

Pre-Water Shuttle Evolution Safety Meeting

Welcome to all in attendance and THANK YOU for time and attention to this important 'water-shuttle' demonstration.

***** SAFETY IS ALWAYS FIRST PRIORITY !!!! *****

"Horseplay", of any kind, will not be tolerated during the evolutions!!!!

All calculations based on 35 MPH and driving 200 ft., at any one time, from a dead stop. Careful, precise, defensive driving techniques must be observed at all times during the evolutions.

CLOTHING/ATTIRE FOR EVOLUTIONS:

Anyone on the ground must be in full turnout gear with helmet chinstrap properly fastened. Drivers may be in basic station attire if they do not exit the apparatus during the evolutions.

Only option is turnout coat wear, to be determined by host fire chief.

APPARATUS FOR EVOLUTIONS:

Apparatus water tanks must be **FULL** before we begin dumping cycle.

Dump tubes/chutes may be pre-stationed at dump site.

We will only empty ½ of the total number of trucks at any one time.

The inspector will determine when tankers are released, 'empty', from dump site

Tankers are considered 'full' or "refilled" when they overflow.

If an emergency call, for a participating fire department, is received during the evolutions, the host Fire Chief and/or County Fire Marshal will direct response efforts until an adequate response is established.

WE WANT YOU TO RETURN TO YOUR HOME IN AS GOOD SHAPE, IF NOT BETTER, THAN WHEN YOU REPORTED FOR THIS ASSIGNMENT!!!!

Report any unsafe, or seemingly unsafe, actions or situations to the inspector or Fire Chief. We have to ALL be responsible for OUR safety.

****REMEMBER: SAFETY FIRST, NEVER LAST; HAVE A FUTURE, NOT JUST A PAST!!!!****