



CONNECTICUT STATE FIREFIGHTERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

December 9, 2009

Senator Toni Harp
Representative John Geragosian
Members of the Appropriations Committee

I am Ted Schroll, Legislative Representative for the Connecticut State Firefighters Association. Our Association represents approximately 26,000 career and volunteer firefighters in the State of Connecticut.

I am here today to request that you do not follow Governor Rell's proposed Deficit Mitigation Plan For Fiscal Year 2010, dated November 24, 2009. In that plan it has been requested to decrease funding for Firefighter Training, operating expenses for the 9 Regional Fire Schools, and supplemental payments to Volunteer Fire Companies by 25%. This decrease is on top of the 5% Rescission to these same accounts on November 5, 2009. These reductions will be devastating to these accounts.

These Regional Fire Schools are the Education system primarily for volunteer firefighters. These funds are mainly used to operate these schools. They pay for the heat, electricity, phones, data collection, etc., that allow these schools to train firefighters. Most of today's volunteer firefighters get their entry level Firefighter 1 training through these schools.

These reductions amount to approximately \$450,000; a very small amount in the total State budget system. However, since the Commission on Fire Prevention & Control is a very small State agency, these 30% cuts will be devastating.

Please do not allow these cuts to be implemented.

Respectfully,

Ted Schroll Jr., Legislative Representative
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FY10 NOVEMBER 5th RESCISSIONS

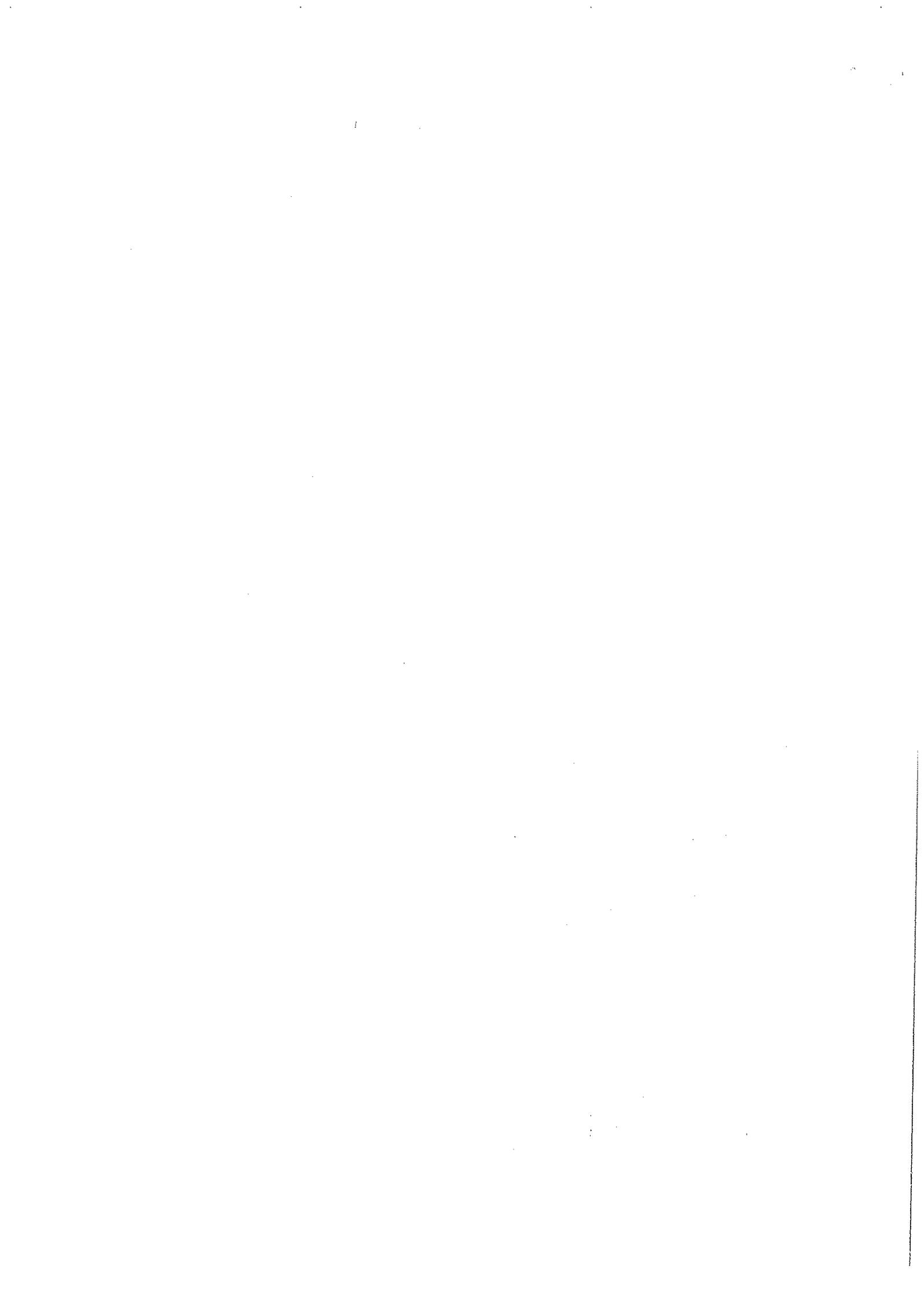
General Fund	Proposed Rescission
Department of Public Safety	26,751
Personal Services	25,000
Equipment	5
Civil Air Patrol	1,746
Police Standards & Training Council	5
Equipment	5
Board of Firearms Permit Examiners	5
Equipment	5
Military Department	5
Equipment	5
Comm on Fire Prevention & Control	74,171
Equipment	5
Firefighter Training I	25,263
Fire Training School - Willimantic	8,090
Fire Training School - Torrington	4,068
Fire Training School - New Haven	2,418
Fire Training School - Derby	1,857
Fire Training School - Wolcott	5,008
Fire Training School - Fairfield	3,520
Fire Training School - Hartford	8,467
Fire Training School - Middletown	2,953
Payments to Volunteer Fire Companies	9,750
Fire Training School - Stamford	2,772
Department of Consumer Protection	250,005
Personal Services	250,000
Equipment	5
Department of Labor	184,488
Equipment	5
Connecticut's Youth Employment Program	75,000
Opportunity Industrial Centers	25,000
Individual Development Accounts	5,000
STRIDE	13,500
Connecticut Career Resource Network	7,483
21st Century Jobs	22,500
Incumbent Worker Training	22,500
STRIVE	13,500
Office of Victim Advocate	5
Equipment	5
Comm-Human Rights & Opportunities	5
Equipment	5
Office of Protection and Advocacy	7,969
Other Expenses	7,964
Equipment	5

