

	CLEARFIELD COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT / 9-1-1 Standard Operating Procedures	Initial:
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	Subject: Fire Service Stand-by's	

FIRE SERVICE STAND-BY

- Clearfield County Communications recognizes fire station stand-by's. If a fire company provides a staffed fire unit, which is physically in another service's station, that stand-by crew will be dispatched to calls that come in to the Communications Center for that coverage area while they are on stand-by using the station tones for the service they are on stand-by for.
- Clearfield County Communications cannot accept, and will not acknowledge a half way stand-by. When a service has depleted their resources, calls will be given to the next closest service to the location of that call.
- When a fire unit is going on a standby of any nature, the unit must advise the Communications Center of the location and type of standby, and if they are available or not available for an emergency call. A Call for Service will be created and an incident number will be assigned for all event standbys.