

Residential Fire Tactics for the Engine Company

A Seminar Hosted by Maryland Fire and Rescue Institute, University of Maryland

Date: Wednesday, October 23, 2024

Time: 8:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Location: Maryland Fire and Rescue Institute

4500 Campus Drive

College Park, Maryland 20742

Fact: Residential building fires are responsible for most firefighter Line of Duty Deaths (LODD). These fires are often dangerous due to enclosed spaces, potential for rapid fire spread, and the presence of hazardous materials. Despite the dangers, we took an oath to protect lives in the residential structure.

This seminar focuses on residential fire tactics and strategies that can help to mitigate firefighter risk.

Presentation: Training provided by Dan Shaw, Retired Assistant Fire Chief, Fairfax County Fire & Rescue Department, and Nationally Recognized Fire Service Speaker

Dynamic Topics:

- Why the residential fire building poses multiple challenges
- Building your apparatus for operational success
- Positioning, not parking
- Water supply
- Hose line deployment and selection
- Building an effective hose line team
- Long line operations
- Closing out the incident...properly
- Training with purpose for your next residential fire

Audience: This program is designed for firefighting personnel who respond to residential building fires.

Registration: Register online at: <http://www.mfri.org/seminars>

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Priority will be given to Maryland Fire and Rescue FD affiliated members.

A \$50 registration fee will be charged to non-Maryland affiliated fire & rescue personnel.

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