

Little Creek Volunteer Fire Company, Inc.

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Standard Operating Guideline – 09-01 Use of Flashing Lights

Purpose: This standard is designed to set guidelines for personnel using flashing lights while responding to the station

Scope: All fire department personnel.

1. Only members authorized by the Fire Chief may use flashing lights in accordance of Title 21 Chapter 43 Subchapter II of the Delaware Code, which allows a Firefighter or EMT use flashing alternating headlights.
2. Must have a current valid Driver License
3. Must be over the age of 18
4. Must obtain an Emergency Vehicle Operator License.
5. Must Sign the Responsible Use Policy on use of flashing lights
6. While using the flashing lights the member must understand they are not an emergency vehicle and must obey all traffic laws.
7. The Fire Company insurance does not cover you vehicle while responding to an emergency. Use of your personal vehicle is at your own risk
8. Officers of the Company authorized by the Fire Chief and in accordance of Title 21 Chapter 43 Subchapter II of the Delaware Code may use a Blue and White flashing lights. These officers as identified by the Code are the Fire Chief, Deputy Fire Chief, Assistant Fire Chief, Chief Engineer, Fire Police Officer, and EMS Officer.
9. Failure to follow any of the above rules can result in losing the privilege of using flashing lights.

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