



Standard Operating Guidelines
Section 10.0

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Introduction

This manual of the Standard Operating Guidelines (SOG's) establishes standard fire department specific policies and guidelines. This is meant to provide guidance when dealing with fire department-specific issues and situations, and to ensure department activities are consistent, effective, efficient and safe.

The Evansville Fire District shall provide for the safety, health and wellness of district members by establishing a fire district-specific policy manual and accompanying procedures.

All fire district personnel shall follow these policies and accompanying procedures to the best of their ability.

All members will understand and follow these policies and procedures. Deviation from these policies and procedures is permitted due to unforeseen circumstances.

Officers of the Evansville Fire District are responsible to ensure their subordinates understand and follow these policies, procedures and bylaws, as well as other State of Wisconsin applicable laws and regulations. Officers will document and report deviations to the Fire Chief, or his/her designee, for review.

The mission of the Evansville Fire District

The mission of the Evansville Fire District is to minimize loss of life, property and the environment from fires, natural disasters, life threatening situations, and to assist other emergency agencies.

Mission Statement

Our mission shall be accomplished through quality **SERVICE** delivery as follows:

- SAFETY:** for the community we protect and the personnel that protect it.
- EDUCATION:** through programs for our residents and youth.
- RESPONSIVENESS:** to the suggestions, influences, appeals or efforts of others.
- VISION:** from the past, to the present and into the future.
- INSPECTIONS:** investigations and pre-incident plans
- COMMITMENT:** to our community, our families, ourselves and each other.
- EMPATHY:** for all.

Chain Of Command - Evansville Fire District



