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# District Chief Meeting Talking Points November 26th, 27th, 28th, 2018 Meeting

### **Warehouse**

- Captain Dan Peyrouse clarified the process for member expectations and policy clarification for annual PPE inspection.
- Members can find an attached label on the inside of the coat/pant by the manufacture tag with a date from Minerva when it was last inspected. Gear without labels will require an annual inspection, and must be sent in. Any questions can be addressed by Captain Peyrouse.

## **Training**

- Training at 30<sup>th</sup> and Stout was conducted November 24<sup>th</sup>- December 3<sup>rd</sup>
- IAFF grant funded Fire Ground Survival Train-the Trainer Course will be implemented in 2019. More information can be found at www.iaff.org.
- Training Reports- All company standards should be completed by the end of the year.
- Kaiser physical with Dr. Koval- Please coordinate with the Training Division and Dr. Koval.
  - o Kaiser number needs to be provided to Dr. Koval for blood work requests.
  - o District Chiefs can get physicals outside the three dates that were provided. Contact Training Division for assistance.

#### Administration

• District Chief's will work with the member's when staffing overtime in their firehouse/district. The overtime-day of staffing will depend on the needs of the City.

#### **Fire Prevention**

Company Inspection Status should be completed by year end.

#### **Operations**

- Rescue 2 should stay in response area
  - o Company training should be in District 5.
- Fit Tests- Donn Bower coordinating with Air-light driver.
- N95 (respiratory) mask fit testing will occur in 2019.
- Company Officer and Assistant Chief's should be notifying the chain of command for significant events, at the time the event takes place.
  - Do not rely on dispatch for notification on incidents.
- Class 2 Alarms-
  - No longer responding to class 2 alarms when a correct passcode is given by property owner.
  - Updated SOG 2102.01was sent out on November 29, 2018 with new guidelines on responses.
- DFD and Aurora Fire Shift Commander Meeting
  - o DFD met with Aurora Shift Commander regarding mutual aid responses.



- When showing up on scene, whoever shows up first and commits, they are in command. We must show support and work with them as mutual aid. We will get face to face and get transfer of command to the appropriate jurisdiction when appropriate.
- Fire hose Delamination Inspections- Make sure all companies are inspecting their hose. See handout and safety email for detailed information.
- Shift Commander and Assistant Chief are required to wear PPE at incidents.
  - o If the Shift commanders and AC are assigned a division or group, the are required to be in full PPE.
- Transfer of Command-
  - When AC are going to take command from first on scene IC, they are to meet face to face first, take command, then announce formally.
- International Fellowship Program (IFP) (Saudi Aramco)
  - o Captain Buccieri is the lead (8 members for 5 months)
    - FCM went out on December 5, 2018 with information regarding the IFP, with FAQ section.
    - Currently it has not been determined where and what shift they will be assigned to.
    - The implementation of the program will be February 2019.
    - The companies that they are assigned to will be training with them at the academy.
- Company Officer radio communication with PD
  - o Communicate with PD on their channel should result in a better response from PD on auto injury accidents.
  - o Tows are authorized to be ordered by DFD and working with DPD and dispatch how to communicate the information.
  - Proposals to allow Company Officer's and District Chiefs to move vehicles out of traffic with non SBI Injuries. Working through the logistics to decide collectively if this is feasible.
- Ride Along process
  - o A new On-line process for ride along requests will be implemented in early 2019.
  - o All documentation will be submitted on line, and the rider will no longer be required to get an officer approval form signed.
  - o For Operations to approve and schedule the ride, a background check and a face to face at HQ will be required for final approval.
  - o Riders are only allowed one ride every six months. Operations is working to ensure there are no more than one rider per rig per month.
- Radio Installation
  - o The full implementation of the new radio change out will be the end of first quarter or beginning of second in 2019.
  - o Training will soon be available for all members on target solutions.
- Class B Foam
  - o Do NOT use class b foam for any training purposes. Class b foam can still be utilized in an emergency incident.
- Uniform/Personal Appearance

- o Company approved gear must be approved through the appropriate chain of command. All approved uniform logo's can be found on in the operations folder, under firehouse files.
- o Mustache policy should be followed by all members, making sure it is not impeding their face piece.

#### **EMS**

- DU Security Guards now have EMT capabilities.
  - When responding to DU campus, their security guards have partnered with Denver Health, and are now able to give BLS with limited scope.
- ESO/NFIR- Reports
  - o Crews need to get them completed.
  - o Read FAQ's/training video on Target Solutions, as most of the problems can be resolved. Captain Linville and Melissia Miccio are also available for firehouse visits.

### **Miscellaneous**

New Community Outreach Manager/Legislative Liaison- Amanda Sandoval.
Amanda will be working with the relationships between the Community, City Council and Denver Fire.