



Fire Officer 1 NFPA 1021, 2014 Edition

Read the following Fire Station Environment Description

You will utilize this Fire Department environment throughout the remaining assignments/JPRs. As you progress through each of the assignments/JPRs, you will note that there will be more policies and procedures presented, depending on what your task requirements are. So be sure to read all components of the assignment/JPR.

The Highlands Fire/Rescue Department consists of two fire stations (Station #1 and #2). Both stations are staffed 24/7 with 1 Captain, 1 Senior Fire Fighter and 2 Fire Fighters. The fire department runs on a 4 platoon system: A, B, C, D.

Both stations are similar in design and consist of:

- Two drive-through apparatus bays
- Office
- Kitchen
- Washroom and showers
- Laundry facilities for station wear and PPE
- Rest area for 4 members
- Training room equipped with all required AV equipment, 4 computers, internet, tables and chairs.
- SCBA filing station
- Workshop

Station #1 Apparatus	Station #2 Apparatus
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • two 2012 Type 1 (Class A engine in Structural Fire Fighting, diesel and automatic) Pump 1000 gpm, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 400 gal/tank, ○ 1200 ft. 2 1/2" hose, ○ 400 ft. 1 1/2 " hose, ○ 200 ft. 1" hose, ○ 20 feet of ladder, ○ 500 gpm Master Stream • both engines can be frontline apparatus. There is one support vehicle at Station #1, a 2015 F350 Ford cube van 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • one 2014 Type 1 - (Class A engine in Structural Fire Fighting, diesel and automatic) Pump 1000 gpm, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 400 gal/tank, ○ 1200 ft. 2 1/2" hose, ○ 400 ft. 1 1/2 " hose, ○ 200 ft. 1" hose, ○ 20 feet of ladder, ○ 500 gpm Master Stream • this is Station # 2 frontline apparatus. • one pumper that is a 15 year old (2002) 840 Metalfab, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ a 500 gallon tank, ○ gas engine standard transmission

This department has 50 Scott SCBAs and a total of 100 2216 composite Scott cylinders available for use.



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Staffing Fulltime:

- 1 Fire Chief (exempt)
- 2 Assistant Chiefs (exempt)
- 8 Captains (unionized)
- 24 Fire Fighters (unionized, 8 of which are designated senior FF and can act as captain for sickness and vacation relief)

Staffing Paid On-Call

- 20 active on-call Fire Fighters (non-union, 10 at each station)
- 1 Fire Fighter at each station is designated as the on-call liaison between career and on-call staff.
- The on-call members also receive an honorarium in the amount of \$4,000 per year. This is broken into two pay periods - \$2,000 on the first Thursday in June and \$2,000 on the first Thursday in December. This honorarium pay is based on training, number of calls attended and off duty work assignments completed.

Training Fulltime staff:

- Captains NFPA 1021 Fire Officer level 2 certification
- 4 senior Fire Fighters NFPA 1021 Fire Officer level 1 certification
- 16 Fire Fighters NFPA 1001 Fire Fighter Level 2 certification (plus specialty NFPA certification as required)

Training Paid On-Call staff

- Varied levels of experience from 1 to 20 years
- Varied level of training and certification, the Fire Chief is committed to train to NFPA 1001 Fire Fighter level 2 certification
 - 6 Fire Fighters have completed NFPA 1001 Fire Fighter level 2 certification
 - 10 Fire Fighters at various stages of NFPA 1001 Fire Fighter training
 - 4 Fire Fighters considered rookies and are 'support only', not qualified for fire-fighting yet.
- On-call training is 2 hours every Wednesday night and 6 hours every 4th Saturday

The relationship between fulltime and paid on-call staff is strained but manageable.