DEFICIT MITIGATION PLAN

Program Reductions Requiring Legislation

amounts shown are net of any impact to federal reimbursements, where applicable

44.) DSS - Children's Trust Fund - Suspend Funding for Nurturing Families Network Non-Hospital Sites	(\$1,759,560)
45.) DSS - Close Intake to Transitional Rental Assistance Program	(\$323,000)
46.) DSS - Eliminate Coverage of Eyeglasses for Adults Under Medicaid	(\$704,183)
47.) DSS - Eliminate Coverage of Most Over-the-Counter Drugs	(\$900,000)
48.) DSS - Eliminate Funding for Teen Pregnancy Prevention Added During FY08 / FY09 Biennium	(\$100,000)
49.) DSS - Eliminate Funding for Transportation for Employment Independence	(\$1,494,725)
50.) DSS - Eliminate New Funding for Citizenship Training	(\$100,000)
51.) DSS - Eliminate Non-Emergency Dental Services for Adults under Medicaid and SAGA	(\$4,100,000)
52.) DSS - Eliminate Payment of SSI Attorney Fees	(\$100,000)
53.) DSS - Expand Preferred Drug List to Include All Mental Health Drugs	(\$110,000)
54.) DSS - Freeze Enrollment in the Charter Oak Health Plan	(\$1,800,000)
55.) DSS - Impose Co-Payments under Medicaid	(\$1,000,000)
56.) DSS - Impose HUSKY B Premiums under Band 1	(\$580,000)
57.) DSS - Increase HUSKY B Premiums under Band 2	(\$260,000)
58.) DSS - Reduce Certain Medicaid Provider Rates 5% (2% for Nursing Homes, ICF/MRs and Chronic Disease Hospitals)	(\$14,430,000)
59.) DSS - Reduce DSH-Urban and CCMC Accounts by 25%	(\$5,321,250)
60.) DSS - Reduce Expenditures Under the Alzheimer's Respite Care Program	(\$1,000,000)
61.) DSS - Reduce Non-Entitlement Grant Accounts by 25% - Children's Trust Fund, Day Care Projects, Healthy Start, Human Resource Development (including HRD - Hispanic Programs), Services to the Elderly, Safety Net Services, Services for Persons with Disabilities, Nutrition Assistance, Housing / Homeless Services, Employment Opportunities, Child Day Care, Community Services, Human Services Infrastructure, and Teen Pregnancy Prevention	(\$13,860,069)
62.) DSS - Reduce Support for Independent Living Centers	(\$365,000)
63.) DSS - Repeal Adult Day Care Rate Increases	(\$350,000)
64.) DSS - Revise Medicare Part D Co-Pay Requirements for Dually Eligible	(\$190,000)
65.) DSS - Suspend Elderly Housing Support Services Grant	(\$100,000)
66.) DSS - Suspend Funding for Elderly Services Transportation Initiative, Advocacy Funds for the Brain Injury Association of Connecticut, Children's Health Council, Home Share Program and Senior Center Expansion	(\$932,966)
67.) DSS/DMHAS - Freeze Intake to SAGA	(\$5,200,000)
68.) DSS/DMHAS/Debt Service - Delay Supportive Housing New Starts Until FY11	(\$1,774,000)
69.) FPC - Reduce Grants by 25%	(\$370,826)
70.) OCA - Reduce Staffing by 50%	(\$196,895)
71.) OLM - Eliminate Legislative Commissions	(\$356,000)
72.) OPM - Eliminate Funding for Neighborhood Youth Centers	(\$1,139,391)
73.) OPM - Eliminate Funding for Regional Planning Organizations	(\$149,900)
74.) OPM - Reduce Carry Forward Funding for Operation Fuel for 150-200% FPL	(\$2,000,000)
75.) OPM - Reduce Funding for Leadership, Education, Athletics in Partnership (LEAP) by 25%	(\$150,639)
76.) OSC - Deappropriate Non-Formula State Pilot Funds Grant Increases	(\$500,000)
77.) OSC-Misc. - Reduce Funding for Interstate Environmental Commission	(\$48,782)
78.) OTT - Suspend the Child Care Facilities Loan Fund Program for New Projects	(\$3,500,000)
79.) OWC - Reduce Funding for Grants by 25%	(\$480,000)
80.) SDE - Delay New Early Childhood Learning Funding	(\$600,000)
81.) SDE - Eliminate Non-Formula Charter School Increase	(\$70,000)
82.) SDE - Eliminate Non-Formula ECS Increase	(\$426,769)
83.) SDE - Reduce Funding for Youth Service Bureaus by 25%	(\$892,854)





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FYI-I confirmed with OPM the proposed reductions. As previously noted this requires legislative approval at the tentatively scheduled Special Session on December 15th.

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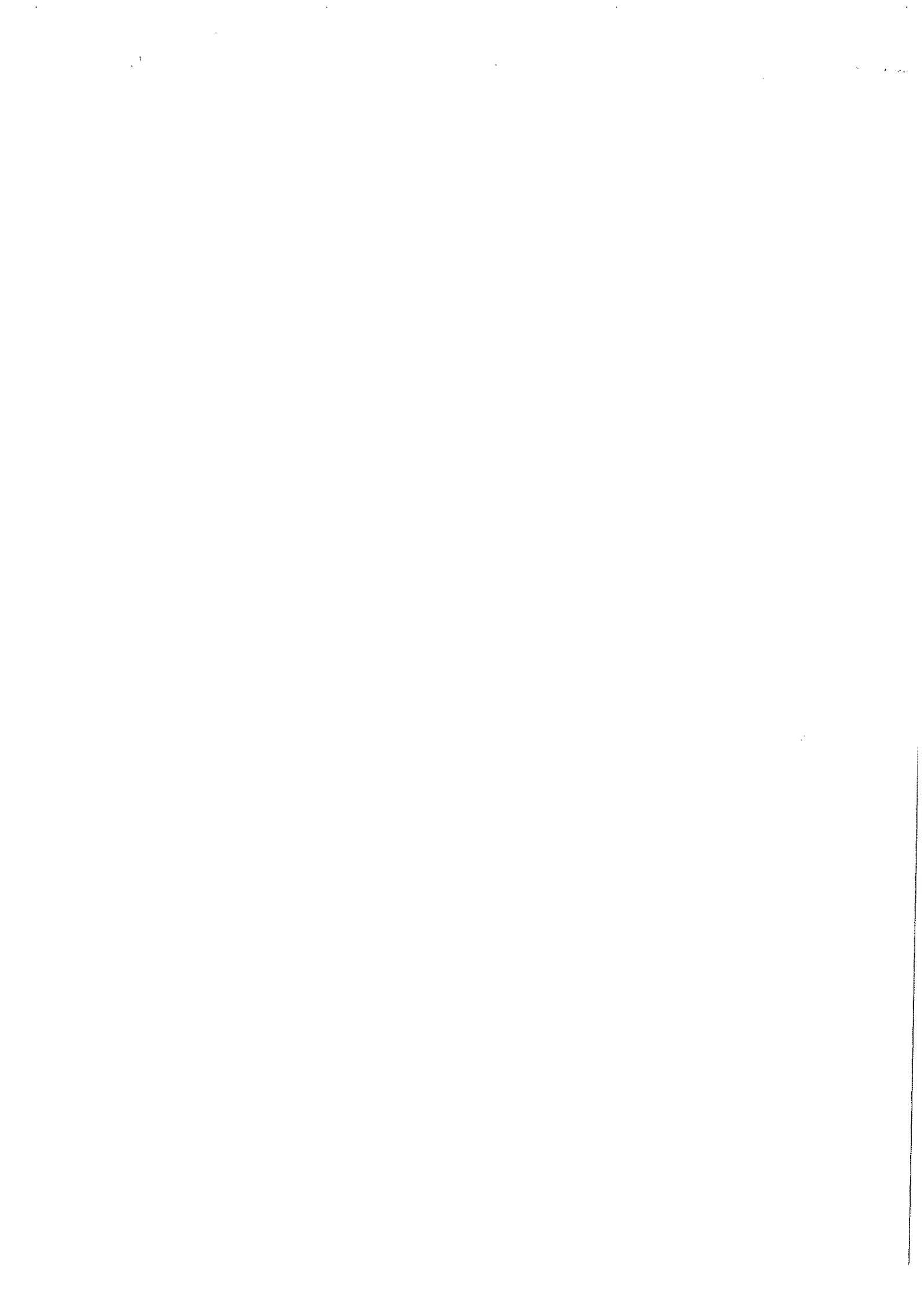
Jeff,

