

**CITY of AURORA FIRE DEPT.  
AURORA, COLORADO  
WILDLAND TYPE 6, SVI #1136**

## **PRODUCTION SPECIFICATION**

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**ROCK SOLID QUALITY**

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## **INTERNET IN-PROCESS SITE**

The manufacturer shall post and maintain a website where the Aurora Fire Department will be able to view digital images of their apparatus as its being built. The digital images shall be posted once a week starting when the body begins production or when the cab/chassis arrives and shall continue until the final completion of unit.

## **VEHICLE STABILITY SUPPLIED WITH CAB/CHASSIS**

The cab/chassis shall be equipped with a stability control system. The system shall have, at a minimum, a steering wheel position sensor, a vehicle yaw sensor, a lateral accelerometer and individual wheel brake controls.

## **FIRE APPARATUS PERFORMANCE**

The fire apparatus shall meet the requirements of this standard at elevations of 2000 ft (600 m) above sea level.

The fire apparatus shall meet all the requirements of this standard while stationary on a grade of 10 percent in any direction.

The fire apparatus shall meet the requirements of this standard in ambient temperature conditions between 32°F (0°C) and 110°F (43°C).

## **HIGHWAY PERFORMANCE**

The apparatus, when loaded to its estimated in-service weight, shall be capable of the following performance while on dry, paved roads that are in good condition:

- 1) From a standing start, the apparatus shall be able to attain a speed of 35 mph (55 km/hr) within 25 seconds on a level road.
- 2) The apparatus shall be able to attain a minimum top speed of 50 mph (80 km/hr) on a level road.
- 3) The apparatus shall be able to maintain a speed of at least 20 mph (32 km/hr) on any grade up to and including 6 percent.

The maximum top speed of fire apparatus with a GVWR over 33,000 lb (11,800 kg) shall not exceed 68 mph (105 km/hr) or the manufacturer's maximum fire service speed rating for the tires installed on the apparatus, whichever is lower.

If the combined water tank and foam agent tank capacities on the fire apparatus exceed 1250 gal ( 4732 L), or the GVWR of the vehicle is over 50,000 lb (22,680 kg), the maximum top speed of the apparatus shall not exceed either 60 mph (85 km/hr) or the manufacturer's maximum fire service speed rating for the tires installed on the apparatus, whichever is lower.

The vehicle shall be capable of maneuvering across a 20 percent grade and up and down a 25 percent grade.

## **SERVICEABILITY**

The fire apparatus shall be designed to allow the manufacturer's recommended routine maintenance checks of lubricant and fluid levels to be performed by the operator without lifting the cab of a tilt-cab apparatus or without the need for hand tools.

Where special tools are required for routine service on any component of the apparatus, such tools shall be provided with the apparatus.

Apparatus components that interfere with repair or removal of other major components shall be attached with fasteners, such as cap screws and nuts, so that the components can be removed and installed with ordinary hand tools. These components shall not be welded or otherwise permanently secured into place.

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## WILDLAND DOCUMENTATION

The contractor shall supply, at the time of delivery, at least one (1) copy of the following documents:

1. The manufacturer's record of apparatus construction details, including the following information:
  - (a) Owner's name and address
  - (b) Apparatus manufacturer, model, and serial number
  - (c) Chassis make, model, and serial number
  - (d) GAWR of front and rear axles and GVWR
  - (e) Front tire size and total rated capacity in pounds (kilograms)
  - (f) Rear tire size and total rated capacity in pounds (kilograms)
  - (g) Chassis weight distribution in pounds (kilograms) with water and manufacturer-mounted equipment (front and rear)
  - (h) For each engine: make, model, serial number, rated horsepower and related speed, and governed speed; and if so equipped, engine transmission PTO(s) make, model, and gear ratio
  - (i) Type of fuel and fuel tank capacity
  - (j) Electrical system voltage and alternator output in amps
  - (k) Battery make, model, and capacity in cold cranking amps (CCA)
  - (l) Chassis transmission make, model, and serial number; and if so equipped, chassis transmission PTO(s) make, model, and gear ratio
  - (m) Ratios of all driving axles
  - (n) Maximum governed road speed
  - (o) For each pump: make, model, rated capacity in gallons per minute (liters per minute where applicable), and serial number
  - (p) For each pump transmission: make, model, serial number, and gear ratio
  - (q) Reserved
  - (r) Water tank certified capacity in gallons or liters
  - (s) Reserved
  - (t) Paint manufacturer and paint number(s)
  - (u) Company name and signature of responsible company representative
  - (v) Weight documents from a certified scale showing actual loading on the front axle, rear axle(s), and overall fire apparatus (with water tank full but without personnel, equipment, and hose)
2. Certification of compliance of the optical warning system
3. Siren manufacturer's certification of siren
4. Written load analysis and results of the electrical system performance tests
5. Certification of slip resistance of all stepping, standing, and walking surfaces
6. The wildland fire pump manufacturer's certification of suction capability
7. If special conditions are specified by the purchaser of the wildland fire pump, the pump manufacturer's certification of suction capacity under the special conditions
8. A copy of the apparatus manufacturer's approval for stationary pumping applications of the wildland fire pump
9. For each pump, the pump manufacturer's certification of the hydrostatic test
10. For each pump, the certification of inspection and test for the pump
11. The certification of water tank capacity
12. If the apparatus has a foam proportioning system, the foam proportioning system manufacturer's certification of accuracy and the final installer's certification that the foam proportioning system meets this standard
13. If the system has a CAFS, the documentation of the manufacturer's pre delivery tests
14. If the apparatus has a line voltage power source, the certification of the test for the power source (*see NFPA 1901, Standard for Automotive Fire Apparatus, 22.15.7.2*)
15. If the apparatus is equipped with an air system, air tank certificates (*see NFPA 1901, 24.5.1.2*), the SCBA fill station certification (*see NFPA 1901, 24.9.7*), and the results of the testing of the air system installation (*see NFPA 1901, 24.14.5 and NFPA 1901, 24.15.4*)

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16. Certification of vehicle side slope stability, including the weight distribution assumed for the calculations or as loaded on the vehicle for the tilt table test
17. Any other required manufacturer test data or reports

## **OPERATIONS AND SERVICE DOCUMENTATION**

The contractor shall deliver with the fire apparatus complete operation and service documentation covering the completed apparatus as delivered and accepted.

The documentation shall address at least the inspection, service, and operations of the fire apparatus and all major components thereof.

The contractor shall also deliver with the fire apparatus the following documentation for the entire apparatus and each major operating system or major component of the apparatus:

- 1) Manufacturer's name and address
- 2) Country of manufacture
- 3) Source for service and technical information
- 4) Parts replacement information
- 5) Descriptions, specifications, and ratings of the chassis, pump (if applicable), and aerial device (if applicable)
- 6) Wiring diagrams for low voltage and line voltage systems to include the following information:
  - a) Pictorial representations of circuit logic for all electrical components and wiring
  - b) Circuit identification
  - c) Connector pin identification
  - d) Zone location of electrical components
  - e) Safety interlocks
  - f) Alternator–battery power distribution circuits
  - g) Input/output assignment sheets or equivalent circuit logic implemented in multiplexing systems
- 7) Lubrication charts
- 8) Operating instructions for the chassis, any major components such as a pump or aerial device, and any auxiliary systems
- 9) Precautions related to multiple configurations of aerial devices, if applicable
- 10) Instructions regarding the frequency and procedure for recommended maintenance
- 11) Overall apparatus operating instructions
- 12) Safety considerations
- 13) Limitations of use
- 14) Inspection procedures
- 15) Recommended service procedures
- 16) Troubleshooting guide
- 17) Apparatus body, chassis and other component manufacturer's warranties
- 18) Special data required by this standard
- 19) A material safety data sheet (MSDS) for any fluid that is specified for use on the apparatus

The contractor shall deliver with the apparatus all manufacturer's operations and service documents supplied with components and equipment that are installed or supplied by the contractor.

## **NFPA REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION FORMAT - USB FLASH DRIVE**

The vehicle construction details and the operations and service documentation as required per NFPA 1901 latest edition shall be provided on a USB Flash Drive. These manuals shall be divided into sections for ease of reference. There shall be two (2) USB flash drives provided with the completed vehicle.

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## **FIRE APPARATUS SAFETY GUIDE**

A Fire Apparatus Safety Guide published by Fire Apparatus manufacturer's Association shall be provided with delivered vehicle. This manual includes essential safety information for fire fighters, fire chiefs, apparatus mechanics, and fire department safety officers. The guide is applicable to municipal, wildland, and airport fire fighting apparatus manufactured on either custom or commercial chassis.

## **STATEMENT OF EXCEPTIONS**

The final-stage manufacturer shall deliver with the fire apparatus either a certification that the apparatus fully complies with all requirements of this standard or alternatively, a Statement of Exceptions specifically describing each aspect of the completed apparatus that is not fully compliant with the requirements of this standard at the time of delivery.

The Statement of Exceptions shall contain, for each noncompliant aspect of the apparatus or missing required item, the following information:

- 1) A separate specification of the section of the applicable standard for which compliance is lacking
- 2) A description of the particular aspect of the apparatus that is not in compliance therewith or required equipment that is missing
- 3) A description of the further changes or modifications to the delivered apparatus that must be completed to achieve full compliance
- 4) Identification of the entity that will be responsible for making the necessary post delivery changes or modifications or for supplying and installing any missing required equipment to the apparatus to achieve full compliance with this standard

Prior to or at the time of delivery of the apparatus, the Statement of Exceptions shall be signed by an authorized agent of the entity responsible for final assembly of the apparatus and by an authorized agent of the purchasing entity, indicating mutual understanding and agreement between the parties regarding the substance thereof.

## **CARRYING CAPACITY**

The GAWR and the GCWR or GVWR of the chassis shall be adequate to carry the weight of the completed vehicle when loaded to its estimated in-service weight. The manufacturer shall establish the estimated in service weight during the design of the vehicle.

The estimated in-service weight shall include the following:

1. The chassis, body and tank(s)
2. Full fuel, lubricant, and other chassis or component fluid tanks or reservoirs
3. Full water and other agent tanks
4. \*250 lb (114 kg) in each seating position
5. Fixed equipment such as pumps, aerial devices, generators, reels and air systems as installed
6. Ground ladders, suction hose, designed hose load in their hose beds and on their reels
7. An allowance for miscellaneous equipment that is at least as great as the values shown in table below.
8. If the apparatus is designed to accommodate SCBA, an additional 25 lb. (11.4 kg) per seating position shall be added to the miscellaneous equipment allowance.

The manufacturer shall engineer and design the fire apparatus such that the completed apparatus, when loaded to its estimated in-service weight, with all movable weights distributed as close as is practical to their intended in-service configuration, does not exceed the GVWR.

A final manufacturer's certification of the GVWR or GCWR, along with a certification of each GAWR, shall be supplied on a label affixed to the vehicle.

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The fire apparatus manufacturer shall permanently affix a high-visibility label in a location visible to the driver while seated.

The label shall show the height of the completed unequipped fire apparatus in feet and inches (meters), the length of the completed fire apparatus in feet and inches (meters), and the GVWR in tons (metric tons).

Wording on the label shall indicate that the information shown was current when the apparatus was manufactured and that, if the overall height changes while the vehicle is in service, the fire department must revise that dimension on the plate.

GVWR	Chassis		Storage Area		Equipment Weight		Ground Clearance	
	lb.	kg.	ft.3	m3	lb.	kg.	in.	mm.
Wildland Fire Apparatus	15,000	7,000	20	0.56	200	90	12	300
	15,001 - 20,000	7,001 - 9,000	50	1.42	500	225	13	330
	20,001 - 26,000	9,001 - 12,000	50	1.42	500	225	15	380
	>26,000	>12,000	75	2.12	750	340		
Wildland Mobile Water Supply Fire Apparatus	All	All			200	90		

### TESTING

#### LOW VOLTAGE - ELECTRICAL SYSTEM PERFORMANCE TEST

The vehicles low voltage electrical system shall be tested and certified by the manufacturer. The certified test results shall be delivered with the completed vehicle. Tests shall be performed when the air temperature is between 0°F and 110°F (-18°C and 43°C).

#### TEST SEQUENCE

The following three (3) tests shall be performed in the order in which they appear below. Before each test, the batteries shall be fully charged until the voltage stabilizes at the voltage regulator set point and the lowest charge current is maintained for ten (10) minutes. Failure of any of these tests shall require a repeat of the sequence.

#### 1. RESERVE CAPACITY TEST

The engine shall be started and kept running until the engine and engine compartment temperatures are stabilized at normal operating temperatures and the battery system is fully charged. The engine shall be shut off and the minimum continuous electrical load shall be activated for ten (10) minutes.

All electrical loads shall be turned off prior to attempting to restart the engine. The battery system shall then be capable of restarting the engine. Failure to restart the engine shall be considered a test failure of the battery system.

#### 2. ALTERNATOR PERFORMANCE TEST

##### TEST AT IDLE

The minimum continuous electrical load shall be activated with the engine running at idle speed. The engine temperature shall be stabilized at normal operating temperature. The battery system shall be tested to detect the presence of battery discharge current. The detection of battery discharge current shall be considered a test failure.

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## **TEST AT FULL LOAD**

The total continuous electrical load shall be activated with the engine running up to the engine manufacturer's governed speed. The test duration shall be a minimum of two (2) hours. Activation of the load management system shall be permitted during this test.

An alarm sounded by excessive battery discharge, as detected by the warning system required in 13.3.4, or a system voltage of less than 11.8 V dc for a 12 V nominal system, 23.6 V dc for a 24 V nominal system, or 35.4 V dc for a 42 V nominal system for more than 120 seconds shall be considered a test failure.

