

Improving Response Scene Safety for Firefighters & Emergency Personnel Workshop

Every fire officer should maximize the effectiveness, efficiency, and safety of each firefighter under their command at the scene of any emergency. This effort will also lead to the protection of firefighters, other emergency personnel, and civilians involved in the incident. Fire police officers can assist the fire officer in reaching this goal by helping to provide a safer environment for other firefighters, other emergency personnel, and the civilians at the emergency scene.



This workshop will help fire officers:

- Interpret state laws that grant fire police officers their authority.
- Identify the procedures a person must follow to become a member of a fire police squad.
- Understand the general duties of a fire police squad.
- Recognize the mental and physical requirements necessary to serve as a fire police officer.
- Realize the importance of properly equipping fire police with the necessary tools to effectively and safely carry out their duties.
- Use fire police effectively in incident command or incident management situations.
- Identify ways in which fire police can help increase safety at everyday alarms.
- Appreciate the importance of training as a necessary part of the fire police squad and the fire department as a whole.
- Prepare fire police members for interacting with the media.

This program is FREE!

So refreshments can be ordered, inform NYSAFC about the number of members from your department that plan on attending at least five business days prior to the workshop by e-mailing jrodd@nysfirechiefs.com or calling (800) 676-3473.

WHEN: **Wednesday, December 3, 2008**
7:00 – 10:00 p.m.

WHERE: **Rensselaer County – East Greenbush F.D. Headquarters**
68 Phillips Road – East Greenbush, NY 12144

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