



#### 2024 Active Chiefs Working Group Meeting 09/25/2024











#### Agenda

- Introduction FM Fred Migliaccio
- Roles and Responsibilities of Fire Marshal's Office
- Purpose of Working Group AFC Alongi
- County Task Forces AFC Gramlich and AFC Alongi
- Regional Coverages AFC Gramlich





Agenda (Cont.)

- Communications AFC Alongi
- Information Technology CODES, County Emails,
   MARPs AFC Hadgkiss
- Committee's with Fire Chiefs Bill Connellan
- Input From Active Chiefs on Next Meeting Topics





**Introductions of Fire Marshal's Staff** 





#### **Fire Marshals**

93-1 - Fred Migliaccio, Director of Fire Services, Fire Marshal & Fire Coordinator

93-2 - Rick Hogan, First Assistant Fire Marshal

93-3 - Chris Tuberion Deputy Fire Marshal

93-4 - Albert Scott, Deputy Fire Marshal

93-5 - Joe Mauro
Deputy Fire Marshal

93-6 - Kevin Morrissey Deputy Fire Marshal

93-7 - Craig Flannigan Deputy Fire Marshal

93-8 - Ryan Dullea Deputy Fire Marshal





**Investigators** 

93-10 - Mike Hines

93-11 - Chris Willms





**Asst. Chief Fire Coordinators** 

93-20 - Steve Burdick

93-21 - Bill Connellan





#### **Assistant Fire Coordinators**

93-22 - Kevin Keddy

93-26 - Jack Gramlich

93-23 - Chad Murphy

93-27 - Steven Hadgkiss

93-24 - Mike Alongi

93-28 - Matt O'Brien

93-25 - Ron Burkhardt

93-29 - Kyle Williams





Roles and Responsibilities of MCFM Office

- Fire Investigations
- Fire Coordination
- Fire Education and Training
- County Building and Parks Inspections





#### **D.F.M.** Albert Scott - Fire Investigation

- Notification to your local fire official.
- When our services are needed the quicker we are notified the sooner we all get out of there.
- Please state what services are needed; coordination, investigation or both.
- If you are unsure if investigative services are needed request a call from one of us.
- Treat every scene as a crime scene till you are confident it is not.
- Limit excessive overhaul.
- Keep unnecessary man power movement in the area of origin.





#### **Purpose of Working Group**

- Modeled after Bergen County and New Castle Delaware, Active Chiefs Working Groups
- Increased Open Dialog between Marshal's Office and Active Chiefs
- Problem Identification and Resolution





#### Purpose of Working Group (cont.)

- Work With Active Chiefs in Creation of Policy and Guidelines within County
- NJ DFS and NFPA Standards Updates
- Future Presentations by NJ DFS, OSHA, State ESF-9,
   NJ Forest Fire Service, NJ-TF1 and Others.
- County Website for Information, Marps and Forms





**Fire Academy** 

Stephen Fitzpatrick, Academy Coordinator





#### **Task Forces and Strike Teams**

- (16) County RIT Teams
- (2) Tanker Task Forces
- (4) Tanker Strike Teams
- (3) Dive SCUBA Teams
- (1) Hazmat Task Force
- (4) LDH Pipelines
- (1) USAR Task Force

- (5) Ladder Strike Teams
- (9) Marine Task Forces
- (1) Satellite 4x4 Unit Task Force
- (5) Structural Firefighting Task Forces
- (6) Wildland Urban Interface Protection Task Forces
- (6) Water Rescue Teams





#### **LDH Task Forces**

- South Monmouth LDH Task Force
- Western Monmouth LDH Task Force
- Middletown LDH Task Force
- Bayshore LDH Task Force





#### Wildland Urban Interface Protection Task Forces

- (6) Task Forces With:
  - (7) Engines
  - (1) Tanker
  - (2) Command Officers
- Must Be Prepared for a 12-24 Hour Deployment
- Self Sufficient with Food and Water Needs
- Engines Must Have 500 Gallon Tanks or Greater
- Portable Radio Per Firefighter
- No Probationary Or Junior Firefighters
- County Will Supply Fuel Truck and Mechanic if Required/Requested





#### Regional Coverages

- Goal is to have a Task Force of resources covering a specific area.
- Cover regional area with less resources





#### **County Urban Search and Recovery (US&R)**

- Protocol
- Agencies
  - Neptune OEM
  - Asbury Park Fire
  - Middletown Fire
  - South Wall Fire
    - Monmouth County Health Dept
    - Monmouth County Public Works





