Fire Skills Assessment

Skill Station #1

ROPES

Demonstrate the hoisting of the following tools: fire axe, pike pole, roof ladder, hose line (charged/dry).

NFPA 1001, 2013 Edition, 5.1.2 & 5.3.12(b)

Wearing full structural firefighter protective clothing, tool or equipment, minimum 25 ft. of rope. *Gloves are not required.

- Select tool to be hoisted.
- Tie with an approved knot (Skill #4A-D) for hoisting. Use "tag" line when appropriate.
- Hoist tool or equipment.

1:00 Minute for tool selected (Hoisting time not included in the 1:00 minute)

Skill Station #2

SAFETY

Demonstrate the use of SCBA to exit through a:

A low-profile restricted passage without removing SCBA.

B. A full escape constricted passage.

NFP A 1001, 2013 Edition, 5.3.1, 5.3.9

Wearing full structural firefighter protective clothing, SCBA, restricted passage where firefighter cannot pass without a low profile.

- Notify Command of situation.
- Loosen SCBA backpack (Not on air). Move SCBA backpack to side of firefighter.
- Maintain control of SCBA at all times.
- Exit restricted passage.
- Reposition and tighten SCBA backpack.

3:00 Minutes

REFERENCE: CONDITION: COMPETENCE:

Skill Station #3

Fire Attack

Advance an attack line from a pumper, for the following:

For ground level fire attack (structural, ground cover, vehicle).

REFERENCE: CONDITION: COMPETENCE:

TIME:

NFPA 1001, 2019 Edition, 4.3.7, 4.3.10, 4.3.19

Wearing full structural firefighter protective clothing, SCBA, minimum of 150 feet of 1 1/2" hose or larger, nozzle.

• Correctly and completely unload hose from apparatus.

• Advance hose to attack position, extend hose line to avoid

kinks.

- Signal for water.
- Open nozzle to bleed air from attack line and check stream

pattern. 2:00 Minutes

Skill Station #4

WATER SUPPLY Demonstrate hydrant-to-pumper hose connections in order to:

A. Supply a forward hose lay.

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Wearing full structural firefighter protective clothing, 2 1/2" or larger supply hose, gate valves, spanner wrenches and hydrant wrench, (given apparatus operator, not tested).

- Select correct equipment to connect to hydrant. Loop hose around hydrant, secure hose.
- Signal apparatus operator to proceed. Connect hydrant gate valves.
- Open hydrant completely, flush. (open gradually to prevent water hammer).

Charge hoseline (slowly) when signal is given.

- Shut hydrant down slowly to prevent water hammer and check drain.
- (Apparatus operator makes all pumper connections)

3:00 Minutes (Shutting down hydrant not part of time)