

Apparatus Maintenance / Fabrication
 Board of Rural Fire Control
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 Technician Division
 Training

*** NOTICE - WE'VE MOVED ***

The York County Fire Training Center, York County Department of Fire Safety and the Region 2 Office of the South Carolina Fire Academy have moved to a new facility.

OUR NEW LOCATION IS:

2500 MCFARLAND ROAD

PO BOX 82

YORK, SC 29745-0082

New Telephone Number: 803-620-2270

New Fax Number: 803-620-2269

New SCFA Telephone Number: 803-628-9140

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Mission Statement

The mission of the York County Department of Fire Safety is to reduce loss of life and property by providing leadership, development and administration of the Rural Fire Protection Program, Public Fire Education, Fire Investigation, and enforcement of fire safety codes and laws adopted by York County.

Functions

The Department of Fire Safety offers residents a wide range of fire prevention and fire protection services. Employees are trained and equipped to provide fire safety inspections, fire investigations, and public fire education programs for people of all ages.

Because volunteers are crucial to the rural fire system, the department supplies the county's 16 volunteer fire departments with in-depth fire fighting instruction at its training facility on McFarland Road in York, SC. Additionally, the department's award-winning fire truck building and maintenance program continues to earn a reputation for excellence by saving tax dollars and by providing state-of-the-art equipment.

Responsibilities

- Conducts routine quarterly fire and life safety inspections for all businesses in the unincorporated area of York County.
- Conducts plan reviews and occupancy inspections for all new commercial construction projects.
- Conducts fire investigations to determine origin and cause of suspicious or undetermined fires. Works closely with law enforcement to arrest and prosecute arson suspects.
- Conducts public fire education classes in schools and operates the "fire safety house" and "Patches & Pumper" robot for schools, civic groups and public events.
- Performs routine maintenance, service and repair of all county fire apparatus.
- Designs, constructs and fabricates fire apparatus for use in the county.
- Performs annual flow tests and preventive maintenance on all fire hydrants in the unincorporated areas of the county.
- Performs SCBA annual tests / maintenance and performs annual firefighter fit tests in accordance with OSHA standards.
- Assists all fire departments with ISO regulations and tests.
- Operates and maintains the firefighter training center and conducts / coordinates training for all fire departments in the county.
- Maintains personnel records, insurance information and workman's compensation information on all volunteer firefighters.
- Through the Board of Rural Fire Control, provides all necessary apparatus, firefighting equipment, personal protective equipment, training and insurance for firefighters to perform their duties.

Links

[American Red Cross - Prevent Home Fires](#)
[Apparatus Repair Request](#)
[Consumer Product Safety Commission](#)
[County E-Mail](#)
[Free E-Codes](#)
[SC Arson Hotline](#)
[SC Board of Pyrotechnic Safety](#)
[SC Emergency Response Task Force](#)
[SC Fire Academy](#)
[SC Fire Academy Course Schedule](#)



Emergency Notification

[Click here to register](#)

Contact Information

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 Monday through Friday

[SC Fire Academy Online Registration](#)
[SC Fire Marshal's Association](#)
[SC Fire Marshal's Office](#)
[SC Fire Mobilization Plan](#)
[SC Firefighter's Association](#)
[SC Forestry Commission](#)
[SC Insurance News Service](#)
[US Fire Administration Kid's Place](#)
[Volunteer Firefighter Retirement Program](#)
[York County Fire Hydrant Flow Tests](#)
[York County GIS Maps](#)

Documents

[Apparatus Incident Report](#)
[Burning Ordinance - York County](#)
[Burning Regulations - DHEC](#)
[Commercial Building Permit Application](#)
[Fire Chief's Association Meeting Schedule for 2016](#)
[Fire Department ISO Ratings](#)
[Firefighter Injury Reports](#)
[Firefighter Physical Form](#)
[Fireworks Stand Licensing](#)
[Haz Mat Team Application](#)
[Meritorious Award Nomination Form](#)
[Plan Review Application](#)
[Plan Review Information - Building Plans](#)
[Plan Review Information - Site Plans](#)
[Plan Review Information - Sprinkler Plans](#)
[Policies of the Board of Rural Fire Control](#)
[Repair Request for Pagers](#)
[Repair Request for Portable Radios](#)
[SC Fire Academy Course Registration Form](#)
[Sprinkler Certificate of Compliance](#)
[Sprinkler Specification Sheet](#)
[Tent Permit Requirements](#)
[Turn Out Gear Request Form](#)
[York Co Fire Service Year End Report for 2015](#)

FAQs

What is the ISO rating for my fire district?

Where can I obtain a copy of a fire report for a specific incident?

Where can I find information about outdoor burning?