Below are the numbers we used as a 25% reduction in grants:

Firefighter Training I	-126,313
Payments to Volunteer Fire	-48,750
Fire Training School - Willimantic	-40,450
Torrington	-20,342
New Haven	-12,091
Derby	-9,285
Wolcott	-25,041
Fairfield	-17,599
Hartford	-42,334
Middletown	-14,763
Stamford	-13,858
TOTAL	-370,826

Keep in mind this is on top of the 5% rescissions already made.

Let me know if you have further questions. If the above chart did not display properly let me know and I will send as an attachment.



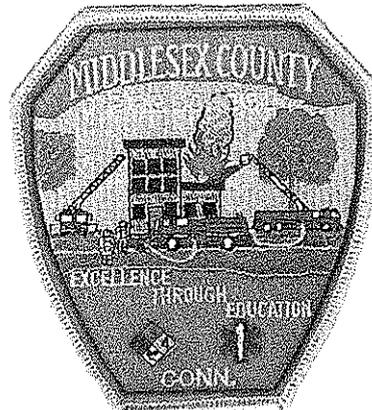
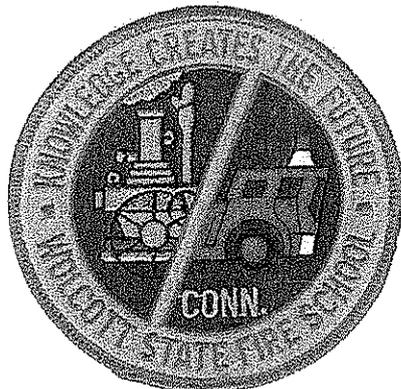
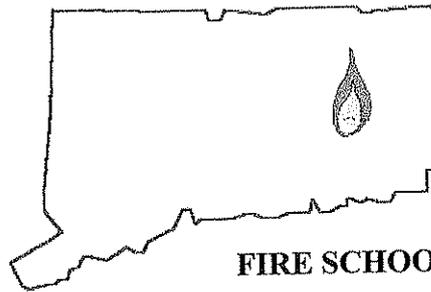
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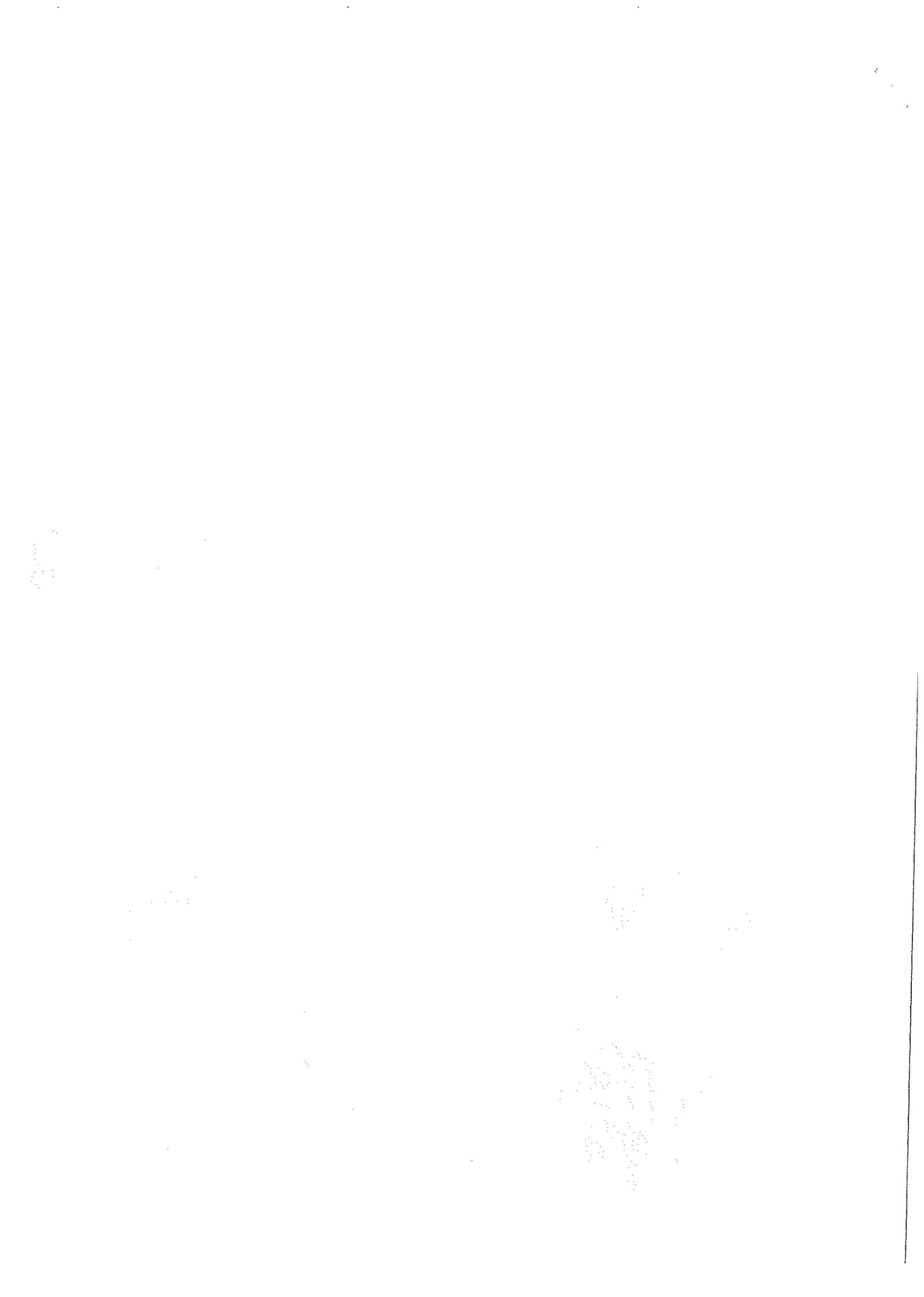


REGIONAL FIRE SCHOOLS OPERATIONS BUDGETS COMMENTS ON PROPOSED RESCISSIONS



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Connecticut State Firefighters Association
Education Committee
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State of Connecticut
General Assembly
Appropriations Committee
December 9, 2009

Honorable Members of the Joint Committee on Appropriations,

A system of regional fire schools in Connecticut has been committed to providing quality, affordable fire service training across our state since as early as the 1940s. These regional fire schools are fulfilling a basic governmental function. Although they receive some funding from the state budget as grants administered by the Commission on Fire Prevention and Control, the balance of their operating funds are attributable to tuition fees from students or client organizations.

