



OREGON LIFE SAFETY TEAM

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PURPOSE, ROLES, AND RESPONSIBILITIES

1) PURPOSE

To coordinate and implement consistent statewide fire prevention education.

2) ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

a) Oregon Office of State Fire Marshal

- i) Facilitate Oregon Life Safety Team (OLST) meetings and coordinate activities.
- ii) Provide fire data for decision making and evaluation.
- iii) Coordinate and implement consistent statewide fire prevention messages, campaigns, and model programs.
- iv) Research, develop, facilitate, promote, and support fire prevention education-related messages, campaigns, and model programs.
- v) Promote materials and programs shared by other Team members.

b) Fire Service Association Representatives

- i) Represent their association interest.
- ii) Share information about Team activities with association members.
- iii) Report OLST activities to association board.
- iv) Gain support of association board for endorsement and promotion of Team activities.
- v) Report association decision on endorsement and promotion of Team activities at OLST meetings.
- vi) Foster improved fire prevention education collaboration among Oregon fire agencies, fire service associations, and partners.

c) State, Federal, Non-Profit, and Private Agency Representatives

- i) Represent their agency interest.
- ii) Share information about Team activities with agency staff.
- iii) Report OLST activities to agency board.
- iv) Gain support of agency for endorsement and promotion of Team activities.
- v) Report agency decision on endorsement and promotion of Team activities at OLST meetings.
- vi) Foster improved fire prevention education collaboration among Oregon fire agencies, fire service associations, and partners.

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d) Fire Agency Regional Representatives

- i) Represent the fire agencies of their region or county.
- ii) Share information about Team activities with fire agencies and partners in their region.
- iii) Gain support and involvement of fire agencies and community partners in carrying out campaigns, model programs, and distribution of educational messaging.

3) TEAM REPRESENTATION

The OLST is multijurisdictional with statewide representation.

- **Oregon Office of State Fire Marshal Representatives**
 - Fire & Life Safety Education Branch staff
 - Deputy State Fire Marshals
- **Fire Service Association Representatives**
 - Oregon Fire Chiefs Association
 - Oregon Fire District Directors Association
 - Oregon Fire Marshals Association
 - Oregon Fire Service Office Administrators
 - Oregon Fire Sprinkler Coalition
 - Oregon Volunteer Firefighter Association
 - Oregon Fire Education Association
 - Oregon Fire Instructors Association
- **Federal, State, Non-Profit, and Private Agency Representatives**
 - Consumer Product Safety Commission
 - Oregon Department of Forestry
 - American Red Cross
 - National Fire Protection Association
 - Insurance industry
 - Private industry
 - Public at large
- **Fire Agency Regional Representatives**
 - Members representing each of Oregon's 36 counties.

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