## **3. LOW VOLTAGE ALARM TEST**

The following test shall be started with the engine off and the battery voltage at or above 12 V for a 12 V nominal system, 24 V for a 24 V nominal system or 36 V for a 42 V nominal system.

With the engine shut off, the total continuous electrical load shall be activated and shall continue to be applied until the excessive battery discharge alarm activates. The battery voltage shall be measured at the battery terminals.

The test shall be considered a failure if the alarm does not sound in less than 140 seconds after the voltage drops to 11.70 V for a 12 V nominal system, 23.4 V dc for a 24 V nominal system, or 35.1 V for a 42 V nominal system.

The battery system shall then be able to restart the engine. Failure to restart the engine shall be considered a test failure.

## **LOW VOLTAGE - ELECTRICAL SYSTEM PERFORMANCE TEST**

### **DOCUMENTATION**

The manufacturer shall deliver the following with the fire apparatus:

- 1) Documentation of the electrical system performance tests
- 2) A written electrical load analysis, including the following:
  - a) The nameplate rating of the alternator
  - b) The alternator rating
  - c) Each of the component loads specified that make up the minimum continuous electrical load
  - d) Additional electrical loads that, when added to the minimum continuous electrical load, determine the total continuous electrical load
  - e) Each individual intermittent electrical load

Fees: HGAC, Administrative

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## WARRANTY

A full statement shall be provided of the warranties for the vehicle(s) being bid. Warranties should clearly describe the terms under which the vehicle manufacturer accepts responsibility for the cost to repair defects caused by faulty design, quality of work or material and for the applicable period of time after delivery.

Cost of repairs refers to all costs related thereto including, but not limited to, the cost of materials and the cost of labor.

The Body Manufacturer shall warrant all materials and accessories used on the vehicle(s), whether fabricated by manufacturer or purchased from an outside source and will deal directly with the Aurora Fire Department on all warranty work.

## GENERAL LIMITED WARRANTY - TWO (2) YEARS

The vehicle shall be free of defects in material and workmanship for a period of two (2) years or 36,000 miles (or 57,936 kilometers), whichever occurs first starting thirty (30) days after the original invoice date.

The Contractor must be the "single source" coordinator of all warranties on the vehicle.

## LOW VOLTAGE ELECTRICAL WARRANTY - FIVE (5) YEARS

The vehicle low voltage electrical system shall be free of defects in material and workmanship for a period of five (5) years or 60,000 miles (or 96,561 kilometers), whichever occurs first, starting thirty (30) days after the original invoice date.

## STRUCTURAL WARRANTY - TEN (10) YEARS

The body shall be free of structural or design failure or workmanship for a period of ten (10) years, or 100,000 miles (or 160,934 kilometers), whichever occurs first, starting thirty (30) days after the original invoice date.

## UNDERCOAT WARRANTY

The body undercoating shall have a warranty provided by the manufacturer for the lifetime of the vehicle or twenty (20) years, whichever occurs first. The warranty shall be transferable between vehicle owners. Should the undercoating material applied to the underside of the body and wheel wells of the vehicle ever flake off, peel, chip or crack due to drying out, the damaged area shall be re-sprayed without charge to the vehicle owner.

## PAINT LIMITED WARRANTY - TEN (10) YEARS

The body shall be free of bubbling or peeling as a result of a defect in the method of manufacture for a period of ten (10) years or 100,000 miles (or 160,934 kilometers), whichever occurs first, starting thirty (30) days after the original invoice date. **Pro-rated warranties will not be acceptable.**

## GRAPHICS LIMITED WARRANTY

The 3M graphics installation shall be warranted for a period of two (2) years. The 3M materials installed on completed vehicle shall be warranted for seven (7) years. The 3M Diamond grade film (if specified) shall be warranted for ten (10) years.



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## **CONSTRUCTION PERIOD**

The completed vehicle shall be delivered within four hundred (400) days after receipt of a purchase order or contract.

Contractor shall not be held liable for delays of chassis delivery due to accidents, strikes, floods or other events not subject to their control. Contractor shall provide immediate written notice to Aurora Fire Department as to delays and to what extent these delays have in completing vehicle within the stated construction time period.

## **OVERALL HEIGHT REQUIREMENT**

There is no overall height (OAH) restriction for this vehicle.

## **OVERALL LENGTH REQUIREMENT**

There is no overall length (OAL) restriction for this vehicle.

## **OVERALL WIDTH**

The overall width (OAW) of the body at drip rails shall be 97.5" (8' - 1 1/2"), and body shall be 95" (7' - 11").

## **ANGLE OF APPROACH**

The angle of approach for this vehicle shall not be less than twenty (20) degrees when it is loaded to the estimated in-service weight as specified by the current edition of NFPA 1906.

## **ANGLE OF DEPARTURE**

The angle of departure for this vehicle shall not be less than twenty (20) degrees when it is loaded to the estimated in-service weight as specified by the current edition of NFPA 1906.

## **PRE-CONSTRUCTION CONFERENCE**

A pre-construction conference shall be required at the Contractor's factory for four (4) personnel from the Aurora Fire Department to finalize all construction details prior to manufacturing.

The Contractor shall at his/her expense, provide transportation, lodging, rental car and meal expenses during the pre-construction conference. Any travel distance greater than 250 miles shall be by non-stop commercial air travel.

## **FINAL INSPECTION CONFERENCE**

A final inspection conference shall be required at the Contractor's factory for four (4) personnel from the Aurora Fire Department to inspect the vehicle and construction details prior to shipment of the completed vehicle. This inspection shall take place after any specified striping and lettering is installed.

The Contractor shall at his/her expense, provide transportation, lodging, rental car and meal expenses during the final inspection conference. Any travel distance greater than 250 miles shall be by non-stop commercial air travel.

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## DELIVERY AND DEMONSTRATION

The Contractor shall be responsible for the delivery of the completed unit to the Aurora Fire Department's location. On initial delivery of the apparatus, the Contractor shall supply a qualified representative to demonstrate the apparatus and provide initial instruction to representatives of the Aurora Fire Department regarding the operation, care and maintenance of the apparatus and equipment supplied at Aurora Fire Department location.

The Delivery Engineer shall set delivery and instruction schedule with the person appointed by Aurora Fire Department.

After delivery of the apparatus, the Aurora Fire Department shall be responsible for ongoing training of its personnel to proficiency regarding the proper and safe use of the apparatus and associated equipment.

CHASSIS

## CAB CHASSIS SPECIFICATIONS

### **Base Vehicle**

W5H Ford F550 XL, 4-Door Crew Cab, 4 x 4

### **Packages**

660A Order Code 660A

*Includes:*

- *Transmission: TorqShift 10-Speed Automatic Includes selectable drive modes: normal, tow/haul, eco and deep sand/snow.*
- *Tires: 225/70Rx19.5G BSW A/P*
- *Wheels: 19.5" Argent Painted Steel*
- *Radio: AM/FM Stereo w/MP3 Player Includes 6 speakers.*
- *SYNC Communications & Entertainment System Includes enhanced voice recognition, 911 Assist, 4.2" LCD center stack screen, AppLink, 1 smart-charging USB-C port and steering wheel audio controls.*

### **Powertrain**

99T Engine: 6.7L 4V OHV Power Stroke V8 Turbo Diesel B20

*Includes Diesel Exhaust Fluid (DEF) tank, intelligent oil-life monitor and manual push-button engine-exhaust braking.*

*Includes:*

- *Dual 78-AH 750 CCA Batteries*

44G Transmission: TorqShift 10-Speed Automatic

*Includes selectable drive modes: normal, tow/haul, eco and deep sand/snow.*

X8L Limited Slip w/4.88 Axle Ratio

68M GVWR: 19,500 lb Payload Plus Upgrade Package

*Includes upgraded frame, rear-axle and low deflection/high capacity springs. Increases max RGAWR to 14,706.*

### **Wheels & Tires**

TGK Tires: 225/70Rx19.5G BSW Traction (TGK)

*Includes 4 traction tires on the rear and 2 traction tires on the front. Not recommended for over the road applications; could incur irregular front tire wear and/or NVH.*

64Z Wheels: 19.5" Argent Painted Steel

512 Spare Tire, Wheel & Jack

### **Seats & Seat Trim**

A Vinyl 40/20/40 Split Bench Seat, Cloth 60-40 Folding Rear Split-Bench Seat

*Includes center armrest, cupholder, storage and driver's side manual lumbar.*

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## Other Options

PAINT Monotone Paint Application

90L Power Equipment Group

*Deletes passenger side lock cylinder. Includes upgraded door-trim panel.*

*Includes:*

*- Accessory Delay*

*- Advanced Security Pack*

*Includes SecuriLock Passive Anti-Theft System (PATs) and inclination/intrusion sensors.*

*- Trailer Tow Mirrors w/Power Heated Glass*

*Includes manual telescoping, heated convex spotter mirror and integrated clearance lamps/turn signals.*

*- MyKey*

*Includes owner controls feature.*

*- Power Front & Rear Side Windows*

*Includes 1-touch up/down driver/passenger window.*

*- Power Locks*

*- Remote Keyless Entry*

213 4x4 Electronic-Shift-On-The-Fly (ESOF)

41H Engine Block Heater

41P Transfer Case Skid Plates

61J 6-Ton Hydraulic Jack

62R Transmission Power Take-Off Provision

*Includes transmission mounted live drive and stationary mode PTO.*

98R Operator Commanded Regeneration (OCR)

67B 397 Amp Alternators

43C 110V/400W Outlet

## Fleet Options

47J Fire/Rescue Prep Pkg w/EPA Special Emissions (LPO)

Requires valid FIN code.

*Includes 7,000 lbs. max front springs/GAWR rating for configuration selected. Incomplete vehicle package - requires further manufacture and certification by a final stage manufacturer. Ford urges Fire/Rescue vehicle manufacturers to follow the recommendations of the Ford Incomplete Vehicle Manual and the Ford Truck Body Builders Layout Book (and pertinent supplements). NOTE 1: Stationary Elevated Idle Control (SEIC) has been integrated into the engine control module. NOTE 2: Engine calibration significantly reduces the possibility of depower mode when in stationary PTO operation. NOTE 3: Operator commanded regen allowed down to 30% of DPF filter full, instead of 100%. NOTE 4: Must meet the definition of an emergency vehicle, an Ambulance or Fire Truck per 40 CFR 86.1803.01 in the federal register. NOTE 5: California Code of Regulations allows for the sale of federally certified emergency vehicles in California.*

*Includes:*

*- 397 Amp Alternators*

*- Operator Commanded Regeneration (OCR)*

525 Steering Wheel-Mounted Cruise Control (LPO)

Requires valid FIN code.

585\_ Radio: AM/FM Stereo/MP3 (LPO) (Fleet)

Requires valid FIN code.

*Includes 6 speakers.*

*Includes:*

*- SYNC Communications & Entertainment System*

*Includes enhanced voice recognition with 911 Assist, 4.2" LCD center*

E4\_02 Vermillion Red

Requires Valid FIN Code.

## Emissions

425 50-State Emissions System

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## **Interior Colors**

1S\_02 Medium Earth Gray

## **Warranty**

Bumper to Bumper: 3 years / 36,000 miles

Powertrain: 5 years / 60,000 miles

Corrosion (Perforation only): 5 years / Unlimited miles

Roadside Assistance Program: 5 years / 60,000 miles

Diesel: 5 year / 100,000 miles

## **CAB TO AXLE DIMENSION**

Cab to axle will be 60".

## **CHASSIS MODIFICATIONS**

## **LUBRICATION AND TIRE DATA PLATE**

A permanent label in the driving compartment shall specify the quantity and type of the following fluids used in the vehicle and tire information:

- Engine oil
- Engine coolant
- Chassis transmission fluid
- Pump transmission lubrication fluid . . (if applicable)
- Pump priming system fluid, if applicable . . (if applicable)
- Drive axle(s) lubrication fluid
- Air conditioning refrigerant . . (if applicable)
- Air conditioning lubrication oil . . (if applicable)
- Power steering fluid
- Cab tilt mechanism fluid . . (if applicable)
- Transfer case fluid . . (if applicable)
- Equipment rack fluid (if applicable)
- CAFS air compressor system lubricant . . (if applicable)
- Generator system lubricant . . (if applicable)
- Front tire cold pressure
- Rear tire cold pressure
- Maximum tire speed ratings

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## **VEHICLE DATA PLATE**

A permanent label in the driving compartment which indicates the following:

- Filter part numbers for the;
  - Engine
  - Transmission
  - Air
  - Fuel
- Serial numbers for the;
  - Engine
  - Transmission
- Delivered Weights of the Front and Rear Axles
- Paint Brand and Code(s)
- Sales Order Number

## **OVERALL HEIGHT, LENGTH DATA PLATE (US)**

The fire apparatus manufacturer shall permanently affix a high-visibility label in a location visible to the driver while seated.

The label shall show the height of the completed unequipped vehicle in feet and inches (meters), the length of the completed vehicle in feet and inches (meters to nearest 1/10th), and the GVWR in tons (metric tons).

Wording on the label shall indicate that; "The information shown was current when the apparatus was manufactured. If the overall height changes while the vehicle is in service, the fire department must revise that dimension on the plate".

## **PERSONNEL CAPACITY**

A label that states the number of personnel the vehicle is designed to carry shall be located in an area visible to the driver.

## **SEAT BELT WARNING - FAMA06/07**

A safety sign FAMA06 shall be visible from each seat that is not equipped with occupant restraint and therefore not intended to be occupied while the vehicle is in motion.

