

**Commissioners of Fire District No. 1
Franklin Township • Somerset County
New Jersey
RESOLUTION 09-23
AMEND RESOLUTION 05-15
REQUIRED TRAINING & DISTRICT PHYSICALS**

WHEREAS, Federal laws mandate that employers have an Occupational Exposure to Bloodborne Pathogens Program, a Respiratory Protection Program; and Hazardous Materials refresher training; and

WHEREAS, Fire District No. 1 requires annual Physicals and Fit Testing;

WHEREAS, Fire District No. 1 is the employer and is required by law to provide this training;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Commissioners of Fire District No. 1, Franklin Township, Somerset County, New Jersey that the following guidelines be followed:

1. All District firefighters will receive training yearly under the District's plan so everyone receives the same information, and abides by national standards.
2. Training will be offered at least 4 times per year and notification will be sent to all stations and announced at Commissioners meetings advising everyone about the class.
3. The individual conducting the training shall be knowledgeable in the subject matter covered by the elements contained in the training program.
4. Anyone who does not attend one of the required training classes by the end of the calendar year will not be entitled to attend any fire calls until the classes have been successfully completed. A list will be provided to each District Chief at the end of the year of those firefighters whose gear shall be pulled. Attendance at any conventions/trade shows or compensation in the form of per-diem will not be approved for the next calendar year.
5. Anyone who does not complete the entire vaccination series or does not sign a declination of vaccination form will not be entitled to attend any fire calls until the series has been completed or the declination form signed.
6. Physicals must be taken no later than the end of the same calendar month in which the previous year's physical was taken or the above restrictions in item #4 will also apply.
7. Annual fit testing shall take place during the annual physical. Anyone that does not successfully pass the fit test or physical will not be able to attend any fire calls until the fit test or physical has been successfully completed.
8. The Commissioners of Fire District No. 1 reserve the right to amend or alter restrictions placed on firefighters as a result of failing to have a physical in a timely manner as set forth in #6 of this resolution. Use of this clause will be restricted to only the most extraordinary of circumstances.

9. The requirement for fit testing found in item 7 does not apply to those responding as Fire Police. Any member of the Fire Police who responds on fire apparatus (engines) will comply with the fit testing requirement.



 James Wickman, Chairman



 Tim Szymborski, Clerk









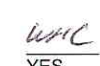








 William H. Cullen III, Treasurer



 Louis L. Hajdu-Nemeth Jr., Commissioner



 Richard De Lisi, Commissioner

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I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS IS A TRUE COPY OF THE RESOLUTION APPROVED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF FIRE DISTRICT NO. 1, FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP, SOMERSET COUNTY, NEW JERSEY AT THEIR REGULAR MEETING HELD ON AUGUST 24, 2009



 Tim Szymborski, CLERK