



KOOTENAI COUNTY FIRE MODEL PROCEDURE

SECTION 10 – FIREGROUND PRACTICES

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1.0 PURPOSE

- 1.1 This model procedure is endorsed by the Kootenai County Fire Chiefs Association as a template for planning and training for all fire departments and districts in Kootenai County.
- 1.2 The purpose of the guide is to help establish standardized procedures that will enhance and support multi-agency fire incidents.

2.0 REFERENCES

3.0 DEFINITIONS - None

4.0 MODEL PROCEDURE

- 4.1 See Appendix C of the Kootenai County Fire Model Procedures handbook for procedures.
- 4.2 Emergency Signals Using Apparatus Air Horn (Resolution 2004-2)
 - 4.2.1 Cease Operations/All Quiet: One (1) long blast (3 seconds) QUIET
 - 4.2.2 Abandon the Area: Three (3) short blasts (One second each) (OUT, OUT, OUT)
 - 4.2.3 Resume Operations: One (1) long blast and One (1) short blast (O-K)

5.0 RESPONSIBILITY

- 5.1 Kootenai County fire agencies are encouraged to review the document on an annual basis and provide any suggested changes to the Kootenai County Fire Chiefs Association for review.