A safety sign FAMA07, which warns of the importance of seat belt use, shall be visible from each seat that is intended to be occupied while the vehicle is in motion.

## **EQUIPMENT MOUNTING FAMA10**

A safety sign FAMA10, which warns of the need to secure items in the cab, shall be visible inside the cab.

## **FIRE SERVICE TIRES - FAMA12**

A safety sign FAMA12, which warns of the special requirements for fire service-rated tires, shall be visible to the driver entering the cab of any apparatus so equipped.

## **HELMET WARNING - FAMA15**

A safety sign FAMA15, which warns not to wear helmets while the vehicle is in motion, shall be visible from each seat that is intended to be occupied while the vehicle is in motion.

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## **CLIMBING METHOD - FAMA23**

A safety sign FAMA23, which warns of the proper climbing method, shall be visible to personnel entering the cab and at each designated climbing location on the body.

## **REAR STEP CROSSWALK WARNING - FAMA24**

A safety sign FAMA24, which warns personnel not to ride on the vehicle, shall be located at the rear step areas and at any cross walkways.

## **FINAL STAGE MANUFACTURER VEHICLE CERTIFICATION**

A final stage manufacturer vehicle certification label shall be provided and installed in the driver cab door jamb area.

## **OEM FRONT BUMPER REPLACEMENT**

An SVI Extreme Contoured one-piece, fully welded steel construction front bumper shall be bolted in place of the OEM bumper. Two (2) 3/4" steel tow eyes shall be provided on front with 3/4" opening.

Bumper shall have a two-stage finish using epoxy pre-coating and high-grade textured black powder coating for durability and long lasting corrosion resistance.

## **FRONT BUMPER PUSH BAR / GRILL GUARD**

The front bumper shall be provided with a steel push bar / grill guard combination welded to bumper.

## **AIR HORNS**

There shall be no air horns provided on the completed vehicle.

## **FRONT MOUNTED WINCH**

The bumper extension shall be equipped with a Warn 16.5 ti, 12 volt electric, 16,500 lb. capacity winch.

The control of the winch shall be with a plug-in remote control unit. The unit shall have 12' of control cable, with forward, neutral, and reverse dead man type hand control.

The winch shall be equipped with 90' of 7/16" galvanized cable. The cable shall end with a clamped type loop and a drop forged heavy duty hook. The cable shall feed through a full captive type 4-way roller and guide assembly.

## **FRONT TOW PROVISIONS**

The front tow provisions shall be supplied and installed by the cab/chassis manufacturer.

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## **AIR INTAKE SYSTEM**

An air filter shall be provided in the engine's air intake system by the body builder. Air inlet restrictions shall not exceed the engine manufacturer's recommendations.

The air inlet shall be equipped with a means of separating water and burning embers from the air intake system.

This requirement shall be permitted to be achieved by either of the following methods:

1. Provision of a device such that burning particulate matter larger than 0.039 in. (1.0 mm) in diameter cannot reach the air filter element.
2. Provision of a multi screen ember separator capable of meeting the test requirements defined in the Parker Hannafin, Racor Division, publication LF 1093-90, *Ember Separation Test Procedure*, or an equivalent test.

## **EXHAUST**

The exhaust system shall be as provided by cab/chassis manufacturer.

## **RADIO ANTENNA INSTALLATION**

There shall be two (2) radio antenna mounts provided and installed on the roof of the cab/chassis. The end of each radio antenna shall be routed to specified center console.

Due to multiple configurations of antenna whips, the Body Manufacturer shall provide the antenna base, and Aurora Fire Department shall provide the whip.

## **RADIO INSTALLATION**

Installation shall be provided for two (2) Aurora Fire Department supplied radio(s) (one Motorola APEX6500, and one Bendix King KNG150) in the cab within easy reach of driver in center console. All required radio programming shall be responsibility of Aurora Fire Department. Radio(s) may not be fully tested if no radio program is provided with radio and will be responsibility of Aurora Fire Department after delivery.

Radio(s) and antenna mounts shall be installed per Manufacturer's requirements and wired for proper 12 volt power and ground.

## **SEATING MODIFICATION**

The center portion of the 40/20/40 split bench seat shall be removed to accommodate the installation of the specified console.

## **SEAT BELT COLOR AND MOUNTING**

The seat belt webbing color requirement of 14.1.3.3 shall not apply to vehicles with a GVWR of 19,500 lb (8,845 kg) or less.

Section 14.1.3.3 of the NFPA 1901 Standards, requires all seat belt webbing in cab to be bright red or bright orange in color, and the buckle portion of the seat belt shall be mounted on a rigid or semi rigid stalk such that the buckle remains positioned in an accessible location.

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## **SEAT BELT WEB LENGTH - COMMERCIAL CAB**

The chassis seat belt web length as supplied by the commercial chassis manufacturer will not be compliant to NFPA Standards 14.1.3.2 and 14.1.3.3.

Sections 14.1.3.2 and 14.1.3.3 of the NFPA 1901 standards, require the effective seat belt web length for a Type 1 lap belt for pelvic restraint to be a minimum of 60", and a Type 2 pelvic and upper torso restraint-style seat belt assembly to be a minimum of 110".

Per Aurora Fire Department specification for a commercial chassis, this emergency vehicle may not have seat belts of this required length. These belts may not provide sufficient length for large firefighters in bunker gear. This specification for an emergency fire apparatus for these seat belts shall be non-compliant to NFPA 1901 standards, effective at the time of order.

## **SEAT BELT MONITORING SYSTEM - COMMERCIAL CAB**

Per Aurora Fire Department specification for a commercial chassis, this emergency vehicle may not have a seat belt monitoring system. Without this device, the driver must manually determine that all occupants are seated and belted before the apparatus is placed in motion. This specification for an emergency fire apparatus for the seat belt monitoring system shall be non-compliant to NFPA 1901 standards, effective at the time of order.

Section 14.1.3.9 of the NFPA 1901 Standards, requires that a seat belt warning system be provided. The seat belt warning device is intended to assist the driver or officer in determining whether all occupants are seated and belted before the vehicle is driven.

## **IGNITION KEY**

If the vehicle is specified to have an ignition key it will be attached to steering column or dash with vinyl covered steel cable.

## **SIX (6) – LED TIRE PRESSURE VISUAL INDICATORS**

Each tire valve stem shall be equipped with an LED Tire Alert (or equal), heavy duty valve cap LED indicator that indicates proper tire pressure. The LED Tire Alert valve cap is self-calibrating. When the cap is mounted on the valve stem the first time, it will memorize that tire pressure, and can be set to recognize a drop in pressure as little as 6 psi. It can be checked for functionality and battery condition by simply unscrewing the cap. If it is in working condition, it will immediately start blinking.

## **HELMET STORAGE**

No helmet storage is required in the cab driving area. A safety sign FAMA15, which warns not to wear helmets while the vehicle is in motion, shall be visible from each seat that is intended to be occupied while the vehicle is in motion.

## **HELMET STORAGE**

No helmet storage is required in the cab crew area. A safety sign FAMA15, which warns not to wear helmets while the vehicle is in motion, shall be visible from each seat that is intended to be occupied while the vehicle is in motion.

## **CAB RUNNING BOARDS**

The 4-door cab shall be provided with 3" diameter tube or Nerf type steps each side below the cab doors. Steps shall be able to support 300 lb. person. Steps shall be powder coat painted black.

SHOP NOTE; Does not meet NFPA



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## MUDFLAPS

There shall be 1/4" rubber mudflaps with logo provided and installed behind each set of tires to prevent throwing road debris and lower road spray.

## SKID PLATES

There shall be underbody skid plates to protect the following items: Radiator, Engine and Transfer case. The skid plates shall be built smooth powder coated aluminum and shall be removable for access to the chassis components as possible.

**\*\* Extend skip plates back as far as possible.\*\***

## ROAD EMERGENCY SAFETY KIT

The completed unit shall be supplied with one (1) set of three (3) dual faced reflective triangles, and three (3) warning flares complete with storage case per DOT requirements.

One (1) 2.5 lb. ABC type vehicle fire extinguisher with bracket per DOT requirements shall be provided and mounted inside cab area.

## FUEL FILL

There shall be one (1) chassis supplied fuel fill mounted in the streetside exterior wheel well panel, behind the rear axle.

## AIR COMPRESSOR KIT

Unit shall be supplied with an VIAIR Ultra Light-Duty Onboard Air Systems model 10000 oil-less air compressor kit. Compressor shall be wired to vehicle 12 VDC electrical system with minimum 1.5 CFM, 130 PSI output. **Unit compressor, air gauge and check valve to be located in upper compartment C2 with on/off switch. Pressure reservoir shall to be located behind rear wall of compartment at or below frame level.**

## LOW PRESSURE AIR OUTLET

There shall be one (1) Milton female quick connector type air outlet connection(s) to supply low pressure air for general maintenance. The outlet shall terminate in a 1/4" NPT threaded port with a Milton female type adapter and a check valve. Air outlet shall be located on the pump panel. The male end of the connector shall be supplied by the Aurora Fire Department.

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## **BODY DESIGN**

The importance of public safety associated with emergency vehicles requires that the construction of this vehicle meet the following specifications. These specifications are written to establish the minimum level of quality and design. All Bidders shall be required to meet these minimum requirements.

It is the intent of these specifications to fully describe the requirements for a custom built emergency type vehicle. In order to extend the expected service life of this vehicle, the body module shall be removable from the chassis frame and be capable of being installed on a new chassis.

The sheet metal material requirements, including alloy and material thickness, throughout the specifications are considered to be a minimum. Since such materials are available to all Manufacturers, the material specifications shall be strictly adhered to.

The fabrication of the body shall be formed sheet metal. Formed components shall allow the Aurora Fire Department to have the body repaired locally in the case where any object has struck the body and caused damage. The use of proprietary extrusions will prevent the Aurora Fire Department from such repair and shall NOT be used. All fabricated body components to be cut by a laser or water-jet for superior cut edge quality.

Following construction of the subframe, which supports the apparatus body, the sheet metal portion of the body shall be built directly on the subframe. The joining of the subframe and body shall be of a welded integral construction.

The sheet metal fabrication of the body shall be performed using inert gas continuous feed welders only. The entire body shall be welded construction. The use of pop rivets in any portion of structural construction may allow premature failure of the body structure. Therefore, pop rivets shall NOT be used in the construction of the structural portions of the body. This includes side body sheets, inner panels of compartment doors, and any other structural portions of the body.

## **EXTERIOR ALUMINUM BODY**

The fabrication of the body shall be constructed from aluminum 3003H-14 alloy smooth plate. This shall include compartment front panel, vertical side sheets, side upper rollover panels, rear panels and compartment door frames.

The body compartment floors and exterior panels shall be constructed with not less than 1/8" (.125) aluminum 3003H-14 smooth plate. Interior compartment dividing walls shall be constructed with not less than 1/8" (.125) aluminum 3003H-14 smooth plate. Lighter gauge sheet metal will not be acceptable in these areas.

The front and rear corners of body shall be formed as part of the front or rear body panels. This provides a stronger body corner and finished appearance. The use of extruded corners, or caps will not be acceptable, No Exceptions.

The door side frame openings shall be formed "C" channel design. An electrical wiring conduit raceway running the full length of exterior compartments shall be provided. This raceway shall contain all 12 volt wiring running to the rear of the apparatus, permitting easy accessibility to wiring.

Individual compartment modules, with dead air space voids between compartments, will not be an acceptable method of compartment construction.

The compartments shall be an integral part of the body construction. Compartment floors from front of body to ahead of rear axle, also from rear axle to rear of body shall be single one-piece sections. Compartment floors shall be preformed, then positioned in body and welded into final position.

Compartment floors shall have a "sweep-out" design with door opening threshold positioned lower than compartment floor, permitting easy cleaning of compartments. Angles, lips, or door moldings are not acceptable in the base of compartment door opening. One-way rubber drain valves shall be provided in compartment floors so that a water hose may be used to flush-out compartment area.

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All exterior seams in sheet metal below frame, and around the rear wheel well area shall be welded and caulked to prevent moisture from entering the compartments. All other interior seams and corners shall be sealed with silicone based caulk prior to painting.

Only stainless steel bolts, nuts, and sheet metal screws shall be used in mounting exterior trim, hardware and equipment.

## **DRIP RAILS**

The body shall have drip rails over the side full height compartments. The drip rails shall be formed into the upper body panels providing a ridged lower panel and a flat upper body panel surface. The use of mechanically fastened, taped or glued on drip rails will not be acceptable, No Exceptions.

## **ALUMINUM TREADPLATE ROOF**

The roof shall be constructed with .125" aluminum 3003H-14 alloy tread plate. Roof panel shall be welded or bolted in place. If bolted in place the bolt heads will be properly caulked and sealed to prevent moisture penetration into body.

## **BODY SUBFRAME**

The chassis frame rails shall be fitted with 1/4" custom extruded UHMW polyethylene rail cap to isolate the body frame members from direct contact with chassis frame rails.

The body subframe shall be constructed from 6061T6 aluminum alloy tubing. Subframe shall consist of two (2) 2" x 4" x 1/8" aluminum tubes minimum, the same width as the chassis frame rails. Welded to this tubing shall be cross members of 2" x 4" x 1/8" aluminum. Smaller dimension, lighter gauge tubing or angle material subframe shall not be accepted.

These cross members shall extend the full width of the body to support the compartments. Cross members shall be located at front and rear of the body, below compartment divider walls, and in front and rear of wheel well opening. Additional aluminum cross members shall be located as necessary to support walkway or heavy equipment.

