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TRAINING BULLETIN

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To: All Personnel

**From: Mark A. Boyd, Division Chief of
Fire Training**

Subject: Apparatus Qualification Packets

The State Fire Commission is in the process of adopting new NFPA (National Fire Protection Association) standards. As a result, Training has to re-write the Engine and Truck qualification packets to meet the new NFPA 1002 – 2009 Standard.

The new qualification packets have to be approved by the State Fire Commission. We must have the new packets completed by November 15, 2009. Also, any qualification packets already turned in to Fire Training have to be qualified by November 15, 2009.

In order to have time to qualify the employees who have already turned in packets, it is necessary to post a deadline on accepting new packets. As of October 30, 2009, Training will not accept any Engine or Truck qualification packets. Hopefully, by November 16, 2009, we will have the new updated packets completed and approved by the Fire Commission. All qualifications after November 15, 2009 must be done on the new packets in order to be used as your practical exam for the Apparatus Operator Certification.

Once the new qualification packets are approved, they will be copied to CD's and issued to the Battalion Chiefs.

If you have questions, please contact Chief Boyd at 354-6780.