RAPPAHANNOCK COUNTY FIRE and RESCUE ASSOCIATION

NUMBER:

1006

STANDARD OPERATING GUIDELINE

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SUBJECT: IAR Dispatch

EFFECTIVE

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PURPOSE:

To establish a method for identifying the personnel that are responding to the station or scene for an emergency event.

BACKGROUND:

DEFINITIONS:

I Am Responding (IAR) Program used to show available personnel and personnel responding to an emergency incident.

POLICY:

Personnel should utilize IAR to show their response to emergency calls.

Communications may suspend the 5 minute time limit for redispatch if they deem that a crew is enroute to the station from 12 am to 6 am.

If they deem a unit does not have a crew responding to the station they will maintain the 5 minute time limit for that company.

If a unit has not responded that has marked on IAR as having a crew by 8 minutes they shall be redispatched, and have a replacement unit sent in its place.