To form the frame, the tubing shall be beveled and welded at each joint using 5356 aluminum alloy welding wire.

## **BODY MOUNTING**

The body subframe shall be fastened to the chassis frame with a minimum of four (4) spring loaded body mounts. Each mount shall be configured using a two-piece encapsulated slide bracket. The two (2) brackets shall be fabricated of heavy duty 1/4" thick steel and shall have a powder coat finish to prevent any corrosion. Each mounting assembly shall utilize one (1) 3/4" diameter x 6" long grade 8 bolts and one (1) heavy duty spring. The assembly design shall allow the body and subframe to act as one (1) component, separate from the chassis. As the chassis frame twists under driving conditions, the spring mounting system shall eliminate any stress from being transferred into the body. The spring loaded body mounts shall also prevent frame side rail or body damage caused by unevenly distributed stress and strains due to load and chassis movement.

Body mountings that do not allow relief from chassis movement will not be acceptable.

## **9" REAR STEP BUMPER**

The full width rear bumper shall be constructed from 2" x 2" x 1/8" steel tubing frame and covered with 3/16" aluminum tread plate. Any stepping surface shall have a grip surface insert to meet NFPA requirements. The bumper shall extend from the rear vertical body panel 9" and provide a rear step with a minimum of 1/2" space at body for water drainage.

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## **REAR TOW EYES**

There shall be two (2) heavy duty rear mounted tow eyes securely attached to the bumper subframe, below body. The tow eyes shall be fabricated from 1/2" thick steel plate with a 3" diameter opening. Tow eyes shall have a black powder coat finish.

## **GROUND LIGHTS**

There shall be two (2) OnScene 8" Access white LED lights installed below bumper capable of providing illumination at a minimum level of 2 fc (20 lx) on ground areas within 30 in. (800 mm) of the edge of the vehicle in areas designed for personnel to climb onto or descend from the vehicle to the ground level.

Lighting shall be switchable but activated automatically when the vehicle park brake is set.

## **WHEEL WELL EXTERIOR PANEL**

The exterior panel of the body wheel well enclosure shall be constructed from 1/8" aluminum smooth plate and will be bolted on for easy removal and replacement.

## **RUBBER BODY FENDERS**

The body wheel well openings shall be provided with round radius, rubber fenderettes. The fenderettes shall be bolted and easily replaceable if damaged. The fenderettes shall be installed using stainless steel fasteners with plastic isolators to help prevent corrosion.

## **WHEEL WELL LINERS**

The wheel wells shall be provided with an easily removable polymer, circular inner fender liner. The inner liner shall be bolted to the wheel well with stainless steel bolts and spaced away from the wheel well so the liner will not accumulate dirt or water.

## **BODY PAINT SPECIFICATIONS**

### **BODY PAINT PREPARATION**

After the body and components have been fabricated they shall be disassembled so when vehicle is complete there shall be finish paint beneath the removable components. The body shall be removed from chassis during the paint process to insure proper paint coverage. The body and components shall be metal finished as follows to provide a superior substrate for painting.

The exterior (and interior, if painted) body shall undergo a thorough cleaning process starting with a biodegradable phosphoric acid solution to begin the etching process followed by a complete clear water rinse. The next step shall consist of a chemical conversion coating applied to seal the metal substrate and become part of the metal surface for greater film adhesion.

All bright metal fittings, if unavailable in stainless steel or polished aluminum, shall be chrome plated. Iron fittings shall be copper under plated prior to chrome plating.

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## PAINT PROCESS

The paint process shall follow the strict standards set forth by PPG Industries guidelines. Painters applying PPG products will be PPG Certified Commercial Technicians, and re-certified every two (2) years. The body shall go through the following paint process;

- 1) Clean bare metal with a wax and grease remover using low lint rags.
- 2) Inspect, straighten, and hammer high points, grind all seams, sharp edges, and welds. DA sand entire paintable surfaces using 24-180 grit dry paper. Plastic fill all low spots and DA sand fill areas using 36-180 grit dry paper. Apply pinhole filler and DA sand areas using 80-180 grit dry paper.
- 3) Re-clean bare metal using a wax and grease remover and low lint rags.
- 4) Within 24 hours, a PPG Delfleet® epoxy color primer with proper hardener for corrosion resistance using a pressure pot spray gun and applying 2-5 full wet coats or 1.5-8.0 dry mils max. achieving full hiding and allow to air dry 60 minutes @ 70°F or bake for 45 minutes @ 140°F degree.
- 5) Inspect, putty fill, and dry guild coat entire body surface and DA sand using 180-400 grit dry paper.
- 6) Re-clean bare metal using a wax and grease remover using low lint rags.
- 7) A PPG Delfleet® primer sealer with proper hardener and thinner shall be sprayed using a pressure pot spray gun and applying 1 full wet coat or 1.0-2.0 dry mils achieving full hiding and allow to flash off in spray booth for minimum of 60 minutes @ 70°F.
- 8) A PPG Delfleet® FBCH basecoat (color) with proper hardener and dry additive shall then be sprayed using a pressure pot set @ 45-60 PSI and achieving full hiding or 1.5-2.0 wet mils and allow to flash off in spray booth 45-60 minutes before applying clearcoat.
- 9) A PPG Delfleet® clearcoat with proper hardener and thinner shall be sprayed using a pressure pot spray gun and applying 2-3 full wet coats or 5.0 wet mils for a uniform gloss and allow to flash off in spray booth 10 minutes and bake for 120-140 minutes @ 125°F (surface temp.).
- 10) After cooling, DA sand heavy orange peel or runs using 1000 grit dry sand paper and final DA sand using 1500-2000 grit dry sand paper. Wipe off all surfaces to remove dust and debris. Buff unit as needed using 3M rubbing compound and a white wool pad and inspect until all sand scratches are removed.
- 11) Polish as needed using 3M Perfect-It-Polish and a black foam pad, repeat as necessary and inspect until all sand scratches are removed.

## PAINT - ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

The contractor shall meet or exceed all current State (his) regulations concerning paint operations. Pollution control shall include measures to protect the atmosphere, water and soil. PPG Delfleet® Evolution paint shall be free of all heavy metal (lead & chromate) components. Paint emissions from sanding and painting shall be filtered and collected. All paint wastes shall be disposed of in an environmentally safe manner. Solvents used in cleanup operations shall be collected, sent off-site for distillation and returned for reuse.

## FASTENERS

Prior to the assembly and reinstallation of exterior components; i.e. warning and DOT lights, handrails, steps, door hardware, and miscellaneous items, an isolation tape, or gasket shall be used to prevent damage to the finish painted surfaces. These components shall be fastened to body using either a plastic insert into body metal with stainless steel screws or zinc coated nutserts into body surface using stainless steel bolts to prevent corrosion from dissimilar metals.

## ELECTROLYSIS CORROSION CONTROL

The apparatus shall be assembled using ECK or similar corrosion control on all high corrosion potential areas.

ECK protects aluminum and stainless steel against electrolytic reaction, isolates dissimilar metals and gives bedding protection for hardware and fasteners. ECK contains anti-seizing lubricant for threads. ECK is dielectric and perfect for use with electrical connectors.

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## **PAINT FINISH - SINGLE COLOR**

The body shall be painted with a single color of PPG Delfleet® Evolution paint per approved customer spray-out.

Touch-up paint shall be provided with completed vehicle.

- Paint Color: Match cab/chassis supplied paint color.

## **BODY UNDERCOATING**

The entire underside of body shall be sprayed with black automotive undercoating. Undercoating shall cover all areas underside of body and wheel well area to help prevent corrosion under the vehicle.

## **UNDERCOAT WARRANTY**

The body undercoating shall have a warranty provided by the manufacturer for the lifetime of the vehicle or twenty (20) years, whichever occurs first. The warranty shall be transferable between vehicle owners. Should the undercoating material applied to the underside of the body and wheel wells of the vehicle ever flake off, peel, chip or crack due to drying out, the damaged area shall be re-sprayed without charge to the vehicle owner.

## **PAINT WARRANTY**

The vehicle shall be provided with a ten (10) year non-prorated warranty to the original owner. Warranty is provided by PPG Inc. A warranty sheet with all conditions and maintenance procedures shall be provided with the delivered vehicle. **Pro-rated warranties will not be acceptable.**

## **COMPARTMENT INTERIOR FINISH**

The interior of all exterior body compartments shall be a "Maintenance Free" smooth unpainted finish. All body seams shall be finished with a caulk sealant for both appearance and moisture protection.

## **REFLECTIVE STRIPE REQUIREMENTS**

### Material

All retroreflective materials shall conform to the requirements of ASTM D4956, *Standard Specification for Retroreflective Sheeting for Traffic Control*, Section 6.1.1 for Type I Sheeting.

All retroreflective materials used that are colors not listed in ASTM D4956, Section 6.1.1, shall have a minimum coefficient of retro-reflection of 10 with observation angle of 0.2 degrees and entrance angle of -4 degrees.

Any printed or processed retroreflective film construction used shall conform to the standards required of an integral colored film as specified in ASTM D4956, Section 6.1.1.

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## Minimum Requirements

A retroreflective stripe(s) shall be affixed to at least 50 percent of the cab and body length on each side, excluding the pump panel areas, and at least 25 percent of the width of the front of the vehicle, not including mirrors or other protrusions.

The stripe or combination of stripes shall be a minimum of 4 in. (100 mm) in total width.

The 4 in. (100 mm) wide stripe or combination of stripes shall be permitted to be interrupted by objects (i.e., receptacles, cracks between slats in roll up doors) provided the full stripe is seen as conspicuous when approaching the apparatus.

A graphic design shall be permitted to replace all or part of the required striping material if the design or combination thereof covers at least the same perimeter length(s).

## **GRAPHICS PROOF**

A color graphics proof of the reflective striping layout shall be provided for approval by Aurora Fire Department prior to installation. The graphics proof shall be submitted to Aurora Fire Department on 8.5" x 11" sheets with front, sides, rear and plan views, each on one (1) sheet. In addition if there is any special art work an additional sheet shall be provided showing all details.

## **REFLECTIVE STRIPE - CAB SIDE**

The reflective stripe material shall be 6" wide, 3M Scotchlite 680 series graphic film.

- This reflective stripe shall be white in color.

## **REFLECTIVE STRIPE - CAB FRONT**

The reflective stripe material shall be 6" wide, 3M Scotchlite 680 series graphic film.

- This reflective stripe shall be white in color.

## **REFLECTIVE STRIPE - CAB DOOR INTERIOR**

Any door of the apparatus designed to allow persons to enter or exit the apparatus shall have at least 96 in.2 (62,000 mm2) of retroreflective material affixed to the inside of the door.

The stripe material shall be 3M Scotchlite 680 series graphic film.

- This reflective stripe shall be white in color.

## **REFLECTIVE STRIPE - BODY SIDES**

The reflective stripe material shall be 6" wide, 3M Scotchlite 680 series graphic film.

- This reflective stripe shall be white in color.

The stripe shall extend from the front of cab in a straight line, then just ahead of the rear wheels the stripe shall angle up and extend straight back to the rear of the body.

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## **CHEVRON REFLECTIVE STRIPE - REAR SIDES PANELS**

At least 50 percent of the rear-facing vertical surfaces, visible from the rear of the apparatus, excluding any pump panel areas not covered by a door, shall be equipped with retroreflective striping in a chevron pattern sloping downward and away from the centerline of the vehicle at an angle of 45 degrees. Each stripe shall be 6" width.

The rear side panels of the body on each side of a rear stairway or compartment shall have a chevron style reflective stripe, extending from bumper height up to side compartment drip rail height. Each chevron panel shall be a full sheet and shall have a 3M UV over laminate to protect from UV rays, scene damage, and everyday use. Chevron panel shall have a minimum 10 year warranty for material failure, and colorfastness.

The stripe material shall be 3M Diamond Grade.

This reflective chevron stripe shall alternate red and fluorescent yellow-green in color.

## **LETTERING**

### **GRAPHICS PROOF**

A color graphics proof of the lettering layout shall be provided for approval by Aurora Fire Department prior to installation. The graphics proof shall be submitted to Aurora Fire Department on 8.5" x 11" sheets with front, sides, rear and plan views, each on one (1) sheet. In addition if there is any special art work an additional sheet shall be provided showing all details.

The following lettering shall be provided and installed on the completed unit as follows;

### **SIDE CAB DOOR LETTERING**

There shall be twelve (12) 10" high reflective letters furnished and installed on the vehicle.

- This reflective lettering shall be white in color.

### **UPPER BODY SIDE LETTERING**

There shall be ten (10) 6" high reflective letters furnished and installed on the vehicle.

- This reflective lettering shall be white in color.

### **REAR BODY LETTERING**

### **FRONT OF CAB LETTERING**

There shall be eighteen (18) 3" high reflective letters furnished and installed on the vehicle.

- This reflective lettering shall be white in color.

### **CAB ROOF LETTERING**

There shall be five (5) 11" high reflective letters furnished and installed on the vehicle.

- This reflective lettering shall be white in color.



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## **CUSTOM DECAL LOGO - 12" -18"**

One (1) custom designed 12" - 18" 3M Scotchlite type retroreflective logo shall be provided and located on the completed vehicle. The exact design and/or artwork shall be provided by the Aurora Fire Department prior to construction.

One (1) copy of the above custom logo shall be provided and located on the completed vehicle as directed by Aurora Fire Department.

## **EXTERIOR COMPARTMENT DOORS**

### **HINGED DOOR CONSTRUCTION**

The exterior compartment doors shall be custom manufactured and built for each compartment. The compartment doors must be able to withstand years of rugged service and wear. For this reason, the compartment door design, metal thickness, and attachments must be strictly adhered to.