Because of the nearly level funding for Regional Fire School operational expenses over the past decade, an increasing percentage of the cost of basic training has been shifted toward a tuition fee. Only recently, over the past few years, has the state grant funding for the Regional Fire Schools been increased appreciably.

Recently proposed rescissions announced by Governor M. Jodi Rell have advocated reductions in these grant funding obligations by thirty percent. These rescissions have been announced half way through the fiscal year. Tuition fees have already been set, and advertised, for this fiscal year and planned course deliveries have been based upon the budget figures contained in the state budget which was approved by the General Assembly. These proposed cuts were discussed at a meeting of the Education Committee on December 3, 2009. **These anticipated budget cuts will close the majority of these regional schools and cause them to cancel previously advertised training programs. Fire departments across the state of Connecticut will be left with few options for training of their firefighters.**

While the funding for training appears once more compromised, the requirements detailed in the National Standard (N.F.P.A. 1001 "Standard for Fire Fighter Professional Qualifications" 2008 Edition) for basic firefighter training continues to require additional subject content, additional contact hours and thus, additional cost. **Regulations of the Connecticut Labor Department mandate that firefighters receive training in all assigned duties. These regulations recognize the training contained in this N.F.P.A. standard, and provided by the regional fire schools as meeting this training requirement.**

Members of the Education Committee as well as leaders of other state fire service organizations implore you not to support these recommended cuts for regional fire school operations.

Please remember that local fire departments are the first responders to all types of local emergencies. Whether fires, automobile accidents, medical emergencies, hazardous materials releases, water emergencies, natural disasters or man made acts of terrorism these dedicated men and women are the first to arrive on the scene to begin to mitigate these emergencies.

With your help the state of Connecticut made great strides with respect to funding for fire service training during the compilation of the last two biennial budgets. Please, don't roll back the clock and take away this funding that is so essential to keep the citizens of this state safe in their communities.

Sincerely,

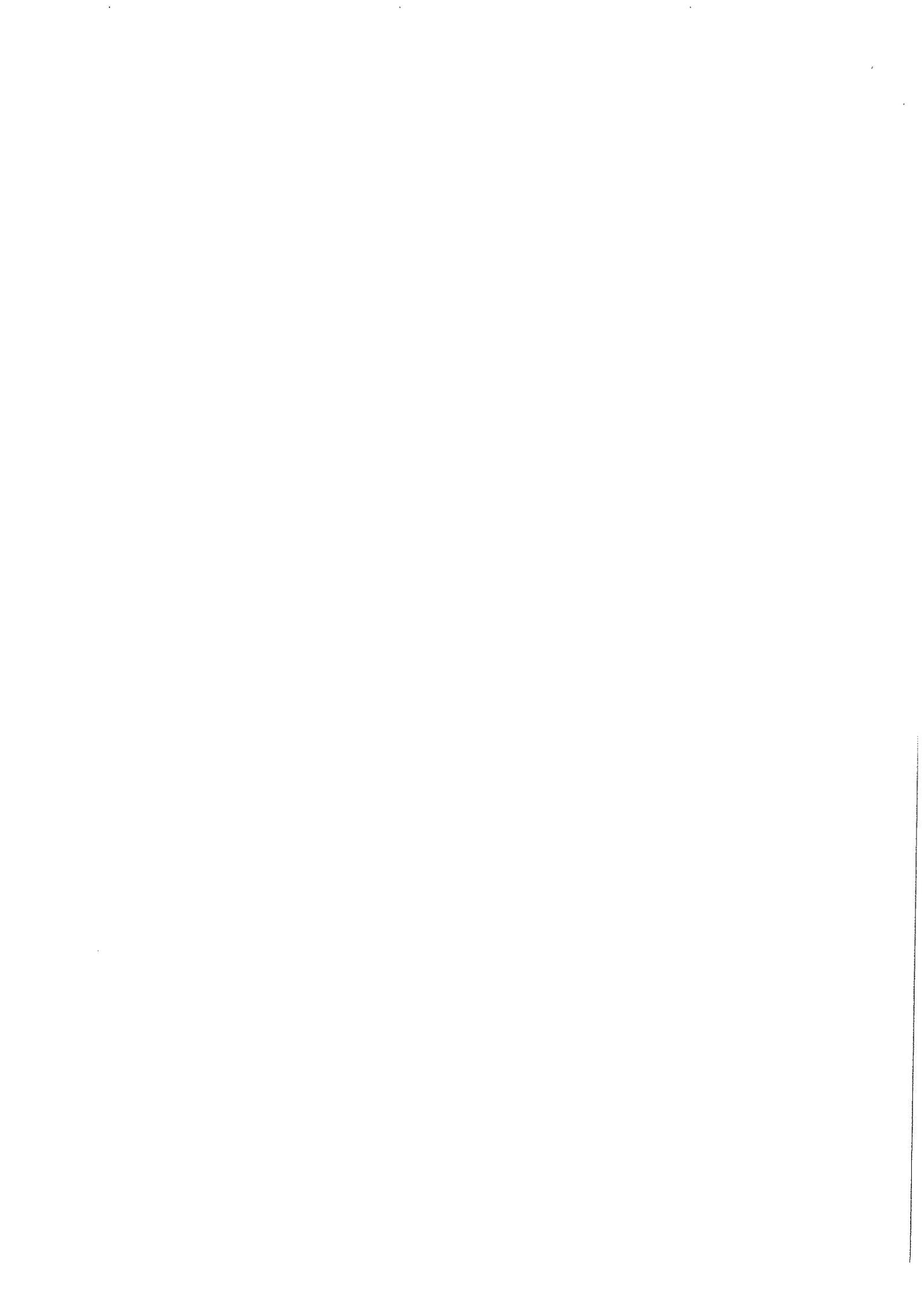


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Connecticut State Firefighters Association
Education Committee
Regional Fire Schools
Operations Budgets
Proposed Rescissions

