FREWSBURG FIRE DISTRICT OPERATIONAL POLICY	Section 7	EMERGENCY OPERATIONS	
	SUBJECT	SPRINKLER OPERATIONS	
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## I. SCOPE

This policy applies to all Frewsburg Fire District members operating at structure fires involving buildings equipped with sprinkler systems.

## II. PURPOSE

This policy serves to familiarize Frewsburg Fire District personnel with all occupancies within the district that are equipped with fixed fire extinguishing systems and establish the procedures to be followed when responding to structure fires at such buildings.

## III. PROCEDURE

- 1. The support of the sprinkler system shall be a high priority for every response to a fire in a sprinklered building.
- 2. The response plan for driver / operators shall include knowledge of the water supply, fire department connection (FDC) locations, and preferred engine and ladder truck placement for all occupancies equipped with fixed fire extinguishing systems.
- **3.** The first due engine shall respond in an initial attack / rescue mode, leaving clear access to the FDC for additional apparatus.
- **4.** The second due engine shall proceed directly to the fire scene, drop a hose to be connected to the sprinkler FDC, and lay the supply line back to the hydrant if available. Firefighters will connect the hose to the FDC. The operator will pump into the FDC at 100 psi until otherwise directed by the Incident Commander.

## IV. SPRINKLERED OCCUPANCIES:

Frewsburg Jr/Sr High School Robert H Jackson Elementary School Frewsburg Rest Home (The Magnolia)