The compartment doors shall be all aluminum 3003H-14 alloy construction. The exterior panel shall be of 1/8" thickness smooth plate aluminum and the interior panel shall be of 1/8" thickness smooth plate aluminum. Lighter gauge material will NOT BE ACCEPTABLE in these areas. The double panel doors shall be 1-3/4" thick to completely enclose the door latching assembly. The door latching assembly shall be accessed through a removable panel. Doors shall have drain hole openings for drainage and ventilation.

The doors shall be flush mounted so that the outer surface is in line with the side body surface. Lap or bevel type constructed doors, doors framed with extrusions, or doors requiring rubber bumpers to prevent unnecessary contact are NOT ACCEPTABLE.

Compartment door openings shall be sealed with closed cell automotive type rubber molding to provide a weather resistant seal around door. In addition, rubber molding shall be provided along hinge to prevent moisture entry. Open cell foam type rubber moldings are NOT ACCEPTABLE.

Hinged compartment doors shall have 14 gauge stainless steel hinge, with 1/4" stainless steel pin. The hinge shall be bolted to the door and body with stainless steel machine screws. A polyester barrier film gasket shall be placed between stainless steel hinge and any dissimilar metals as necessary.

Drip rails shall be installed above all compartment door openings. Drip rails shall be completely removable for easy replacement if necessary.

Each door shall be capable of being opened or closed without unlatching. Door checks shall be bolted to the upper compartment door header and the box pan of the door. Door checks that require unlatching by hand will NOT BE ACCEPTABLE.

The door handle type and door check type of hinged compartment doors shall be as specified with each door.

- The interior door panel shall have a smooth un-painted aluminum panel.

## **BODY WIDTH DIMENSIONS**

The body shall be 95.0" wide, and 97.5" wide at drip rails. Interior compartment depth dimensions shall be approximately:

<u>Area Description</u>	<u>Dimension</u>
Transverse above subframe	90.0"
Compartment depth below subframe	19.0"

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## **STREETSIDE COMPARTMENT - FRONT (S1)**

The interior useable compartment width shall be approximately 32.0" wide x 19" deep or transverse depending on depth of compartment RC1.

The compartment door opening shall be approximately 27.2" wide.

- This compartment shall have flush fitting vertically hinged compartment door. The door exterior shall be painted job color.
- The interior door panel shall have a smooth un-painted aluminum panel.
- The hinged door(s) shall have a stainless steel 6" offset bent D-ring non-locking handle. A gasket shall be placed between handle and door. Door latches shall be a two-point rotary slam, double-catch latch, recessed inside the double panel door with striker plate.
- The hinged door(s) shall have a pneumatic cylinder to hold door in the open and closed positions. Each door shall be capable of being closed without unlatching. Door checks shall be bolted to the compartment door header and the box pan of the door.
- The door ajar switch shall be provided with specified hinged door and pneumatic cylinder switch assembly to activate compartment lighting and door ajar signal in cab when door is opened.
- Compartment threshold protection shall be provided on the bottom edge of the compartment door sill. The threshold protection shall be fabricated from brushed 304 stainless steel sheet metal.

## **COMPARTMENT LAYOUT**

- There shall be vertically mounted aluminum shelf-Trac for specified component installation.
- There shall be three (3) adjustable shelf/shelves approximately 18" deep. Each shelf shall be fabricated from 3/16" 3003 aluminum sheet with a 2" vertical flange along the front and rear edges.
  - The above component(s) shall have a smooth un-painted finish.
- The floor of the compartment above the frame rails shall cover the area directly above the frame rails ONLY (non-extended floor).
- Two (2) OnScene Access white LED, full height compartment lights, vertically mounted.
- One (1) OnScene 8" Access white LED ground light(s) shall be provided below the body. Light(s) shall be switchable but activated automatically when the park brake is set.
- One (1) 6" x 7-1/16" large air vent shall be provided in lower compartment wall for air displacement.

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## **STREETSIDE COMPARTMENT - ABOVE REAR WHEELS (S2)**

The interior useable compartment width shall be approximately 47.0" wide x 19" deep or transverse depending on depth of compartment RC1.

The compartment door opening shall be approximately 41.5" wide.

- This compartment shall have a horizontally hinged, drop-down style box pan door fabricated of 1/8" thick smooth aluminum. The inner liner of the door shall be 1/8" thick smooth aluminum with an unpainted finish. The door exterior shall be painted job color.
- The hinged door(s) shall have a stainless steel 6" offset bent D-ring non-locking handle. A gasket shall be placed between handle and door. Door latches shall be a two-point rotary slam, double-catch latch, recessed inside the double panel door with striker plate.
- The hinged door(s) shall have a pair of tailgate style mechanisms to stop the door at 90 degrees. Each door shall be capable of being closed without unlatching.
- The door shall be equipped with a CPI harsh environment mechanical type door ajar switch located inside compartment interior door track to activate compartment lighting and door ajar signal in cab when door is opened.

## **COMPARTMENT LAYOUT**

- There shall be vertically mounted aluminum shelf-Trac for specified component installation.
- There shall be one (1) adjustable shelf/shelves approximately 18" deep. Each shelf shall be fabricated from 3/16" 3003 aluminum sheet with a 2" vertical flange along the front and rear edges.
  - The above component(s) shall have a smooth un-painted finish.
- One (1) OnScene Access white LED, full width compartment light mounted at the top of the compartment toward the door opening.

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## **STREETSIDE COMPARTMENT - REAR (S3)**

The interior useable compartment width shall be approximately 32.0" wide x 19" deep or transverse depending on depth of compartment RC1.

The compartment door opening shall be approximately 27.2" wide.

- This compartment shall have flush fitting vertically hinged compartment door. The door exterior shall be painted job color.
- The interior door panel shall have a smooth un-painted aluminum panel.
- The hinged door(s) shall have a stainless steel 6" offset bent D-ring non-locking handle. A gasket shall be placed between handle and door. Door latches shall be a two-point rotary slam, double-catch latch, recessed inside the double panel door with striker plate.
- The hinged door(s) shall have a pneumatic cylinder to hold door in the open and closed positions. Each door shall be capable of being closed without unlatching. Door checks shall be bolted to the compartment door header and the box pan of the door.
- The door ajar switch shall be provided with specified hinged door and pneumatic cylinder switch assembly to activate compartment lighting and door ajar signal in cab when door is opened.
- Compartment threshold protection shall be provided on the bottom edge of the compartment door sill. The threshold protection shall be fabricated from brushed 304 stainless steel sheet metal.

## **COMPARTMENT LAYOUT**

- There shall be vertically mounted aluminum shelf-Trac for specified component installation.
- There shall be two (2) adjustable shelf/shelves approximately 18" deep. Each shelf shall be fabricated from 3/16" 3003 aluminum sheet with a 2" vertical flange along the front and rear edges.
  - The above component(s) shall have a smooth un-painted finish.

## **DRIP TORCH MOUNTING BRACKETS**

There shall be two (2) Drip Torch Mounting brackets located within the compartment. The final location will be determined at the Pre-Construction Meeting.

- The floor of the compartment above the frame rails shall cover the area directly above the frame rails ONLY (non-extended floor).
- Two (2) OnScene Access white LED, full height compartment lights, vertically mounted.
- One (1) OnScene 8" Access white LED ground light(s) shall be provided below the body. Light(s) shall be switchable but activated automatically when the park brake is set.
- One (1) 6" x 7-1/16" large air vent shall be provided in lower compartment wall for air displacement.

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## **CURBSIDE COMPARTMENT - FRONT (C1)**

The interior useable compartment width shall be approximately 32.0" wide x 19" deep or transverse depending on depth of compartment RC1.

The compartment door opening shall be approximately 27.2" wide.

- This compartment shall have flush fitting vertically hinged compartment door. The door exterior shall be painted job color.
- The interior door panel shall have a smooth un-painted aluminum panel.
- The hinged door(s) shall have a stainless steel 6" offset bent D-ring non-locking handle. A gasket shall be placed between handle and door. Door latches shall be a two-point rotary slam, double-catch latch, recessed inside the double panel door with striker plate.
- The hinged door(s) shall have a pneumatic cylinder to hold door in the open and closed positions. Each door shall be capable of being closed without unlatching. Door checks shall be bolted to the compartment door header and the box pan of the door.
- The door ajar switch shall be provided with specified hinged door and pneumatic cylinder switch assembly to activate compartment lighting and door ajar signal in cab when door is opened.
- Compartment threshold protection shall be provided on the bottom edge of the compartment door sill. The threshold protection shall be fabricated from brushed 304 stainless steel sheet metal.

## **COMPARTMENT LAYOUT**

- There shall be vertically mounted aluminum shelf-Trac for specified component installation.
- There shall be three (3) "J" style rope or equipment hook(s) for mounting of electrical extension cords or rescue ropes.
- The floor of the compartment above the frame rails shall cover the area directly above the frame rails ONLY (non-extended floor).
- Two (2) OnScene Access white LED, full height compartment lights, vertically mounted.
- One (1) OnScene 8" Access white LED ground light(s) shall be provided below the body. Light(s) shall be switchable but activated automatically when the park brake is set.
- One (1) 6" x 7-1/16" large air vent shall be provided in lower compartment wall for air displacement.

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## **CURBSIDE COMPARTMENT - ABOVE REAR WHEEL (C2)**

The interior useable compartment width shall be approximately 80.0" wide x 19" deep. The compartment shall extend from over the wheel wells to the rear of the truck.

- This compartment shall have a horizontally hinged, drop-down style box pan door fabricated of 1/8" thick smooth aluminum. The inner liner of the door shall be 1/8" thick smooth aluminum with an unpainted finish. The door exterior shall be painted job color.
- The hinged door(s) shall have a stainless steel 6" offset bent D-ring non-locking handle. A gasket shall be placed between handle and door. Door latches shall be a two-point rotary slam, double-catch latch, recessed inside the double panel door with striker plate.
- The hinged door(s) shall have a pair of tailgate style mechanisms to stop the door at 90 degrees. Each door shall be capable of being closed without unlatching.
- The door shall be equipped with a CPI harsh environment mechanical type door ajar switch located inside compartment interior door track to activate compartment lighting and door ajar signal in cab when door is opened.

## **COMPARTMENT LAYOUT**

- The floor, back wall and ceiling of compartment shall be covered with PAC Trac single face model 7000 aluminum extrusion with the tracks in a horizontal orientation.
- One (1) OnScene Access white LED, full height compartment light, vertically mounted.

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## **CURBSIDE COMPARTMENT - REAR (C3)**

The interior useable compartment width shall be approximately 32.0" wide x 19" deep or transverse depending on depth of compartment RC1.

The compartment door opening shall be approximately 27.2" wide.

The compartment shall be below the upper side over wheel well compartment.

- This compartment shall have a flush fitting horizontally hinged, drop-down style compartment door. The door exterior shall be painted job color.
- The interior door panel shall have a smooth un-painted aluminum panel.
- The door shall be equipped with a CPI harsh environment mechanical type door ajar switch located inside compartment interior door track to activate compartment lighting and door ajar signal in cab when door is opened.
- The hinged door(s) shall have a stainless steel 6" offset bent D-ring locking handle. A gasket shall be placed between handle and door. Door latches shall be a two-point rotary slam, double-catch latch, recessed inside the double panel door with striker plate.
- The hinged door(s) shall have a pair of tailgate style mechanisms to stop the door at 90 degrees. Each door shall be capable of being closed without unlatching.

## **COMPARTMENT LAYOUT**

- There shall be vertically mounted aluminum shelf-Trac for specified component installation.
- There shall be three (3) Austin Front Drawer Release (FDR) 400 lbs. slide-out tray(s) approximately 18" deep and as wide as the compartment layout or door opening permits. The FDR on front of tray will deduct 1.5" from specified depth. There shall be two (2) approximately 4" tall and one (1) approximately 6" tall drawer.
  - The above component(s) shall have a smooth un-painted finish.
- One (1) OnScene Access white LED, full width compartment light mounted at the top of the compartment toward the door opening.
- One (1) OnScene 8" Access white LED ground light(s) shall be provided below the body. Light(s) shall be switchable but activated automatically when the park brake is set.
- One (1) 6" x 7-1/16" large air vent shall be provided in lower compartment wall for air displacement.

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## **OPEN REAR STORAGE - CENTER (RC1)**

The center rear of body shall have a 48" wide open rear storage area directly above body sub frame and between the specified side compartments. The floor or deck surface shall be covered with 1/8" (.125) aluminum 3003H-14 NFPA non-skid compliant tread plate.

- There shall be two (2) aluminum handrail sections with brackets assembled under the hose bed extension step. Brackets shall be designed to hold the handrails in position with a quick pin to hold in place for operation. Inside the right rear ladder compartment door shall be a storage bracket to hold the handrails when not in use. The I-Zone brackets are provided to lace the hose between when moving from house to house during structure fire protection operations.
- The specified pump and water tank shall be located in center rear open area. Access and handrail(s) shall be provided as needed for filling water tank and providing maintenance to engine and pump system.

## **UPPER BODY COMPARTMENT - FRONT**

Above the water tank directly aft of specified cross-lay shall be an gear storage compartment fabricated from 1/8" 3003-H14 alloy aluminum treadplate, approximately 52" long x 17" high x 14" wide.

