



Wintergreen Fire and Rescue Standard Administrative Policy	
Subject:	ATV 1 & 2
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Purpose:

To create a uniform procedure regarding the use and operations of ATV 1 & 2.

ATV Operator:

The ATV operator uses the All Terrain Vehicle class off-road vehicles to complete fire management or rescue activities, including scouting and preparation, fire operations and post-burn monitoring and follow-up. The following standards are designed to ensure operational safety and proficiency have been taught and exhibited in the consistent manner.

Training Required to Operate:

The ATV Operator must have appropriate training to operate ATV or UTV equipment. ATV/UTV training shall include, but not limited to the following subject areas:

1. Basic ATV/UTV design: controls, warning labels, operator's manual and equipment safety features.
2. Routine inspection and maintenance.
3. Hazards associated with ATV/UTV use.
4. Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and safe riding practices.
5. Hands-on demonstration of safe riding skills, including: starting, braking, turning, traversing terrain and obstacles, and parking.
6. Operation of pump and associated equipment where available.