

New Durham Fire Department Standard Operating Guidelines (SOG)

SOG 202 Incident Command System (ICS)

PURPOSE: To effectively manage personnel and equipment resources and to provide for the safety and welfare of the public and Department members.

SCOPE: All Department members, all incidents.

SPECIFICS:
The Incident Command System(ICS) shall be used for all incidents following the National Incident Management System (NIMS, March 4, 2004) guidelines. Each incident shall be managed by the first arriving ranking member until that responsibility is delegated to a more qualified person.

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