Access to the compartment shall be from full-length outboard hinged lift-up compartment door. Door shall be fabricated from 1/8" 3003-H14 alloy aluminum treadplate with two (2) 16", 16 gauge stainless steel hinges, with 1/4" stainless steel pin. Two (2) gas cylinder door holders shall assist in holding doors in open position. A polyester barrier film gasket shall be placed between stainless steel hinge and any dissimilar metals as necessary to prevent corrosion. Door shall overlap compartment vertical sides to prevent entry of moisture and sealed with automotive type rubber molding to provide a weather resistant seal.

One (1) chrome grab handle shall be provided on door located centered to assist in opening/closing door.

Compartment shall have two (2) flush mounted OnScene LED lights near door opening that will be automatically activated when door is opened, and wired to compartment door ajar warning light provided in cab.

## **UPPER BODY STREETSIDE COMPARTMENT**

Above the streetside compartments shall be an upper body compartments fabricated from 1/8" 3003-H14 alloy aluminum treadplate. The streetside compartment shall be approximately 72" long x 20" deep x 17" high.

Access to the compartment shall be from two (2) horizontally hinged lift-up compartment doors approximately 34" wide x 13" high. Door shall be fabricated from 1/8" 3003-H14 alloy aluminum treadplate with 16 gauge stainless steel hinges, with 1/4" stainless steel pin. Two (2) gas cylinder door holders shall assist in holding doors in open position. A polyester barrier film gasket shall be placed between stainless steel hinge and any dissimilar metals as necessary to prevent corrosion. Door shall overlap compartment vertical sides to prevent entry of moisture and sealed with automotive type rubber molding to provide a weather resistant seal.

The hinged door(s) shall have an D-ring style locking handle. A gasket shall be placed between the handle and the compartment exterior wall. Door latches shall be a single point on the interior wall of the compartment panel.

Compartments shall have two (2) flush mounted OnScene LED lights near door opening that will be automatically activated when door is opened, and wired to compartment door ajar warning light provided in cab.

An rear access drip can storage area with hinged door approximately 20" wide x 17" high x 10" deep shall provided at rear of upper body streetside compartments. Storage area to have an aluminum treadplate hinged door with push to release latches.



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## **UPPERBODY COMPARTMENT - CURBSIDE**

Above the exterior curbside compartments shall be a rear access body compartment for pre-connect hose lays and hard suction storage. The compartment shall be fabricated of 1/8" aluminum treadplate approximately 20" wide x 17" high x 97" deep.

Rear opening of compartment shall provided with cargo netting to restrain stored equipment.

- The upper section of curbside upper compartment shall be for two (2) 1-1/2" pre-connected hose lines. A vinyl removable cover shall be provided over top of pre-connection storage.
- Storage for three (3) 2-1/2" x 8' hard suction hose shall be provided in lower section of compartment. Hard suction hose(s) shall be supplied by Aurora Fire Department after delivery.

## **PLASTIC FLOOR AND SHELF TILE**

Dri-Dek 12" x 12" x 9/16", self-draining plastic inter-locking material shall be cut to size and cover all compartment floors, shelves, and trays.

- The plastic floor tile shall be black.
- The plastic edge trim shall be black.

## **LOWER SIDE BODY PROTECTION - RUB RAIL**

OnScene Solutions rub rails shall be provided below the compartment door openings on both the streetside and curbside.

The rub rail shall be fabricated from 6063 extruded aluminum, measuring approximately 2-3/4" high x 1-3/8" thick with tapered aluminum end caps. The rub rail shall be bolted to the body using stainless steel bolts and 1-1/2" diameter x 5/8" thick rubber mount isolators to prevent damage to the body.

The rails shall incorporate LED clearance marker lighting recessed into the rail fascia to avoid damage to the light in case of impact. The rub rail shall have an accessory mounting track integrated into the backside of the rail to allow mounting of accessories such as ground lighting.

3M™ Diamond Grade™ striping shall be provided in the rub rail. The striping shall be white in color.

## **FRONT GRAVEL GUARDS**

Gravel guards shall be provided on front lower body corners. Guards shall be 12" high, extend from behind cab or step and wrap around to the front compartment door opening fabricated from .100" aluminum treadplate.

## **REAR BODY HANDRAILS**

There shall be two (2) 24" vertical handrails on rear body. Handrails shall be NFPA compliant 1-1/4" knurled 304 stainless steel with welded end stanchions.

A safety sign FAMA23, which warns of the proper climbing method, shall be visible to personnel entering the cab and at each designated climbing location on the body.

A safety sign FAMA24, which warns personnel not to ride on the vehicle, shall be located at the rear step areas and at any cross walkways.

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## **FOLDING STEP(S)**

There shall be two (2) Innovative Controls polished cast aluminum folding step(s) provided and installed on completed vehicle. Each step shall be heavy duty with stainless steel spring and textured step surface meeting NFPA standards.

Location(s): \_\_\_\_\_

## **REAR STEP**

One (1) Zico PS-8 manual pull-out and down step(s) shall be installed below the rear bumper. The step surface, when pulled out from its nested position, shall be approximately 8" below the rear bumper step.

## **LOW VOLTAGE ELECTRICAL SYSTEM- 12 VDC**

### General

Any low voltage electrical systems or warning devices installed on the fire apparatus shall be appropriate for the mounting location and intended electrical load.

Where wire passes through sheet metal, grommets shall be used to protect wire and wire looms. Electrical connections shall be with double crimp water-tight heat shrink connectors.

All 12 VDC wiring running from front to back of vehicle body shall be run in full length electrical wiring raceway down each side of body.

### Wiring

All electrical circuit feeder wiring supplied and installed by the fire apparatus manufacturer shall meet the requirements of NFPA Chapter 13.

The circuit feeder wire shall be stranded copper or copper alloy conductors of a gauge rated to carry 125 % of the maximum current for which the circuit is protected. Voltage drops in all wiring from the power source to the using device shall not exceed 10 %. The use of star washers for circuit ground connections shall not be permitted.

All circuits shall otherwise be wired in conformance with SAE J1292, *Automobile, Truck, Truck-Tractor, Trailer, and Motor Coach Wiring*.

### Wiring and Wire Harness Construction

All insulated wire and cable shall conform to SAE J1127, *Low Voltage Battery Cable*, or SAE J1128, *Low Voltage Primary Cable*, type SXL, GXL, or TXL.

All conductors shall be constructed in accordance with SAE J1127 or SAE J1128, except where good engineering practice dictates special strand construction. Conductor materials and stranding, other than copper, shall be permitted if all applicable requirements for physical, electrical, and environmental conditions are met as dictated by the end application. Physical and dimensional values of conductor insulation shall be in conformance with the requirements of SAE J1127 or SAE J1128, except where good engineering practice dictates special conductor insulation. The overall covering of conductors shall be moisture-resistant loom or braid that has a minimum continuous rating of 194°F (90°C) except where good engineering practice dictates special consideration for loom installations exposed to higher temperatures. The overall covering of jacketed cables shall be moisture resistant and have a minimum continuous temperature rating of 194°F (90°C), except where good engineering practice dictates special consideration for cable installations exposed to higher temperatures.

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All wiring connections and terminations shall use a method that provides a positive mechanical and electrical connection. The wiring connections and terminations shall be installed in accordance with the device manufacturer's instructions. All ungrounded electrical terminals shall have protective covers or be in enclosures. Wire nut, insulation displacement, and insulation piercing connections shall not be used.

Wiring shall be restrained to prevent damage caused by chafing or ice buildup and protected against heat, liquid contaminants, or other environmental factors.

Wiring shall be uniquely identified at least every 2 ft (0.6 m) by color coding or permanent marking with a circuit function code. The identification shall reference a wiring diagram.

Circuits shall be provided with properly rated low voltage over-current protective devices. Such devices shall be readily accessible and protected against heat in excess of the over-current device's design range, mechanical damage, and water spray. Circuit protection shall be accomplished by utilizing fuses, circuit breakers, fusible links, or solid state equivalent devices.

If a mechanical-type device is used, it shall conform to one of the following SAE standards:

- 1) SAE J156, *Fusible Links*
- 2) SAE J553, *Circuit Breakers*
- 3) SAE J554, *Electric Fuses (Cartridge Type)*
- 4) SAE J1888, *High Current Time Lag Electric Fuses*
- 5) SAE J2077, *Miniature Blade Type Electrical Fuses*

Switches, relays, terminals, and connectors shall have a direct current (dc) rating of 125 % of maximum current for which the circuit is protected.

### Power Supply

A 12 V or greater electrical alternator shall be provided. The alternator shall have a minimum output at idle to meet the minimum continuous electrical load of the vehicle, at 200°F (93°C) ambient temperature within the engine compartment, and shall be provided with full automatic regulation.

### Minimum Continuous Electrical Load

The minimum continuous electrical load shall consist of the total amperage required to simultaneously operate the following in a stationary mode during emergency operations:

- 1) The propulsion engine and transmission
- 2) All legally required clearance and marker lights, headlights, and other electrical devices except windshield wipers and four-way hazard flashers
- 3) The radio(s) at a duty cycle of 10 percent transmit and 90 % receive (for calculation and testing purposes, a default value of 5 A continuous)
- 4) The lighting necessary to produce 2 fc (20 lx) of illumination on all walking surfaces on the apparatus and on the ground at all egress points onto and off the apparatus, 5 fc (50 lx) of illumination on all control and instrument panels, and 50 percent of the total compartment lighting loads
- 5) The minimum optical warning system, where the apparatus is blocking the right-of way
- 6) The continuous electrical current required to simultaneously operate any fire pumps, aerial devices, and hydraulic pumps
- 7) Other warning devices and electrical loads defined by the purchaser as critical to the mission of the apparatus

If the apparatus is equipped to tow a trailer, an additional 45 A shall be added to the minimum continuous electrical load to provide electrical power for the federally required clearance and marker lighting and the optical warning devices mounted on the trailer.

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The condition of the low voltage electrical system shall be monitored by a warning system that provides both an audible and a visual signal to persons on, in, or near the apparatus of an impending electrical system failure caused by the excessive discharge of the battery set.

The charge status of the battery shall be determined either by direct measurement of the battery charge or indirectly by monitoring the electrical system voltage.

If electrical system voltage is monitored, the alarm shall sound if the system voltage at the battery or at the master load disconnect switch drops below 11.8 V for 12 V nominal systems, 23.6 V for 24 V nominal systems, or 35.4 V for 42 V nominal systems for more than 120 seconds.

A voltmeter shall be mounted on the driver's instrument panel to allow direct observation of the system voltage.

## Electromagnetic Interference

Electromagnetic interference suppression shall be provided, as required, to satisfy the radiation limits specified in SAE J551/1, *Performance Levels and Methods of Measurement of Electromagnetic Compatibility of Vehicles, Boats (up to 15 m), and Machines (16.6 Hz to 18 GHz)*.

## Wiring Diagram

A complete electrical wiring schematic of actual system shall be provided with finished apparatus. Similar or generic type electrical schematics shall NOT BE ACCEPTABLE.

## Low Voltage Electrical System Performance Test

A low voltage electrical system test certification shall be provided with delivered apparatus.

SHOP NOTE

Locate in console.

## **12 VOLT DIAGNOSTIC RELAY CONTROL CENTER**

The 12 volt power distribution shall be conveniently located with easy access for service. All relays and circuit breakers shall be plug-in type allowing for removal for repairs without necessitating soldering or tools. The sockets mounts for both the relays and circuit breakers shall be of a design that permits the use of standard automotive type components.

The 12 volt distribution panel shall utilize printed circuit boards mounted in high strength enclosure. Each printed circuit board shall be provided with twelve (12) heavy duty independent switching relays. Each relay shall have the ability to be configured either normally open or normally closed and be protected by a 20 amp automatic reset breaker. Each circuit will be provided with a LED for visual diagnostic.

Power distribution panel shall be located in apparatus body within a protected enclosure with removable or hinged cover.

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## **CAB CONSOLE**

A center cab console shall be provided between the Driver's and Officer's seats. Console shall be as large as possible and fabricated of 1/8" smooth aluminum. A textured powder coat paint finish shall be provided for durability and finished appearance.

The rear portion of the console shall be provided with open top storage for notebooks or maps. Two (2) adjustable dividers shall be provided in the storage area. The forward portion of console shall be slanted for mounting of siren head, radio or 12 volt control panel, and etc, with easy access to both Driver and Officer. Four (4) cup holders shall be provided in console.

## **ROCKER SWITCH PANEL**

The control of the 12 volt equipment installed on chassis and body shall be centrally located in the cab. The individual rocker style switches shall be located on a separate electrical panel, complete with backlit name tags describing function of each individual switch. The back lighting shall have two (2) levels of intensity, low level lights activated when the vehicle lights or ignition switch is turned "On", and high level lights activated when individual switch is turned "On". An internally lighted rocker switch shall be furnished to the left of specified emergency lighting switches, and identified as "MASTER EMERGENCY SWITCH".

Switch circuitry shall be on a printed circuit board. The lights shall be solid state type and have a 100,000 hour life span.

The following options shall be provided in specified center console;

- There shall be two (2) communications radio and/or siren 3" recess mount(s) with black powdercoat paint finish in specified console.
- There shall be one (1) 12 VDC power plug(s) provided in specified console.
- There shall be two (2) Blue Sea 12 VDC USB port(s) provided in specified console.

## **ELECTRICAL SYSTEM MANAGER**

### **LOAD MANAGEMENT**

If the total continuous electrical load exceeds the minimum continuous electrical output rating of the installed alternator(s), an Innovative Controls automatic electrical load management system shall be required. The minimum continuous electrical loads shall not be subject to automatic load management.

