



TRAINING BULLETIN

Firefighter Assist and Search Team (FAST)

The firefighter as a member of a FAST operation will identify the tools and staffing requirements for a FAST operation, develop a rescue plan for a missing, lost, or trapped firefighter; demonstrate rope search techniques, and demonstrate removing a firefighter/victim up a stairwell, up or down through a hole in a floor/roof, moving a downed firefighter out of a window, and lowering a firefighter down a ladder. This course requires students to perform a number of practical evolutions with self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). Identical to residential course 1547.

Designed For: All fire service personnel
Course Length: 15 hours
Prerequisites: Firefighter Survival

Students must also be physically capable of wearing SCBA and possess current medical clearance for SCBA use. Students not possessing these prerequisites will not be allowed to participate for their own safety.

Materials needed: Full PPE, SCBA & spare bottle, paper & pen. It is strongly recommended that students bring water or fluid replacement type drinks to this class.

Min / Max # of students 10 / 18

Dates:

Times:

Location:

Instructors:

Registration:

Note: This course requires a ***Chief's Training Authorization Letter***. Letter must be presented at the start of the class or received by the FTC prior to the beginning date.