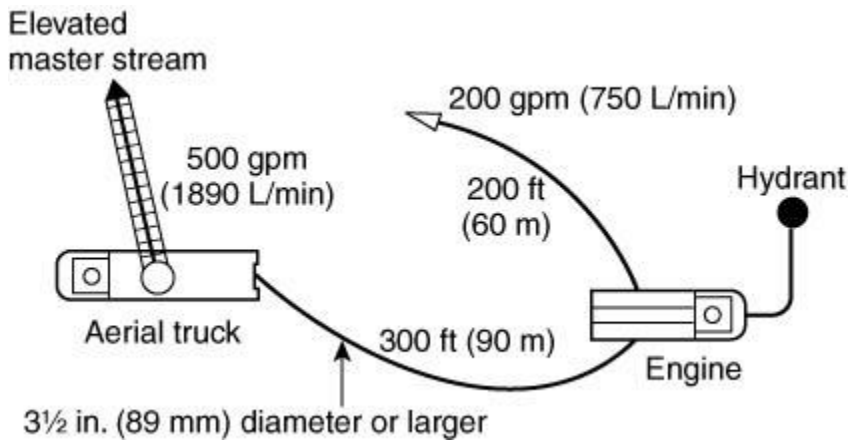
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Enclosure 2 Recommended Benchmark Drills (Ladder Companies)

10. Reverse Lay from Elevated Master Stream Using One Engine — Recommended Maximum Time is 4 Minutes.



11. Reverse Lay from Elevated Master Stream Using One Engine and Supplying One Handline — Recommended Maximum Time is 5.5 Minutes.



Enclosures 3, 4 and 5 are to be published (TBP)

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Enclosure 3 Rescue Training Requirements

- Rescue training requirements shall be established by the Cumberland County Fire Chiefs Association Rescue Committee during regular scheduled meetings
- Training shall be conducted on a quarterly basis
- Training shall be made available to all emergency services agencies that operate within Cumberland County and Fayetteville
- Quarterly Training topics shall be established by the CCFCA Rescue Committee and conducted in association with Fayetteville Technical Community College. When possible, the training will be conducted as refresher training through FTCC to maintain certifications.
- Primary location for rescue training shall be at the FTCC Regional Training Facility. Certain specialty rescue related training may be conducted at other sites to accommodate the specific rescue related training requirements.
- Situations may arise that prompt the Rescue Committee to conduct training more often than quarterly
- Events such as possible impacts of severe weather may constitute just in time type training to ensure capabilities are available and ready.

Primary Training Topics

- Vehicle Extrication
- Machinery Rescue
- Agricultural Rescue
- High Angle Rescue
- Trench Rescue
- Confined Space Rescue
- Structural Collapse
- Water Rescue
- Rescue Boat operations
- Wide Area Search