The apparatus 12 volt electrical system shall be provided with a system manager for:

- Monitoring chassis battery voltage
- Shedding pre-determined electrical circuits
- Sequencing pre-determined electrical circuits
- Automatically controlling chassis engine fast-idle
- Monitor master switch and parking brake applications
- Automatically control warning light modes ("Calling-For" and "Blocking Right of Way")
- Provide low voltage alarm
- Programmable control circuits
- Remote system status indicator panel

System manager shall perform all electrical functions required by current NFPA 1901 Standards.

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## **BATTERY MONITORING**

The system manager shall monitor the vehicle battery voltage. When electrical loads exceed the alternator output and the voltage drops, the load manager shall start shutting down electrical outputs. The system shall shut down only as many outputs required to maintain the system voltage. A special indicator to show different states of the electrical system by flashing at rate proportional to the battery discharge.

## **LOAD SEQUENCING AND SHEDDING**

The system shall be capable of sequentially switching and shedding 12 volt loads. The Master light switch starts the sequential switch when it is turned "On". Likewise turning the Master Switch "Off" will sequentially de-energize the loads.

## **BATTERY SYSTEM**

The battery connectors shall be heavy duty type with cables terminating in heat shrink loom. Heavy duty battery cables shall provide maximum power to the electrical system. Where required, the cables shall be shielded from exhaust tubing and the muffler. Large rubber grommets shall be provided where cables enter the battery compartment.

Batteries shall be of the high-cycle type. With the engine off, the battery system shall be able to provide the minimum continuous electrical load for 10 minutes without discharging more than 50 percent of the reserve capacity and then to restart the engine. The battery system cold cranking amps (CCA) rating shall meet or exceed the minimum CCA recommendations of the engine manufacturer. The batteries shall be mounted to prevent movement during fire apparatus operation and shall be protected against accumulations of road spray, snow, and road debris. The batteries shall be readily accessible for examination, testing, and maintenance.

A means shall be provided for jump-starting the engine if the batteries are not accessible without lifting the cab of a tilt-cab apparatus.

Where an enclosed battery compartment is provided, it shall be ventilated to the exterior to prevent the buildup of heat and explosive fumes. The batteries shall be protected against vibration and temperatures that exceed the battery manufacturer's recommendation.

An onboard battery conditioner or charger or a polarized inlet shall be provided for charging all batteries. Where an onboard conditioner or charger is supplied, the associated line voltage electrical power system shall be installed in accordance with Chapter 22.

One of the following master disconnect switches shall be provided:

- 1) A master body disconnect switch that disconnects all electrical loads not provided by the chassis manufacturer
- 2) A master load disconnect switch that disconnects all electrical loads on the apparatus except the starter

Electronic control systems and similar devices shall be permitted to be otherwise connected if so specified by their manufacturer.

The alternator shall be wired directly to the batteries through the ammeter shunt(s), if one is provided, and not through the master load disconnect switch.

A green "battery disconnect on" indicator light that is visible from the driver's position shall be provided.

Rechargeable hand lights, radios, and other similar devices shall be permitted to be connected to the electrical system ahead of the master disconnect switch.

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A sequential switching device shall be permitted to energize the optical warning devices and other high current devices required in minimum continuous electrical load, provided the switching device shall first energize the electrical devices required in minimum continuous electrical load within 5 seconds.

## **BATTERY SWITCH**

One (1) battery "On/Off" switch shall be provided and located in cab within easy reach of Driver. A green "BATTERY ON" pilot light shall be visible from the driver's position.

## **BATTERY SOLENOID**

Battery switch shall consist of a minimum 200 ampere, constant duty solenoid to feed from positive side of battery.

## **BATTERY CHARGER**

One (1) Kussmaul EV Series Model #445-5399-0, Low Profile 20 amp battery charger shall be provided. The unit shall have 2-step charging, with bulk-float, and no overcharging feature. A remote single bar graph display Model #023-5353-1 shall be installed. This display shall include a "charger on" LED light and bar graph, which operates when charger is not in operation.

The charger shall have the following operational specifications:

- a) 120/240 volts AC input at 3.1 amps
- b) 12 volts DC output at 20 amps
- c) Dimensions of: 2.32" high x 6.8" wide x 13.12" deep and weighs 5 lbs.

The lightweight and low profile battery charger shall supply a 'single battery system' and with a red powder coat aluminum enclosure. The unit shall include an auxiliary 15 amp output circuit with power source selector for operating accessory loads. The unit shall include front panel connections for a remote display and auxiliary loads. Charger output shall pose no interference with other electronic systems on the vehicle.

## **SHORE POWER INLET**

One (1) Kussmaul 120 VAC, 20 amp Super Auto-Eject shore power inlet(s) shall be provided. The shore power connection shall automatically disengage from vehicle when chassis ignition is engaged.

The protective ground from the shoreline inlet shall be bonded to the vehicle frame.

- The outlet cover shall be red.
- The shore power inlet shall be located on the streetside of body, below scene light.

## **ENGINE COMPARTMENT LIGHT**

Engine compartment light(s) shall be supplied and installed by the cab chassis manufacturer.

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## **CAB HAZARD WARNING LIGHT**

A Truck-Lite red LED flashing light shall be provided and located in the driving compartment and be illuminated automatically whenever the vehicles parking brake is not fully engaged and any of the following conditions exist:

- Any passenger or equipment compartment door is not closed.
- Any ladder or equipment rack is not in the stowed position.
- Stabilizer system is not in its stowed position.
- Powered light tower is not stowed.
- Any other device permanently attached to the apparatus is open, extended, or deployed in a manner that is likely to cause damage to the apparatus if the apparatus is moved.

Compartments and equipment meeting all of the following conditions shall be permitted to be exempt from being wired to the hazard light:

- The volume is less than or equal to 4 ft<sup>3</sup> (0.1 m<sup>3</sup>).
- The compartment has an opening less than or equal to 144 in.<sup>2</sup> (92,900 mm<sup>2</sup>).
- The open door does not extend sideways beyond the mirrors or up above the top of the fire apparatus.
- All equipment in the compartment is restrained so that nothing can fall out if the door is open while the apparatus is moving.
- Manually raised pole lights with an extension of less than 5 ft (1.5 m).

The hazard light shall be labeled; "Do not move apparatus when light is on."

In addition, label shall be in both English/French for units built for Canada; "*Ne pas déplacer l'engin lorsque la lumière est allumée.*"

An audible alarm shall be provided for the door ajar light.

## **BACK-UP ALARM**

The body manufacturer shall furnish and install one (1) 107 dB(A) electronic back-up alarm. Back-up alarm to actuate automatically when the transmission gear selector is placed in reverse.

There shall be a back up alarm cut-off switch located in the cab. The back up alarm shall reset to "on" when the apparatus is taken out of reverse.

## **TAIL LIGHTS**

Rear body tail lights shall be vertically mounted and located per Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards, FMVSS and Canadian Motor Vehicle Safety Standards CMVSS. The following lights shall be furnished;

- Two (2) Whelen M6 Series M6BTT red LED stop/tail/turn lights
- Two (2) Whelen M6 Series M6BUW clear LED back-up lights with clear lens

Each light above shall be mounted in an M6FB black finish bezel.

## **MARKER LIGHTS**

The body shall be equipped with all necessary clearance lights and reflectors in accordance with Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards (FMVSS) and Canadian Motor Vehicle Safety Standards (CMVSS) regulations. All body clearance lights shall be Truck-Lite Mini LED to reduce the need for maintenance and lower the amp draw. Clearance lights shall be wired to the headlight circuit of the chassis.



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## **CAB STEP LIGHTS / GROUND LIGHTS**

There shall be two (2) OnScene 8" Access white LED light(s) installed on the vehicle capable of providing illumination at a minimum level of 2 fc (20 lx) on ground areas within 30 in. (800 mm) of the edge of the vehicle in areas designed for personnel to climb onto or descend from the vehicle to the ground level.

Lighting designed to provide illumination on areas under the driver and crew riding area exits shall be switchable but activated automatically when the exit doors are opened.

## **LICENSE PLATE LIGHT**

One (1) Arrow #437 chrome plated LED license plate light shall be installed on the rear of the body. License plate light shall be wired to the headlight circuit of chassis. A fastener system shall be provided for license plate installation.

## **ELECTRONIC SIREN**

One (1) Whelen model 295SLSA1 electronic siren control with selectable 100 or 200 watt output, hands-free operation, user selectable siren tones, park kill, and standard hard wired microphone shall be provided and installed in cab within easy reach of Driver. Siren power shall be wired through the master warning light switch.

## **SIREN SPEAKER**

One (1) Whelen model SA314A 100 watt aluminum, 6.4" x 6.1" x 3.1" deep siren speaker shall be provided and located behind grill or front bumper with natural aluminum finish. The solid state siren speaker shall be vibration resistant. The SA314A shall comply with California Title XIII, Class A, and SAE J1849 requirements and with OSHA 1910.95 Guidelines regarding "Permissible Noise Exposure". All mounting hardware shall be stainless steel and covered by a two year factory warranty.

The siren speaker shall be located on the streetside of front bumper.

## **FRONT LED FLOODLIGHT**

One (1) Rigid Industries E-Series model 120312, 20" combination spot/flood LED light(s) with black housing color and cradle mount brackets shall be provided on front head-ache rack. The E-Series 20" LED light(s) shall have 9,200 lumen output each.

Each light shall be wired directly to the 12 VDC electrical system with stranded copper wire. The floodlights shall be protected with circuit breakers rated at the proper amperage and wire size.

The lights shall be controlled at the switch panel in cab.

## **SIDE LED SCENE LIGHTS**

There shall be four (4) Whelen M6 Series Model M6ZC, 6" x 4" surface mounted scene light(s) provided on the upper body. Light quantity shall be divided equally per side. The M6ZC configuration shall consist of 12 clear Super-LEDs and a clear gradient optic polycarbonate lens. The scene light is covered by a five year factory warranty.

Two (2) switches shall be provided, one (1) for the streetside scene lights, and one (1) for the curbside scene lights.

Each light shall have a chrome flange.

The Lights shall be controlled at the Switch Panel in Cab.

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## **REAR LED SCENE LIGHTS**

Two (2) Whelen M6 Series Model M6ZC, 6" x 4" surface mounted scene light(s) shall be provided on the upper rear body to light the work area immediately behind the vehicle. The M6ZC configuration shall consist of 12 clear Super-LEDs and a clear gradient optic polycarbonate lens with chrome flange. The scene light is covered by a five year factory warranty.

The above scene lights shall light to a level of at least 3 fc (30 lx), measured at 25 equally spaced points on a 2.5 ft (750 mm) grid within a 10 ft x 10 ft (3 m x 3m) square to the rear of vehicle.

The lights shall be controlled at the switch panel in cab.

The rear scene lights shall also be activated when the apparatus is in reverse.

## **SIDE SCENE LIGHTS**

There shall be Rigid Industries Radiance Scene lights located on the side of the apparatus. They shall be mounted on a bracket that will allow them to rotate to provide light around the apparatus.

**\*\* Locate on headache rack bar at front of Body \*\***

## **TRAFFIC ADVISOR LIGHTS**

A traffic advisor system shall be provided on rear of vehicle using; six (6) Whelen Wide-angle ION series amber Super-LED lights with clear lens, and 25 Scan-Lock™ flash patterns. Lights shall be individually mounted with chrome bezels and evenly distributed to rear, if split by a hose bed, or walkway.

The lights shall be controlled by a Whelen TACTL5 control located in cab dash or center console area and provide; Left Arrow, Right Arrow, Center Out, and Wig-Wag patterns. The LED display on the control head shall replicate the Traffic Advisor's directional sequence. The TACTL5 shall have a rear panel dip switch for the ability to set eight additional Scan-Lock™ flash patterns. The wig-wag light pattern shall be activated with the E-Master and can be switched to the other patterns at any time through the control panel.

## **WARNING LIGHT PACKAGE**

Each apparatus shall have a system of optical warning devices that meets or exceeds the requirements of this section.

The optical warning system shall consist of an upper and a lower warning level. The requirements for each level shall be met by the warning devices in that particular level without consideration of the warning devices in the other level.

For the purposes of defining and measuring the required optical performance, the upper and lower warning levels shall be divided into four (4) warning zones. The four zones shall be determined by lines drawn through the geometric center of the apparatus at 45 degrees to a line drawn lengthwise through the geometric center of the apparatus. The four (4) zones shall be designated A, B, C, and D in a clockwise direction, with zone A to the front of the apparatus.

Each optical warning device shall be installed on the apparatus and connected to the apparatus's electrical system in accordance with the requirements of this standard and the requirements of the manufacturer of the device.

A master optical warning system switch that energizes all the optical warning devices shall be provided.

The optical warning system on the fire apparatus shall be capable of two (2) separate signaling modes during emergency operations. One (1) mode shall signal to drivers and pedestrians that the apparatus is responding to an emergency and is calling for the right-of-way. One (1) mode shall signal that the apparatus is stopped and is blocking the right-of-way. The use of some or all of the same warning lights shall be permitted for both modes provided the other requirements of this chapter are met.

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A switching system shall be provided that senses the position of the parking brake or the park position of an automatic transmission. When the master optical warning system switch is closed and the parking brake is released or the automatic transmission is not in park, the warning devices signaling the call for the right-of-way shall be energized. When the master optical warning system switch is closed and the parking brake is on or the automatic transmission is in park, the warning devices signaling the blockage of the right-of-way shall be energized. The system shall be permitted to have a method of modifying the two (2) signaling modes.

The optical warning devices shall be constructed or arranged so as to avoid the projection of light, either directly or through mirrors, into any driving or crew compartment(s). The front optical warning devices shall be placed so as to maintain the maximum possible separation from the headlights.

