



GLASTONBURY FIRE DEPARTMENT
STANDARD OPERATING GUIDELINES



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CATEGORY: ADMINISTRATION

SUB-CATEGORY: DEPARTMENT DIRECTIVE

SUBJECT: APPARATUS COLOR AND LETTERING

Section I – Introduction

A. Objective

The Department recognizes the importance of standardization, consistency, as well as individual company identification as it relates the district, logo or mascot.

B. Applicability

This guideline will address the approved exterior colors of all apparatus, its lettering, stripping and individual company identification for vehicles purchased by the Department after the date of this Standard Operating Guideline being issued.

C. References

NFPA 1901 – Standard for Automotive Fire Apparatus 2016 Edition

Section II – Guideline

A. Exterior Color

1. All apparatus purchased after the date that this Standard Operating Guideline was issued will be RED with the option of the area above the cab, from the base of the windows to the roof being either RED, WHITE or BLACK.
2. The only time that there can be made a deviation from the Department's approved paint scheme is when the manufacturer is not able to provide RED as a color, or the cost is either prohibited or exceeds the budget amount for the apparatus being purchased.

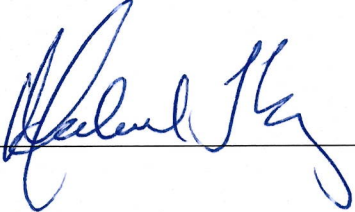
B. Lettering:

1. The Driver's door and the Officer's door will display "Glastonbury Fire Dept."
2. The lettering will be GOLD with a BLACK background.
3. If the apparatus has rear doors this area will be designated for the individual company's identification as it relates to either it's district, logo or mascot.
4. The rear door will include the apparatus' radio identification number, i.e. Engine 41 that has been designed by the individual company.
5. The rear side doors on the apparatus body will be designed for "Dial 911".
6. If the apparatus has a rear compartment or area that can be designated for additional lettering it will be limited to either "Glastonbury" a single letter identifying the vehicle as either an Engine, Ladder or Rescue and the apparatus' radio identification number.
7. The front of the apparatus may include all of the following:
 - i. "Glastonbury"
 - ii. A single letter identifying the vehicle as either an Engine, Ladder or Rescue and the apparatus' radio identification number
 - iii. The individual district, i.e. Naubuc, South Side, East Side or Buckingham

C. Reflective Stripping:

1. The apparatus will have reflective stripping and chevrons in accordance to the standards established in NFPA 1901 – Standard for Automotive Fire Apparatus.
2. The reflective stripping along the side of the apparatus may consisted of the following color schemes
 - i. Gold/White/Gold
 - ii. All White
 - iii. All Black
3. The pattern of the reflective stripping along the side of the body may consist of a pattern that is conducive to the contour of the apparatus body.
4. The rear of the apparatus, as well as the front bumper will consist of chevrons
5. The color of the chevrons may consist of the following color schemes
 - i. Red/Green
 - ii. Red/White
 - iii. Red/Black

Section III – Approval

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