School	Budget as approved 2006/07	Budget as approved 2007/08	Budget as approved 2008/09	Budget after reduction 2008/09	Budget request 2009/10	Budget as approved 2009/10	Nov. 5 Rescissions 2009/10	Nov. 30 Rescissions 2009/10	After Rescissions What's left 2009/10	Reduction from approved budget	Reduction from requested budget
Fire Training School Torrington	84,250	84,650	85,650	81,368	94,215	81,367	-4,063	-20,342	56,957	30.0%	39.5%
Valley Fire Chiefs Reg. Fire Sch., Derby	38,850	37,956	39,034	37,139	40,658	37,139	-1,857	-9,285	25,997	30.0%	36.1%
Eastern Ct. Fire School, Willimantic	160,537	165,353	170,314	161,798	177,126	161,798	-8,090	-40,450	113,258	30.0%	36.1%
Fairfield Regional Fire School	66,850	124,100	74,100	70,395	77,064	70,395	-3,520	-17,599	49,276	30.0%	36.1%
Hartford County Reg. Fire Sch.	80,985	140,950	178,248	169,336	187,160	169,336	-8,467	-42,334	118,535	30.0%	36.7%
Middlesex Fire School, Middletown	49,260	60,350	62,161	59,052	86,778	59,053	-2,953	-14,763	41,997	30.0%	52.4%
New Haven Regional Fire Academy	43,127	46,750	50,910	48,365	52,946	48,364	-2,418	-12,091	33,855	30.0%	36.1%
Wolcott State Fire School	59,643	102,363	105,434	100,162	133,434	100,162	-5,008	-25,041	70,113	30.0%	47.5%
Stamford Regional Fire School	55,000	56,650	58,350	56,432	60,683	55,432	-2,772	-13,858	38,802	30.0%	36.1%
TOTAL ALL REGIONAL FIRE SCHOOLS	636,482	819,122	824,260	783,047	910,065	783,046	-39,153	-195,763	548,130		



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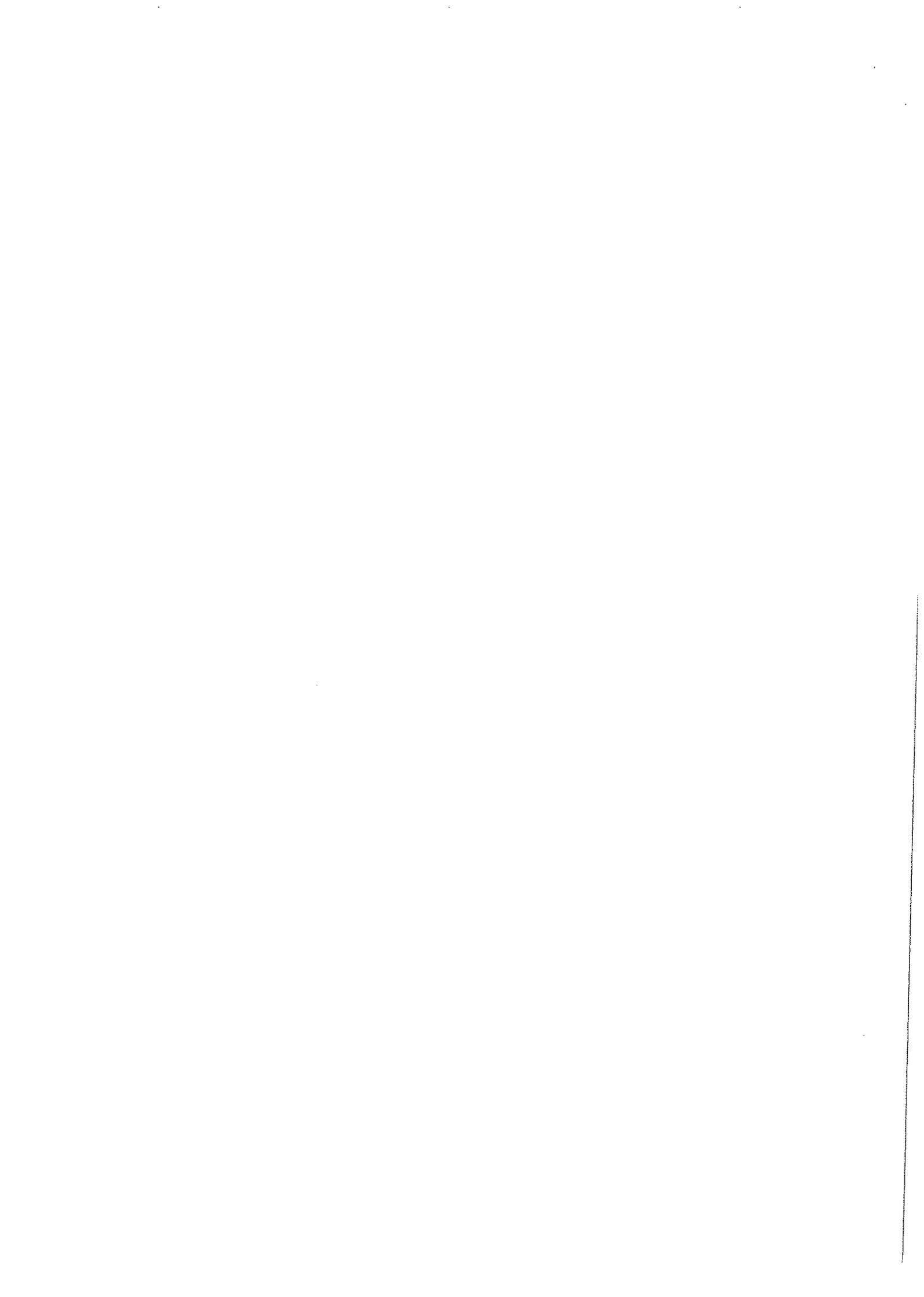
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Connecticut State Firefighters Association Education Committee

Mission Statement

The Education Committee of the Connecticut State Firefighter's Association is made up of representatives from the Regional Fire Schools, The Connecticut State Firefighters Association, the Commission on Fire Prevention and Control and the Connecticut Fire Academy and is organized in a collaborative effort to support the firefighters in the State of Connecticut by:

- **Promoting the regional fire schools as a means of providing fire fighter and fire officer training at the local level;**
- **Supporting the efforts of the Commission on Fire Prevention and Control to provide quality training through the Connecticut Fire Academy;**
- **Developing and promoting short and long range plans for capital improvements to the State's regional fire schools;**
- **Developing recommendations for standardizing the delivery of fire fighter and fire officer certification training at the state's regional fire schools;**
- **Coordinating training initiatives between the regional fire schools and the Connecticut Fire Academy;**
- **Providing a forum for the exchange of ideas relating to fire fighter training in the State.**



