



Wintergreen Fire and Rescue Standard Administrative Policy	
Subject:	Dual Response Area
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Purpose:

To provide a clear and concise understanding of the response procedures for handling calls within the dual response zone with Rockfish.

Definitions:

The dual response zone is Route 151 from Route 6 to the top of Brent's mountain, Adial Road from Route 151 to Route 6, Route 6 from Adial Road to Route 151, and roads feeding off those roads.

Policy:

When a call is received, the appropriate apparatus shall respond following SOG Comm 01-001 (Radio Procedures). The first in piece shall not wait for volunteers if the call is life-threatening.

Only one career provider shall respond in the appropriate apparatus with available volunteers. The only exception will be a Motor Vehicle Incident where one career provider can respond in an engine and one career provider in the squad truck.

Apparatus from station one shall not respond to incidents within the dual response zone since additional resources will be coming from Rockfish.

If the first in piece arrives on location and confirms additional resources are needed from Wintergreen Fire and/or Rescue, resources from station two will respond and a career provider from station one will transfer quarters (SAP ADM 10-006) in the appropriate apparatus.

If the incident warrants resources from station one, those resources shall be requested and respond with only one career provider. The second career provider from station two will remain in service.

In an event of multiple incidents within the dual response zone, career providers and resources from station two will respond, but not station one.

When calls occur in the dual response zone we will release providers as long as we have one career provider, or appropriately trained volunteer in service for each station or one career provider transferring to fill quarters.

Rockfish Fire and/or Rescue will need to be added to all calls within the dual response zone if not on initial dispatch.