

IRA TOWNSHIP FIRE DEPARTMENT

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The mission of the Ira Township Fire Department is teamwork with a commitment to excellence, the preservation of life and property, to provide emergency medical services, to educate and rescue citizens, to promote public safety and foster community growth through leadership and actions.

Vision Statement:

The Ira Township Fire Department will recognize that our greatest strength lies in our team approach and our reputation.

We will be dedicated and compassionate professionals who will strive to be the most highly trained, customer focused and technologically advanced fire service organization.

Our Focus:

The Ira Township fire Department exists to provide the community the most rapid and effective fire, rescue and emergency services. Also to provide the appropriate intervention, prevention and community services in an ever changing environment.

Core Values:

To our Residents:

We owe the residents of Ira Township the highest quality of service possible, characterized by responsiveness, integrity, and professionalism.

To our Fire Department:

We owe the Ira Township Fire Department our full commitment and dedication. We will look past our traditional scope of our individual positions and promote teamwork and organizational effectiveness.

The enormous commitment necessary to perform the department's tasks requires excellence of character. We inspire each other through pride in our organization, which is a belief that every action reflects on all the members of this department both past and present.

To Ourselves:

We owe ourselves personal and professional growth. We will continue to seek out new knowledge to greater challenge ourselves and to remain at the leading edge of our profession.

To Each Other:

We owe each other a working environment characterized by respect and trust for each other, and to foster open and honest communication at all levels;

Our Values and Beliefs:

- Integrity
- Teamwork
- Dedication
- Courage
- Respect
- Compassion
- Customer Service

Our Goals:

- Develop an organization to effectively administer and manage the resources of the department.
- To provide the highest level of fire and rescue protection with maximum efficiency within the limits of our resources.
- To promote teamwork, loyalty and respect within the department and the community.
- To never sacrifice the safety of the department members.
- To maintain a high standard of training and education for the department and the community.
- To provide an effective Fire Prevention, Inspection and Public Safety system.