**Report by:
Connecticut Commission on Fire Prevention and Control**

Division of Certification

Regional Fire Schools Activity

**Candidates Tested for Certification Levels
Firefighter I and Firefighter II**

BURRVILLE REGIONAL FIRE SCHOOL

2003 Calendar Year

DATE	LOCATION	EXAM	# CANDIDATES
4/26/03	Bridgewater Fire Dept.	FF1 Practical	13
5/6/03	Bridgewater Fire Dept.	FF1 Written	12
6/7/03	Burrville Fire School	FF1 Practical	22
6/8/03	Burrville Fire School	FF2 Practical	10
6/16/03	Burrville Fire School	FF1 Written	20
6/16/03	Burrville Fire School	FF2 Written	13
11/15/03	Burrville Fire School	FF1 Practical	17
11/25/03	Burrville Fire School	FF1 Written	16

FF1 Practical Candidates	=	52
FF1 Written Candidates	=	48
FF2 Practical Candidates	=	10
FF2 Written Candidates	=	13
Total Tested at Burrville FS	=	98
Total Tested at Various Locations	=	25

2004 Calendar Year

DATE	LOCATION	EXAM	# CANDIDATES
6/12/04	Burrville Fire School	FF1 Practical	15
6/13/04	Burrville Fire School	FF2 Practical	20
6/23/04	Burrville Fire School	FF1 Written	16
6/23/04	Burrville Fire School	FF2 Written	20
7/3/04	Burrville Fire School	FF1 Practical	20
7/13/04	Falls Village Fire Dept.	FF1 Written	17
11/13/04	Burrville Fire School	FF2 Practical	12
11/30/04	Avon Fire Dept.	FF2 Written	11
12/18/04	Burrville Fire School	FF1 Practical	22
12/29/04	Burrville Fire School	FF1 Written	21

FF1 Practical Candidates	=	57
FF1 Written Candidates	=	54
FF2 Practical Candidates	=	32
FF2 Written Candidates	=	31
Total Tested at Burrville FS	=	146
Total Tested at Various Locations	=	28

BURRVILLE REGIONAL FIRE SCHOOL (PAGE 2)

2005 Calendar Year

DATE	LOCATION	EXAM	# CANDIDATES
6/11/05	Burrville Fire School	FF1 Practical	20
6/21/05	Burrville Fire School	FF1 Written	18
8/13/05	Burrville Fire School	FF1 Practical	20
8/23/05	Northfield Fire Dept.	FF1 Written	22
11/26/05	Burrville Fire School	FF2 Practical	17
12/6/05	Burrville Fire School	FF2 Written	13

FF1 Practical Candidates	=	40
FF1 Written Candidates	=	40
FF2 Practical Candidates	=	17
FF2 Written Candidates	=	13
Total Tested at Burrville FS	=	88
Total Tested at Various Locations	=	22

3-YEAR AVERAGE

FF1	50 per year
FF2	20 per year

EASTERN CT FIREMEN'S TRAINING SCHOOL - WILLIMANTIC

2003 Calendar Year

DATE	LOCATION	EXAM	# CANDIDATES
1/5/03	E. C. F. T. S. - Willimantic	FF2 Practical	25
1/12/03	E. C. F. T. S. - Willimantic	FF2 Written	27
1/19/03	E. C. F. T. S. - Willimantic	FF1 Written	31
1/26/03	E. C. F. T. S. - Willimantic	FF1 Written	29
4/26/03	E. C. F. T. S. - Willimantic	FF1 Practical	30
4/27/03	E. C. F. T. S. - Willimantic	FF2 Practical	19
5/4/03	E. C. F. T. S. - Willimantic	FF1 Written	30
5/4/03	E. C. F. T. S. - Willimantic	FF2 Written	18
6/21/03	E. C. F. T. S. - Willimantic	FF2 Practical	12
6/30/03	Lisbon Fire Dept.	FF2 Written	12

FF1 Practical Candidates	=	61
FF1 Written Candidates	=	59
FF2 Practical Candidates	=	56
FF2 Written Candidates	=	57
Total Tested at ECFTS	=	221
Total Tested at Various Locations	=	12

2004 Calendar Year

DATE	LOCATION	EXAM	# CANDIDATES
1/3/04	E. C. F. T. S. - Willimantic	FF1 Practical	27
1/11/04	E. C. F. T. S. - Willimantic	FF1 Written	26
5/1/04	E. C. F. T. S. - Willimantic	FF1 Practical	26
5/2/04	E. C. F. T. S. - Willimantic	FF2 Practical	15
5/8/04	E. C. F. T. S. - Willimantic	FF1 Written	23
5/8/04	E. C. F. T. S. - Willimantic	FF2 Written	14

FF1 Practical Candidates	=	53
FF1 Written Candidates	=	49
FF2 Practical Candidates	=	15
FF2 Written Candidates	=	14
Total Tested at ECFTS	=	131
Total Tested at Various Locations	=	0

EASTERN CT FIREMEN'S TRAINING SCHOOL – WILLIMANTIC (PAGE 2)

2005 Calendar Year

DATE	LOCATION	EXAM	# CANDIDATES
1/8/05	E. C. F. T. S. - Willimantic	FF1 Practical	31
1/9/05	E. C. F. T. S. - Willimantic	FF2 Practical	20
1/16/05	E. C. F. T. S. - Willimantic	FF1 Written	32
1/16/05	E. C. F. T. S. - Willimantic	FF2 Written	19
4/30/05	E. C. F. T. S. - Willimantic	FF1 Practical	22
5/1/05	E. C. F. T. S. - Willimantic	FF1 Practical	19
5/7/05	E. C. F. T. S. - Willimantic	FF2 Practical	9
5/14/05	E. C. F. T. S. - Willimantic	FF1 Written	39
5/14/05	E. C. F. T. S. - Willimantic	FF2 Written	10

FF1 Practical Candidates	=	72
FF1 Written Candidates	=	71
FF2 Practical Candidates	=	29
FF2 Written Candidates	=	29
Total Tested at ECFTS	=	201
Total Tested at Various Locations	=	0

3-YEAR AVERAGE

FF1	62 per year
FF2	34 per year

FAIRFIELD REGIONAL FIRE SCHOOL

2003 Calendar Year

DATE	LOCATION	EXAM	# CANDIDATES
3/1/03	Fairfield Fire School	FF1 Practical	21
3/2/03	Fairfield Fire School	FF1 Practical	22
3/10/03	Fairfield Fire School	FF1 Written	42
12/14/03	Fairfield Fire School	FF1 Practical	19

FF1 Practical Candidates	=	62
FF1 Written Candidates	=	42
FF2 Practical Candidates	=	0
FF2 Written Candidates	=	0
Total Tested at Fairfield FS	=	104
Total Tested at Various Locations	=	0

2004 Calendar Year

DATE	LOCATION	EXAM	# CANDIDATES
2/14/04	Fairfield Fire School	FF1 Practical	25
2/25/04	Fairfield Fire School	FF1 Written	23
7/10/04	Fairfield Fire School	FF1 Practical	22
11/13/04	Fairfield Fire School	FF1 Practical	16

