

Fire In the Attic

Discussion

A fire in the attic presents a series of unique challenges for a fire department. Is the fire through the roof, is it impinging on lightweight construction, where was the origin of the fire and how does the company access the fire are among the many initial concerns for companies responding. Using your department SOG's and a guide, determine the best course of action for these fire scenes and discuss the company member functions during these fire incidents.



What is your tactical plan?

Where does the first line go?

Where does the truck company ventilate?

How do you determine if the roof is safe to operate on and under?

What is the risk assessment used here?



Safety Concerns
Fire Location
Building Construction
Access to Fire
Personal Protective Clothing

Tool Assignments
Officer
Firefighter (Nozzleman)
Firefighter (Back-up)
How would you access these fires?

Duties / Responsibilities
Officer
Pump Operator
Firefighter(s)
Incident Command