

Hiawatha Fire & Rescue

Policy 207
General Administration
Responding to the Fire Station
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Purpose – this policy shall as a guideline for the response of individual fire department members to the fire station in the event of an emergency call.

Members responding to the fire station shall obey all traffic laws.

After completing a probationary period each member is eligible to obtain a Blue Light Permit. This permit does not grant the user the right to disregard any traffic laws.

All members shall respond directly to the fire station for emergency vehicle assignment.

Members are allowed to respond to an emergency scene in their personnel vehicles (P.O.V.) only if the incident occurs on the member's direct route to the fire station. Exceptions may be made to this rule. Example: Medically certified Bali Hai residents are allowed to respond to calls in the trailer court in their personnel vehicles.

Members are allowed to stop at EMS calls only and only if the member is currently medically certified. (First Responder, EMT-B, EMT-I, EMT-P)