FF1 Practical Candidates	=	63
FF1 Written Candidates	=	23
FF2 Practical Candidates	=	0
FF2 Written Candidates	=	0
Total Tested at Fairfield FS	=	86
Total Tested at Various Locations	=	0

FAIRFIELD REGIONAL FIRE SCHOOL (PAGE 2)

2005 Calendar Year

DATE	LOCATION	EXAM	# CANDIDATES
3/12/05	Fairfield Fire School	FF1 Practical	20
4/6/05	Fairfield Fire School	FF1 Written	23
12/3/05	Fairfield Fire School	FF1 Practical	20

FF1 Practical Candidates = 40
FF1 Written Candidates = 23
FF2 Practical Candidates = 0
FF2 Written Candidates = 0
Total Tested at Fairfield FS = 63
Total Tested at Various Locations = 0

3-YEAR AVERAGE

FF1 55 per year
FF2 N/A

HARTFORD COUNTY FIRE SCHOOL AT CONNECTICUT FIRE ACADEMY

2003 Calendar Year

DATE	LOCATION	EXAM	# CANDIDATES
5/10/03	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF1 Practical	33
5/20/03	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF1 Written	32
5/31/03	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF1 Practical	27
6/1/03	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF2 Practical	16
6/10/03	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF1 Written	26
6/14/03	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF2 Practical	11
6/19/03	Avon Fire Dept.	FF2 Written	13
6/24/03	Manchester 8 th Fire Dept.	FF2 Written	11
8/9/03	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF2 Practical	19
8/10/03	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF1 Practical	31
8/14/03	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF1 Written	31
8/14/03	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF2 Written	18
11/15/03	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF2 Practical	21
11/25/03	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF2 Written	19
12/13/03	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF1 Practical	29
12/16/03	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF1 Written	29

FF1 Practical Candidates	=	120
FF1 Written Candidates	=	118
FF2 Practical Candidates	=	67
FF2 Written Candidates	=	61
Total Tested at CFA	=	342
Total Tested at Various Locations	=	24

**HARTFORD COUNTY FIRE SCHOOL AT CONNECTICUT FIRE ACADEMY
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2004 Calendar Year

DATE	LOCATION	EXAM	# CANDIDATES
4/17/04	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF2 Practical	21
4/27/04	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF2 Written	21
5/15/04	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF1 Practical	18
5/25/04	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF1 Written	17
6/12/04	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF1 Practical	20
6/22/04	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF1 Written	17
8/7/04	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF1 Practical	27
8/12/04	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF1 Written	28
11/14/04	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF2 Practical	18
11/23/04	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF2 Written	17
12/4/04	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF1 Practical	30
12/14/04	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF1 Written	30

FF1 Practical Candidates	=	95
FF1 Written Candidates	=	92
FF2 Practical Candidates	=	39
FF2 Written Candidates	=	38
Total Tested at CFA	=	264
Total Tested at Various Locations	=	0

**HARTFORD COUNTY FIRE SCHOOL AT CONNECTICUT FIRE ACADEMY
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2005 Calendar Year

DATE	LOCATION	EXAM	# CANDIDATES
4/16/05	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF2 Practical	21
4/26/05	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF2 Written	21
5/14/05	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF1 Practical	19
5/24/05	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF1 Written	21
5/28/05	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF1 Practical	21
6/7/05	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF1 Written	25
8/7/05	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF1 Practical	39
8/11/05	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF1 Written	44
11/13/05	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF2 Practical	17
11/22/05	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF2 Written	14
12/10/05	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF1 Practical	30
12/20/05	Connecticut Fire Academy	FF1 Written	28

FF1 Practical Candidates = 109
 FF1 Written Candidates = 118
 FF2 Practical Candidates = 38
 FF2 Written Candidates = 35
 Total Tested at CFA = 300
 Total Tested at Various Locations = 0

3-YEAR AVERAGE

FF1 108 per year
 FF2 48 per year

MIDDLESEX COUNTY FIRE SCHOOL

2003 Calendar Year

DATE	LOCATION	EXAM	# CANDIDATES
11/22/03	Westbrook Fire Dept.	FF2 Practical	9
11/23/03	Cromwell Fire Dept.	FF1 Practical	21
12/11/03	Cromwell Fire Dept.	FF1 Written	9

FF1 Practical Candidates	=	21
FF1 Written Candidates	=	9
FF2 Practical Candidates	=	9
FF2 Written Candidates	=	0
Total Tested at M.C.F.S.	=	0
Total Tested at Various Locations	=	39

2004 Calendar Year

DATE	LOCATION	EXAM	# CANDIDATES
4/10/04	M. C. F. S - Middletown	FF1 Practical	17
4/17/04	Cromwell Fire Dept.	FF2 Written	16
4/21/04	Portland Fire Dept.	FF1 Written	14
4/25/04	M. C. F. S - Middletown	FF2 Practical	19
12/4/04	M. C. F. S - Middletown	FF1 Practical	17
12/11/04	M. C. F. S - Middletown	FF1 Practical	10
12/12/04	Wallingford Fire Dept.	FF1 Practical	22
12/18/04	East Haddam Fire Dept.	FF1 Written	9
12/18/04	North Haven Fire Dept.	FF1 Written	20

FF1 Practical Candidates	=	66
FF1 Written Candidates	=	43
FF2 Practical Candidates	=	19
FF2 Written Candidates	=	16
Total Tested at M.C.F.S.	=	63
Total Tested at Various Locations	=	81

MIDDLESEX COUNTY FIRE SCHOOL (PAGE 2)

2005 Calendar Year

DATE	LOCATION	EXAM	# CANDIDATES
1/9/05	M. C. F. S - Middletown	FF1 Practical	8
6/4/05	M. C. F. S - Middletown	FF1 Practical	10
6/4/05	M. C. F. S - Middletown	FF2 Practical	10
6/9/05	Westfield Fire Dept.	FF1 Written	9
6/9/05	Westfield Fire Dept.	FF2 Written	8
12/11/05	Cromwell Fire Dept.	FF1 Practical	21
12/17/05	Wallingford Fire Dept.	FF1 Practical	20
12/21/05	Cromwell Fire Dept.	FF1 Written	21
12/28/05	North Haven Fire Dept.	FF1 Written	18

FF1 Practical Candidates = 59
 FF1 Written Candidates = 48
 FF2 Practical Candidates = 10
 FF2 Written Candidates = 8
 Total Tested at M.C.F.S. = 28
 Total Tested at Various Locations = 97

3-YEAR AVERAGE

FF1 49 per year
 FF2 13 per year

NEW HAVEN REGIONAL FIRE ACADEMY

2003 Calendar Year

DATE	LOCATION	EXAM	# CANDIDATES
4/26/03	New Haven Fire School	FF1 Practical	25
5/3/03	New Haven Fire School	FF1 Written	24
5/10/03	New Haven Fire School	FF2 Practical	29
5/17/03	New Haven Fire School	FF2 Written	29
11/23/03	New Haven Fire School	FF2 Practical	15
12/10/03	New Haven Fire School	FF2 Written	14

