

North Fort Myers Fire Control & Rescue Service District

Performance Measures

Fire Suppression:

- Ensure Effective and efficient operations with benchmarks for turnout, travel and total response times.
- Ensure training standards meet and/or exceed ISO requirements.
- All personnel will fulfill EVOC and Pump Ops class requirements in the first year of employment.
- All personnel will be knowledgeable and trained on the National Incident Management System, Incident Command System and Mutual aid emergencies.
- All fire pumps, hoses and ladders will be tested and maintained annually, with outdated and damaged equipment being replaced as needed.
- Comprehensive guidelines/procedures will be adopted and trained on to ensure the safety of personnel and the public for specialized operations.

Rescue and EMS:

- The Safety and Health Officer will ensure the safety and health of all personnel through programs such as a safety committee – meeting every 3 months.
- Members will be provided with annual training on radio communications.
- All suppression personnel will be trained at the awareness level for rope rescue incidents.
- All personnel will be knowledgeable and trained on water rescue emergencies.
- All firefighters will be certified in cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR).

- To ensure BLS proficiency, all personnel will renew their Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) certification.

All-Hazards:

- All disaster related equipment – including generators and chainsaws – will be inspected and maintained.
- Comprehensive guidelines/procedures will be adopted and trained on to ensure the safety of personnel and the public for disaster operations including pre/post tropical storms/hurricanes.
- The CERT program will be enhanced through basic training events and regular meetings with CERT leadership to ensure an understanding of guidelines and expectations, while maintaining an effective and efficient process annually.

Community Risk Reduction:

- An established standard will ensure that occupancies in the District comply with NFPA standards.
- Continue with cooperative coordination with the county to provide uniform and consistent interpretation and effective enforcement of prevention items such as applicable standards and fire-flow requirements.
- The ongoing tracking of planned construction projects, as well as current/ongoing construction projects, will ensure the District is knowledgeable of new growth and development.
- Enhance district-wide fire safety by ensuring local organizations are educated on fire extinguisher operations and that high – risk homes have working smoke detectors through an installation program.