

**CLAYTON FIRE COMPANY NO.1 INCORPORATED
STANDARD OPERATING GUIDLINE # I-3**

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To: All Members	Revised: January 1, 2019
Ordered By: Alexander C Carrow, Fire Chief	
Subject: Apparatus Responses Codes	

This Guideline shall take effect immediately and shall remain in effect until superseded.

Purpose: To establish guidelines for the use of lights and sirens when responding to alarm.

The greatest liability risk facing emergency services today both in frequency and damages paid to plaintiffs is emergency vehicle collisions.

Apparatus Response Codes

Hot response - Lights and sirens when necessary, proceed through intersections with caution once the intersection is cleared. Opticon may be used if needed, caution is to be used at all times.

Cold response – Obey all traffic regulations.

HOT

House Fire	MVC (reported minor by an authority)
Trailer Fire	Assists
Building Fire	Auto / Pick-up Truck Fires
AFA (1 ST Due engine and Command Vehicle)	
MVC	Fire Nature Unknown
MVC (unknown if injuries)	Dumpster (away from building)
Gas Leak (inside or outside)	Field / Brush / Woods (no reported exposure)
Haz Mat	
Aircraft / Train	
Drowning	
Dumpster (next to building)	
Field / Brush / Woods (exposure)	
Rescue (child locked in auto with medical problem)	
Rescue (Industrial, Farm, Residential)	
Truck / Tractor Trailer Fire	
Medical Assist (Bravo, Charlie, Delta & Echo)	
Cardiac Arrest	
Water Rescue	

Cold

AFA's all other responding units
Wires/transformer/pole
Cover ups
Wash downs
Bomb Threat
Search
Medical Assist (Alpha)
Rescue (child locked in auto no medical problem)