

## DELAWARE CITY FIRE COMPANY, No. 1, INC.

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Delaware City Fire Company Documented Policy		
Membership Staffing Requirements		
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**Objective:** To explain the guidelines for acquiring volunteer staffing hours.

**Statement:** This policy is to be followed by all members of the Delaware City Fire Company.

- 18.1 The period for calculating volunteer staffing hours will be the same time period used to calculate call percentages. November 1<sup>st</sup> through October 31<sup>st</sup> of each year.
- 18.2 Chief Attendance will be used to calculate all staffing hours. New members will be assigned a login when accepted into the company.
- 18.3 Members will be able to accumulate volunteer hours through the following methods.
  - Station staffing
  - Duty crews
  - Fire/Rescue/EMS training
  - Company meeting
  - State or County meetings
  - Working hall functions / setup or breakdown of the hall
  - Attending events on behalf of the company
  - Committee meetings
  - Fire Prevention activities
- 18.4 Minimum volunteer staffing hours are described as the following:
  - 288 Hours per year----Active status; eligible to vote in elections
  - 316 Hours per year---Eligible to run for Administrative offices
  - 432 Hours per year---Eligible to run for fire line & EMS offices
- 18.5 In order to be eligible to run for, and hold an office as described above, all other requirements and training criteria as outlined in the by-laws must be met.
- 18.6 Members who fail to log out of Chief Attendance will be given credit for one volunteer hour.
- 18.7 Members who fail to login will not be given credit for volunteer hours.