#### **Tanker Task Forces and Strike Teams**

- Two Task Forces
  - One for Odd Months (Jan, Mar, May, Etc.)
  - One for Even Months (Feb, Apr, Jun, Etc.)
    - Note: Both can be requested if required
- Four Strike Teams <u>Straight Tankers Only</u> Primary Response Areas
  - To Burlington County
  - To Middlesex County
  - To Mercer County
  - To Ocean County





#### "Even" Month Tanker Task Force

<u>lankers</u>		<u>Engines</u>	
26-2-96	19-2-96	26-1-73	
82-96	28-1-96	37-2-75	
84-1-96	28-2-96	<b>53-75</b>	
		19-1-77	





#### "Odd" Month Tanker Task Force

<u>Tankers</u>		<u>Engines</u>
16-1-95	<b>52-2-96</b>	26-1-73
19-3-78	94-96	37-2-75
28-3-95	32-1-96	<b>53-75</b>
		19-1-77





#### **Tanker Strike Teams - Burlington and Ocean Counties**

~ Straight Tankers Only ~

- 32-1-95
- 19-4-95
- 16-1-95
- 52-2-96





#### **Tanker Strike Team - Mercer County**

~ Straight Tankers Only ~

- 26-2-96
- 28-1-96
- 19-3-78
- 16-1-95





#### **Tanker Strike Team - Middlesex County**

~ Straight Tankers Only ~

- 28-3-95
- 84-1-96
- 26-2-96
- 19-3-78





**Upcoming Tanker Drill** 

Ocean County Saturday, October 5th

**0800hrs at Forked River** 

**Need help!!** Five (5) Tankers and Two (2) Engines





#### **Communications Update:**

 Recent Additions to Trunked Radio System (TRS) 28-2, 28-3, 39 (21 on Oct 1st).

• iAR (Audio) 2 step process to setup





#### **Medevac Memo**

- County Wide Predesignated Landing Zones
  - Survey due (15 responses to date)

Communications - VHF "Fireground 3".





**Purchasing Radios** 

Check specs w Jon Gregory at MCSO

Do NOT install mobiles until programmed





#### **Fireground Memo**

Standardized Fireground

FIRE OPS 1 (700Mhz) OR FIREGROUND 2 or 3 (VHF)

REPEATED Channels should NOT be Fireground (NFPA)





**Information Technology** 

- Codes
- County Provided Email Address
  - Single Point for All Communications
- County Website for Task Forces, Forms and MARPs





#### What is CODES?

- Application for County Coordinators to track, monitor and utilize resources
  - iOS, Windows Only (Sorry no Android!)
- Statewide
- All Apparatus Is In It!
  - In Service / Out of Service
- Required Forms are in It!
  - Civilian Burn Patient Form
  - Firefighter Injury and Death Forms
  - Lithium Ion Battery Fire Form
  - School Fire Report
- Survey soon for apparatus, officers, and town data.





#### What Does Monmouth County Have in Codes?

(82) Agencies

**Agency Contacts** 

(125) MARPs

All County Task Forces, RIC, ETC.

(545) Apparatus

(63) Aerials

**(25) Boats** 

(20) Brush Trucks

(105) Command Vehicles

(168) Engines

(7) High Water Vehicles

(40) Rescues

(22) Tankers

(73) Utility Vehicles





#### **County Provided Station Email Address**

- All Agencies Have These!
- Example: Station19-3@mcfmnj.org
- Only Address the County Will Distribute Information Too.
- Email <u>helpdesk@mcsonj.org</u> to Reset Password
- Recommend Adding All Officers to Alias
- Email Me For Setup Instructions





#### Mutual Aid Response Plans (MARPs)

- New Form for 2024
- Must Be Updated Every Two Years!
- Recommendations (Per Alarm)
  - Two Engines
  - Two Ladders
  - At Least One RIC/RIT
- County Website Gets Updated, Then CODES





#### **Committee Creation**

- (1-2) Active Chiefs per Association
- (2) Members of MCFM Office
  - MAYDAY Policy Committee
  - Rehab Policy Committee
  - Communications and Dispatch Protocols
  - County Wide Standards to Mutual Aid Response





#### **Breakout Groups**

- South Monmouth Active Chiefs
  - Gramlich, Hadgkiss and Connellan
- Western Monmouth Active Chiefs
  - Burdick, Alongi
- Mid Monmouth Active Chiefs
  - Keddy, O'Brien and Williams
- Bayshore Active Chiefs
  - Murphy and Burkhardt





#### **Future Dates**

- 11/21/2024 @ 19:00
- 1/29/2025 @ 19:00

Planned for every other month with intention of transitioning to quarterly meetings





**Open Discussion** 

Let's Discuss!





#### THANK YOU!