

After-Action Reports (The DOC Blog)

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THE DOC LOG

BRIEF EVALUATIONS OF WORKING FIRES AND OTHER IMPORTANT EVENTS

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SUBMIT REPORT

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2015

8540 Horseshoe Lane

INCIDENT DATE: 11-03-2015 5:40 AM

INCIDENT COMMANDER: Monte Fitch

SUBMITTED BY: Monte Fitch

INCIDENT TYPE: FIRE

INCIDENT LOCATION: 8540 Horseshoe Lane

UNIT ASSIGNED TO THE INCIDENT

INITIAL: PE730, E752, E733, E710, E726,
T710, AT703,

BLOG ARCHIVE

- ▼ 2015 (65)
 - ▼ November (2)
 - 8540 Horseshoe Lane
 - 17809 Falconcrest Circle
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Review of the Numbers

- Data from *after-action reports* on the DOC Blog
- 107 fires over the last 18 months
- What type of fires do we go to?
- How we attack those fires?
- What does this data mean?
- Good Trends
- Bad Trends
- Where do we go?

Data from the *after-action* blog

107 fires over the last 18 months

- Data is driven from what you (the IC's) report
- More than just a room or FOS with extension
- Data has spanned over two versions of questions over 18 months
- Stats from the current version can be viewed by all
- Future plans (easier form, stats from end of shift, ????)

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- What is the percentage of fires in SFD, TH, Quad?

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78%

How we attack those fires?

Strategy

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What does this mean?

- 65% of the fires are in SFD, TH, Quad that are residential
- We use interior attack on 68% of all fires we respond to
- Our bread and butter is:
House fires that we fight from the interior

Good Trends

- We are performing the basics well:
 - It was not very long ago that we had difficulty with the basics: Supply lines, attack lines, and ladders
- We don't have to spend a lot of energy correcting those tactical issues

Good Trends

- Only 5% of initial attack we chose the wrong strategy or tactic
- Only 8% of the time crew integrity is an issue on the fire ground
- 12% of the time apparatus placement is an issue
- 9% of the time ventilation is done at the wrong time

Bad Trends

- 18% of the time we have bidding issues
- 20% of the time we have on the scene report issues
- 20% of the time there are water supply issues
- 25% of the time running-order change
- 15% of the time we have one or more units fail or respond understaffed

Where Do We Go?

- Keep going with thoughtful, honest after-action reports
- All facets of the organization improve when we repeat what we did well and learn from our mistakes
- We are still an interior firefighting department
- We will continue to knock from the exterior when it helps

Transitional attack

- What is it?
- When do we use it?
- How do we use it?

What is it?



When do we use it?



When do we use it?



How do we use it?



Don't be that guy

