

## Kennebunkport Fire Department

### SOG 29

## RESPONSE AND INITIAL ACTIONS AT A REPORTED STRUCTURE FIRE

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### PURPOSE

TO ESTABLISH MINIMUM RESPONSE OF APPARATUS AND FIRE FIGHTERS  
TO A REPORTED STRUCTURE FIRE AND ESTABLISH INITIAL ACTIONS

### MISSION

TO MEET ACCEPTED NATIONAL RESPONSE ANTICIPATIONS

### LIMITATIONS

DESIGNED FOR A MINIMUM OF TWO ENGINES, ONE LADDER AND 13 FIRE FIGHTERS

1. Engines 12, 13, 23, 33, Ladders 4, 14, 34, are expected to respond to a reported structure fire, if personal are available to operate these units.
2. The minimum number of personal assembled at a reported structure fire should be 13 if personal are available, 4 persons to each apparatus and one officer assuming command.
3. One engine and one ladder should proceed to the to the reported location, all other apparatus should report to the designated staging area indicated on the run card.
4. Personal assigned engine company functions are expected to establish a water supply and extinguish the fire and assist in salvage and overhaul.
5. Personal assigned ladder company functions are expected to conduct searches, perform rescues, ventilation, overhaul and provide aerial ladder support and set ground ladders to accomplish safety and tactical operations in fire extinguishment.
6. Initial attack and back-up lines will be from the first engine or ladder which ever arrives on scene 1<sup>st</sup>, second arriving unit will cross connect its tank supply to the first units tank supply by a 2 ½" line.
7. Command has the options of either having additional engines lay into the fire or reverse lay from the fire to the water source.
8. First engine or first ladder may at their discretion or when ordered, by command to lay-in to the fire scene if water supply and hose carried permit.