FF1 Practical Candidates	=	25
FF1 Written Candidates	=	24
FF2 Practical Candidates	=	44
FF2 Written Candidates	=	43
Total Tested at New Haven FS	=	136
Total Tested at Various Locations	=	0

2004 Calendar Year

DATE	LOCATION	EXAM	# CANDIDATES
5/1/04	New Haven Fire School	FF1 Practical	17
5/8/04	New Haven Fire School	FF1 Written	16
5/15/04	New Haven Fire School	FF2 Practical	13
5/22/04	New Haven Fire School	FF2 Written	13

FF1 Practical Candidates	=	17
FF1 Written Candidates	=	16
FF2 Practical Candidates	=	13
FF2 Written Candidates	=	13
Total Tested at New Haven FS	=	59
Total Tested at Various Locations	=	0

NEW HAVEN REGIONAL FIRE ACADEMY (PAGE 2)

2005 Calendar Year

DATE	LOCATION	EXAM	# CANDIDATES
2/2/05	New Haven Fire School	FF1 Practical	14
2/9/05	New Haven Fire School	FF1 Written	16
5/7/05	New Haven Fire School	FF1 Practical	12
5/14/05	New Haven Fire School	FF1 Written	11
5/21/05	New Haven Fire School	FF2 Practical	13
6/4/05	New Haven Fire School	FF1 Practical	22
6/4/05	New Haven Fire School	FF2 Written	13

FF1 Practical Candidates = 48
 FF1 Written Candidates = 27
 FF2 Practical Candidates = 13
 FF2 Written Candidates = 13
 Total Tested at New Haven FS = 101
 Total Tested at Various Locations = 0

3-YEAR AVERAGE

FF1 30 per year
 FF2 23 per year

VALLEY FIRE CHIEFS' TRAINING SCHOOL – DERBY

2003 Calendar Year

No testing was done at Valley Fire School for 2003 – Utilized other locations

DATE	LOCATION	EXAM	# CANDIDATES
6/8/03	Fairfield Fire School	FF1 Practical	27
6/26/03	Seymour Fire Dept.	FF1 Written	27
8/2/03	New Haven Fire School	FF1 Practical	27
8/14/03	Woodbridge Fire Dept.	FF1 Written	26
12/13/03	West Redding Fire Dept.	FF2 Practical	12
12/14/03	Beacon Hose Fire Dept.	FF2 Practical	20
12/17/03	West Redding Fire Dept.	FF2 Written	12
12/18/03	Beacon Hose Fire Dept.	FF2 Written	20

FF1 Practical Candidates	=	54
FF1 Written Candidates	=	53
FF2 Practical Candidates	=	32
FF2 Written Candidates	=	32
Total Tested at Valley Fire School	=	0
Total Tested at Various Locations	=	171

2004 Calendar Year

No testing was done at Valley Fire School for 2004 – Utilized other locations

DATE	LOCATION	EXAM	# CANDIDATES
6/13/04	Fairfield Fire School	FF1 Practical	32
6/24/04	Orange Fire Dept.	FF1 Written	30
8/1/04	Fairfield Fire School	FF1 Practical	33
8/12/04	Hilltop Hose Fire Dept.	FF1 Written	35

FF1 Practical Candidates	=	65
FF1 Written Candidates	=	65
Total Tested at Valley Fire School	=	0
Total Tested at Various Locations	=	130

VALLEY FIRE CHIEFS' TRAINING SCHOOL – DERBY (PAGE 2)

2005 Calendar Year

No testing was done at Valley Fire School for 2005 – Utilized other locations

DATE	LOCATION	EXAM	# CANDIDATES
6/12/05	New Haven Fire School	FF1 Practical	31
6/30/05	Oxford Center Fire Dept.	FF1 Written	35
7/10/05	Southbury Fire Dept.	FF2 Practical	14
7/21/05	Southbury Fire Dept.	FF2 Written	10
8/28/05	New Haven Fire School	FF1 Practical	20
9/7/05	Great Hill Hose – Seymour	FF1 Written	17

FF1 Practical Candidates	=	51
FF1 Written Candidates	=	52
FF2 Practical Candidates	=	14
FF2 Written Candidates	=	10
Total Tested at Valley Fire School	=	0
Total Tested at Various Locations	=	127

3-YEAR AVERAGE

FF1 57 per year
 FF2 23 per year* (based on two years because Valley Fire School did not have any FF2 testing in 2004).

WOLCOTT STATE FIRE SCHOOL

2003 Calendar Year

DATE	LOCATION	EXAM	# CANDIDATES
5/10/03	Terryville Fire Dept.	FF2 Practical	17
5/17/03	Wolcott Fire School	FF1 Practical	28
5/19/03	Wolcott Fire School	FF2 Written	25
5/22/03	Terryville Fire Dept.	FF1 Written	26
12/13/03	Watertown Fire Dept.	FF1 Written	30
12/20/03	Wolcott Fire School	FF1 Practical	24

FF1 Practical Candidates	=	52
FF1 Written Candidates	=	56
FF2 Practical Candidates	=	17
FF2 Written Candidates	=	25
Total Tested at Wolcott FS	=	77
Total Tested at Various Locations	=	73

2004 Calendar Year

DATE	LOCATION	EXAM	# CANDIDATES
5/15/04	Terryville Fire Dept.	FF2 Practical	13
5/22/04	Wolcott Fire School	FF1 Practical	27
5/24/04	Wolcott Fire School	FF2 Written	17
6/1/04	Terryville Fire Dept.	FF1 Written	24
11/20/04	Wolcott Fire School	FF1 Practical	32

FF1 Practical Candidates	=	59
FF1 Written Candidates	=	24
FF2 Practical Candidates	=	13
FF2 Written Candidates	=	17
Total Tested at Wolcott FS	=	76
Total Tested at Various Locations	=	37

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2005 Calendar Year

DATE	LOCATION	EXAM	# CANDIDATES
5/21/05	Wolcott Fire School	FF1 Practical	16
6/7/05	Terryville Fire Dept.	FF1 Written	15
11/12/05	Wolcott Fire School	FF1 Practical	33
11/19/05	Wolcott Fire School	FF2 Practical	35
11/22/05	Wolcott Fire School	FF1 Written	33
11/29/05	Wolcott Fire School	FF2 Written	33

FF1 Practical Candidates = 49
FF1 Written Candidates = 48
FF2 Practical Candidates = 35
FF2 Written Candidates = 33
Total Tested at Wolcott FS = 150
Total Tested at Various Locations = 15

3-YEAR AVERAGE

FF1 53 per year
FF2 22 per year

REGIONAL FIRE SCHOOLS ACTIVITY

TOTAL CANDIDATES TESTED

2003

FF1	856
FF2	466
Total	1322

2004

FF1	841
FF2	260
Total	1101

2005

FF1	895
FF2	297
Total	1192

GRAND TOTAL FOR 3 YEARS

FF1	2592
FF2	1023
Total	3615