

OFCA PROFESSIONAL CONSULTING SERVICES



Today, Fire & EMS agencies across Ohio are confronted with a myriad of problems

that often are complex and politically sensitive. The Consulting Division of the OFCA can provide knowledgeable and experienced professionals to help agencies find solutions for their problems and help improve local service delivery.

The Ohio Fire Chiefs' Associations' Consulting Division is your source for:

Strategic and Master Planning

A comprehensive yet thorough study of your community and every aspect of emergency service delivery. Strategies are developed addressing current and future needs.

Organizational Structure Review

Get an analytical examination of your emergency service organization. Areas of review

include operational deployment, staffing models and organizational structure.

Operational Reviews

A complete and analytical review of all aspects of emergency service delivery or select areas, including compliance with codes and standards, training, Administrative policies or operational procedures, fleet replacement, response time analysis, EMS delivery, fire prevention and safety education.

Fire Station Location Analysis

Utilizing the most modern computer software, OFCA can analyze your response area and help determine the optimal location for your new fire station or determine if an existing station(s) needs to be relocated due to growth or annexation.

Fire Station Facility Evaluation

Partnering with a professional architectural firm, a survey and analysis of your fire station facility

can be completed to help determine if your existing facility can be renovated or a new facility should be considered.

Consolidations

Utilizing the experience and expertise of the OFCA, a thorough analysis can be completed that will provide answers to the difficult questions and issues involving consolidation. Whether the consolidation or merger involves separate agencies operating in a cooperative manner, specific service merges, (e.g. fire prevention and training) or a fully merged fire district, OFCA can provide a practical and detailed approach for the involved agencies.

Training

The OFCA can analyze and update your current training program or help implement training in specific areas such as technical rescue and officer development.

Mentoring

Are you a new Chief facing multiple problems? The OFCA mentoring service can help. An experienced Chief from a similar size and type of agency will be matched with the newer Chief to help guide and inform during the transition, providing needed technical assistance or help in establishing relationships within the agency or the community. This service is also available to more experienced Chiefs who also may be facing a specific issue or problem.

SOG Manuals

Having trouble putting together an administrative policy manual or SOG manual? OFCA can help. Our experienced staff can help assemble the necessary documents that are created specifically for your department based on your community and your department's structure.

Customer Service

Implementation and on-going policies and programs.

The OFCA is committed to providing quality service to Ohio's fire service. The OFCA Consulting Division is composed of selected Fire Chiefs from Ohio's Fire Departments with the proven knowledge and experience in their specific area of expertise. These professionals can provide innovative, up-to-date, unbiased, and proven solutions to questions or problems. Whatever your problem or issue, let the OFCA provide you with the answers.



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