

2017 Winter Fire School

Presented by DPSST

February 18-19, 2017
Oregon Public Safety Academy
4190 Aumsville Hwy SE
Salem, OR

Note: There is no registration fee for this training. Course descriptions can be found on the following pages. Application form can be found on the last page.



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Course Descriptions

F0729 - Incident Safety Officer: This 2-day course examines the Safety Officer's role at emergency responses. A specific focus on operations within an Incident Command System (ICS) as a Safety Officer is a main theme. Response to all-hazards types of situations will be emphasized. The goal of this course is to provide students with the knowledge and skills needed to perform the duties of the Incident Safety Officer (ISO) during incident operations and training evolutions. This course is an incident-specific, scenario-oriented course designed to teach students what an ISO needs to know at an incident. The course uses instructor-led discussion, multimedia activities, and small group discussions to convey instructional points.

F0455 - Strategy and Tactics for Initial Company Operations: STICO is designed to meet the needs of Company Officers responsible for managing the operations of one or more companies during structural firefighting operations. STICO is designed to develop the management skills needed by company officers to accomplish assigned tactics at structure fires. The primary target audience for the STICO course is: newly promoted CO's, review for experienced CO's, firefighters who may have acting CO responsibilities, or firefighters who want to become CO's. The course is designed for newly promoted CO's to learn the use and understanding of strategies and tactics and their importance in ensuring firefighter safety on the fireground.

F0458 - Preparation for Initial Company Operations: (Formerly Managing Company Tactical Operations: Preparation (MCTO:P)) This course is designed to develop a better understanding of the roles and responsibilities of a Company Officer in preparing their company for incident operations. In addition, it is also designed to clarify the transition from firefighter to company officer and the new roles relating to leadership and safety. This course is designed for company officers, acting company officers, or senior firefighters responsible for the management of a single fire company at an emergency incident. Those officers who are responsible for company readiness, personnel safety, and leadership as it relates to company operation.

F0457 - Decision Making for Initial Company Operations: This course designed to develop the decision making skills needed by Company Officers (COs) to accomplish assigned tactics at structure fires. All activities and scenarios used in this course are based on structure fires. As a Company Officer (CO) with the real possibility of being the first to arrive at an incident, the CO's initial decisions will have an impact throughout the entire incident. It is vital that they be able to make good management decisions that have a favorable impact on the eventual outcome. In addition to a possible role as the initial Incident Commander (IC), the CO may well be assigned a subordinate position within the ICS organization. COs need to have a clear understanding of the system, the position they are assigned, and their role in the organization if they are to function effectively and help make the system work.

F0803 - Leadership I for Fire & EMS Strategies for Personal Success: This two-day course presents the company officer with the basic leadership skills and tools needed to perform effectively in the fire service environment. The course includes techniques and approaches to problem-solving, ways to identify and assess the needs of the company officer's subordinates, methods for running meetings effectively in the fire service environment, and decision making skills for the company officer.

F0804 - Leadership II for Fire & EMS Strategies for Company Success: This two-day course provides the company officer with the basic leadership skills and tools needed to perform effectively in the fire service environment. The course addresses ethics, use and abuse of power at the company officer level, creativity in the fire service environment, and management of the multiple roles of the company officer.

F0805 - Leadership III for Fire & EMS Strategies for Supervisory Success: This two-day course provides the company officer with the basic leadership skills and tools to perform effectively in the fire service environment. The course covers when and how to delegate to subordinates, assess personal leadership styles through situational leadership, discipline subordinates, and apply coaching/motivating techniques.

NFPA Fire Apparatus Driver/Operator (Driver) Course with Skid Truck Training: This two-day course is a state approved NFPA Driver Course. The students will have classroom training and will complete a driver's course. Students will receive credit towards their NFPA Fire Apparatus Driver/Operator (Driver) Certification once the Task Performance Evaluations and/or Task Book is completed. Requisite knowledge skills will be signed off for their task books during class. This course will be instructed by DPSST's own Regional Fire Trainers.

Vehicle Extrication: This course begins with a two hour review of overall goals and objectives of the program. Once classroom training is completed, firefighters will conduct practical application. Curriculum and training evolutions follow the TERC (Transportation Emergency Rescue Committee) format. Practical evolutions consist of six different stations to include Incident Command; Airbags; Buttress Stabilization; Hydraulic Tool Use; Pneumatic, Electrical and Hand Tools Use; and Initial Stabilization. The 2nd day of training will include scenario-based evolutions. **If you have previously attended this class you are not eligible to attend it again at Winter Fire School.**

Student manuals and DPSST Task Books provided.

Vehicle and Machinery Rescue Technician

Task Book Competency Numbers Covered:

10.1 Thru 10.1.10 (Level I)

Full PPE required (no SCBA needed)



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Registration Form

Department of Public Safety Standards and Training
4190 Aumsville Hwy SE | Salem, OR 97317

The following information is required to register. Please be sure a current phone number and/or email address is provided. It will be used to confirm your registration, as well as to notify you of any additional information or changes.

Name: _____

DPSST Fire #: _____

Male

Female

SID # : _____

Obtain an SID number here: <https://cdp.dhs.gov/FEMASID>

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____

Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

(Please print neatly—email will be used to confirm registration and send updates.)

Department: _____

Lodging on DPSST Campus needed?:

Yes No

Meals:

Buffet style breakfast and lunch will be provided on Saturday and Sunday; attendees will be on their own for dinner.

Listed below are some local hotels close to DPSST's campus:

Salem Comfort Suites

P: 503-585-9705
630 Hawthorne Ave., Salem, OR

Residence Inn

P: 503-585-6500
640 Hawthorne SE, Salem, OR

Please indicate the top three classes you would like to attend in order of preference:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

You will receive an email confirmation with your registered course. You may mail, email or fax your application to the following address:

DPSST
ATTN: Fire Certification
4190 Aumsville Hwy SE
Salem, OR 97317

Email: rebecca.carroll@state.or.us

Fax: (503) 378-4600
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