



Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government
Department of Public Safety
Division of Emergency Management

Jim Gray
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Emergency Management Director

MEMORANDUM

TO: Jim Gray, Mayor
Urban County Council

FROM: Patricia L. Dugger, RS, MPA, Director DEM *P.L.D.*

RE: Statement of Affiliation for Search and Rescue

DATE: September 24, 2013

This request would authorize a Statement of Affiliation for the LFUCG Division of Fire and Emergency Services Rescue Team as a Rescue Squad under KRS Chapter 39F. This Statement of Affiliation will establish the LFUCG Division of Fire and Emergency Services Special Operations Technical Rescue Team as the only recognized technical rescue team (rescue squad) in Fayette County. It allows rescue team members coverage under state liability and workers compensation, and would also allow for possible FEMA reimbursement for expended equipment while on a mutual aid assistance call. There is no cost to the LFUCG and therefore, there is no budgetary impact.

If you have any questions or need any additional information, please contact me at 258-3784.

Attachment

xc: Commissioner Clay Mason, Public Safety
Chief Keith Jackson, Fire
Search and Rescue File