Steadily burning, non flashing optical sources shall be permitted to be used.

## UPPER LEVEL OPTICAL WARNING DEVICES

The upper-level optical warning devices shall be mounted as high and as close to the corner points of the apparatus as is practical to define the clearance lines of the apparatus. The upper-level optical warning devices shall not be mounted above the maximum height, specified by the device manufacturer.

## ZONE A - FRONT WARNING LIGHTS

There shall be one (1) Whelen Freedom F4N0VLED LED 60" lightbar permanently mounted to the cab roof.

The lightbar configuration (streetside to curbside) shall be:

<u>SECTION</u>	<u>INTERNAL COMPONENTS</u>	<u>LENS COLOR</u>
1	Red Rear Corner LED	Clear
2	Red Front Corner LED	Clear
3	Blank	Clear
4	White Long Super-LED	Clear
5	Blank	Clear
6	Blue Long Super-LED	Clear
7	Blank (Opticom if specified)	Clear
8	Blank (Opticom if specified)	Clear
9	Blue Long Super-LED	Clear
10	Blank	Clear
11	White Long Super-LED	Clear
12	Blank	Clear
13	Red Front Corner LED	Clear
14	Red Rear Corner LED	Clear

All clear lights shall shut down when the parking brake is set to comply with "Blocking" mode requirements as outlined in NFPA 1901.

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The lightbar(s) shall be separately controlled at switch panel in the cab.

The lightbar shall be supplied with LR11 super LED alley lights on each end. Lights shall be wired to specified scene light switches. Addition of alley lights may change standard light bar configuration specified.

## GTT OPTICOM

A GTT Opticom model 795H Infrared LED emitter light with built-in power supply shall be provided inside the specified light bar. Adding the Opticom LED may re-configure the standard light(s) in specified light bar. The LED technology uses less power, has a longer life, and non-visible to the human eye.

The Opticom emitter light shall be activated with light bar and de-activated when the park brake is set and the vehicle is in blocking mode.

There shall be two (2) Whelen Mini-Freedom F4NMINI LED 21.5" lightbars permanently mounted at angle on the cab roof.

The streetside (driver) lightbar configuration shall be:

<u>SECTION</u>	<u>INTERNAL COMPONENTS</u>	<u>LENS COLOR</u>
1	Red Side Linear LED	Clear
2	Red Front Corner Linear LED	Clear
3	Blue Linear LED	Clear
4	Red Front Corner Linear LED	Clear

The curbside (passenger) lightbar configuration shall be:

<u>SECTION</u>	<u>INTERNAL COMPONENTS</u>	<u>LENS COLOR</u>
1	Red Side Linear LED	Clear
2	Red Front Corner Linear LED	Clear
3	BlueLinear LED	Clear
4	Red Front Corner Linear LED	Clear

All clear lights shall shut down when the parking brake is set to comply with "Blocking" mode requirements as outlined in NFPA 1901.

The lightbar(s) shall be separately controlled at switch panel in the cab.

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## ZONE C - REAR WARNING LIGHTS

There shall be two (2) Whelen M6 SurfaceMax, linear super-LED Light(s) with full-fill optic provided, one (1) each side. The light head shall include an integral flasher with programmable flash patterns and Hi/Lo intensities. Component shall be covered by a five year Whelen factory warranty.

Each Light shall have:

- Green LEDs
- Clear Lens

Each light shall have a chrome flange.

- Red Light Streetside / Blue Light Curbside
- Flash Pattern shall be (factory default) Action Scan.

The Lights shall be controlled at the Switch Panel in Cab.

## LOWER LEVEL OPTICAL WARNING DEVICES

To define the clearance lines of the apparatus, the optical center of the lower-level optical warning devices in the front of the vehicle shall be mounted on or forward of the front axle centerline and as close to the front corner points of the apparatus as is practical.

The optical center of the lower-level optical warning devices at the rear of the vehicle shall be mounted on or behind the rear axle centerline and as close to the rear corners of the apparatus as is practical. The optical center of any lower-level device shall be between 18 in. and 62 in. (460 mm and 1600 mm) above level ground for large apparatus, and 18 in. and 48 in. (460 mm and 1600 mm) above level ground.

A midship optical warning device shall be mounted right and the left sides of the apparatus if the distance between the front and rear lower-level optical devices exceeds 25 ft (7.6 m) at the optical center. Additional midship optical warning devices shall be required, where necessary, to maintain a horizontal distance between the centers of adjacent lower-level optical warning devices of 25 ft (7.6 m) or less. The optical center of any midship mounted optical warning device shall be between 18 in. and 62 in. (460 mm and 1600 mm) above level ground.

## ZONE A - FRONT WARNING LIGHTS

There shall be two (2) Whelen M4 series Linear Super-LED lights (M4RC) provided, one (1) each side. One (1) light shall be Red/Clear and One (1) shall be Blue/Clear. Each light shall have a clear lens and chrome flange.

The lights shall be controlled at the switch panel in cab.

## ZONES B AND D - CAB INTERSECTOR LIGHT (CAB FRONT CORNERS)

There shall be two (2) Whelen M4 series Linear Super-LED lights (M4RC) provided, one (1) each side. One (1) Shall be Red/Clear and One (1) Shall be Blue/Clear. Each light shall have a clear lens and chrome flange.

The lights shall be controlled at the switch panel in cab.

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## ZONES B AND D - BODY LIGHT (BODY WHEELWELL AREA)

There shall be two (2) Whelen M4 series Red Linear Super-LED lights (M4RC) provided, one (1) each side. Each light shall have a clear lens and chrome flange.

The lights shall be controlled at the switch panel in cab.

## ZONES B AND D - BODY INTERSECTOR LIGHT (BODY REAR CORNERS)

There shall be two (2) Whelen M4 series Linear Super-LED lights (M4RC) provided, one (1) each side. One (1) shall be Red/Clear and One (1) Shall be Blue/Clear. Each light shall have a clear lens and chrome flange.

The lights shall be controlled at the switch panel in cab.

## ZONE C - REAR WARNING LIGHTS (LOWER REAR CORNERS)

There shall be two (2) Whelen M6 SurfaceMax, linear super-LED Light(s) with full-fill optic provided, one (1) each side. The light head shall include an integral flasher with programmable flash patterns and Hi/Lo intensities. Component shall be covered by a five year Whelen factory warranty.

Each Light shall have:

- Green LEDs
- Clear Lens

Each light shall have a chrome flange.

- Blue Light Streetside / Red Light Curbside
- Flash Pattern shall be (factory default) Action Scan.

The Lights shall be controlled at the Switch Panel in Cab.

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## PUMP AND PLUMBING

### WATERAX PUMP

#### **BB-4-D902 Vehicle Mount Horizontal Drive Pump Specification**

##### **Pump Performance and Rating:**

The pump/engine shall perform to the standards of ISO 9 (Texas Only) and NFPA 1906 medium pressure rating of 50 GPM. Typical pump performance from 5 foot draft under standard NFPA conditions shall be 55 GPM @ 350 PSI, 95 GPM @ 250 PSI, 103 GPM @ 150 PSI, and 104 GPM @ 100 PSI.

The pump shall provide a maximum pressure of 395 PSI and a maximum flow of 106 GPM. It shall be capable of operating to a maximum pressure of 600 PSI and be capable of passing a hydrostatic test of 500 PSI for 10 minutes per NFPA 1906 specifications – NO EXCEPTIONS.

##### **Pump Suction/Discharge Ports:**

The pump intake shall be a 2" Male NPSH hose thread and be an integral part of the pump intake cover. The pump discharge shall be a 1-1/2" Male NPSH hose thread and be an integral part of the pump body. The pump intake and discharge shall be in locations where applicable hose thread adapters can be installed without interference.

##### **Pump:**

The pump shall be a 4-stage centrifugal pump with the pump body, diffusers, and impellers made of an anodized corrosive resistance aluminum. The impeller must be aluminum to match the pump body and diffusers in order to prevent galvanic corrosion from taking place between pump components – NO EXCEPTIONS. The impellers shall be 3.67 inches in diameter. The pump shaft shall be stainless steel supported by two maintenance free bearings and shall not be co-linear to the engine's drive shaft. A sealed roller bearing shall be located externally from the pump and a sintered bronze bushing shall be located within the pump cover. Both bearings must be maintenance free – NO EXCEPTIONS. In addition, the pump seal shall be a mechanical rotary seal, shall be externally pressurized and shall incorporate a blister-resistant carbon seal face, silicon carbide seat, and fully integrated drive bushing – NO EXCEPTIONS.

A 1-1/2 NPSH priming port shall be located on the top side of the pump near the intake cover. The pump shall be coupled to a belt driven speed increaser with a quick release clamp capable of being removed by hand and without any additional tools – NO EXCEPTIONS.

The quick release clamp system shall allow for the entire pump assembly, pump body with all its internal and external components, to be removable and capable of being service at a location away from the diesel engine and fire apparatus upon which it was part of. It shall also allow for the swapping out of the same or different performance pump assemblies within a minute's time – NO EXCEPTIONS.

The horizontal belt driven speed increaser shall be a low maintenance timing belt and pulley system – NO EXCEPTIONS. The belt shall be a high quality timing belt and the drive pulley shall mount directly on the engine drive shaft through a means of a keyed tapered locking device. The increaser shall be a 1 to 1.88 ratio. In addition, a dampening device shall be provided between the pump shaft and pump shaft pulley.

Both the pump and horizontal speed increaser shall be painted red.

##### **Engine:**

The engine shall be a 4-cycle Liquid Cooled Naturally Aspirated Kubota D902-E4B diesel engine. The engine rating shall be 24.8 HP at 3600 RPM with a maximum torque of 40.6 lb-ft at 2600 rpm. The engine shall have a 2.83 bore, 2.9 inches of stroke, and a displacement of 54.8 cubic inches. The engine shall meet current EPA and CARB emission standards.

The electrical system of the engine shall be 12 VDC. It shall also have a 40 amp regulating alternator and be pre-wired to connect to a mating control harness via an industrial sealed connector.

##### **Muffler:**

The engine muffler shall be mounted vertically with the option of a forestry approved spark arrestor or rain cap.

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## **Priming:**

The pump shall provide the following pump priming options: a guzzler type hand primer or a 12VDC electric primer. The guzzler hand primer shall have a composite body with aluminum handle and reinforced buna-n diaphragm and flapper valves. It shall have a lift of 12 feet with the capability of approximately 16 feet when a foot valve is used on the pump suction hose. The hand primer shall be capable of handling a maximum pressure of 15 PSI and weigh 1.7 pounds. It shall ship loose with the unit with all the essential hardware items and hose needed to connect it to the pump up to 6 feet away. The electric primer shall be a 12 VDC piston type vacuum pump with 3/8 female NPT intake and discharge ports – NO EXCEPTIONS. The body of the electric primer shall be a corrosive resistant aluminum with bronze sleeves and a composite piston. It shall pull a maximum current of 105 amps and have a vacuum of 22 in-Hg. The electric primer shall weigh 8.1 pounds. It shall ship loose with the unit with all the essential hardware items and hose needed to connect it to the pump up to 6 feet away. Any priming system offered must be connected to the pump through a ¼ turn ball type shut-off valve to prevent the priming system from being pressurized when the pump is attached to a pressurized water source.

## **Mounting:**

The pump/engine shall have four leg mounts.

## **Control Panel:**

The pump shall have the capability of being supplied with any of 2 types of remote control panel options. The panel connector must mate directly to the industrial connector supplied on the engine harness – NO EXCEPTIONS. The two options shall be a PMSCP-DIESEL (panel mount standard control panel), and a LOFA EP250 Series Control Panel.

1. The PMSCP-DIESEL panel shall be a flush mount flat panel with the following features and controls: Push button panel On/Off switch (lit when the panel is on), push button engine start, red LED low oil pressure warning light, red high temperature coolant warning light, liquid filled dual unit 0-600 PSI/0-4000 kilopascals pump discharge pressure gauge, vernier throttle with red emergency throttle idle push button, low pump pressure protection switch (lit when on), and a cut out for mounting an electric primer chrome momentary toggle switch. The panel shall be wired and the wiring shall terminate with an industrial connector. All panel wiring shall be color coded or labeled to directly correspond to the mating engine or extension harness. All electrical components shall be weather resistant.

2. The LOFA panel shall be a face mountable aluminum enclosure with the following features and controls: rotary Off/Run/Start Switch: LED indicators for glow plug preheat, alternator charge failure, low oil pressure, and high coolant temperature; coolant temperature gauge, oil pressure gauge, voltage gauge, tachometer, and hour meter. The panel shall be wired and the wiring shall terminate with an industrial connector

## **1/2" PUMP COOLER LINE**

There shall be a 1/2" line installed from the discharge side of the pump to the water tank. The line shall be used to cool the pump during long periods of pumping when water is not being discharged. The pump cooler shall be controlled with a quarter-turn ball valve on main pump panel, and shall be clearly labeled "Pump Cooler".

## **PUMP COOLER CHECK VALVE**

There shall be a check valve installed in the pump cooler line to prevent tank water from back flowing into the pump when it is not in use.

## **PUMP DRAIN CONTROL**

The pump drain shall be controlled at the pump operator's panel and identified as "Pump Drain". The control shall be a Class1 round 1/4 turn handle control that is easily actuated with a gloved hand.

Drain shall be labeled "#11 Pump and Plumbing Drain"



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## WATERAX ELECTRIC PRIMER

The primer is driven by an electric piston pump couple to a short duration rated 12v D.C. electric motor. The whole pump is made of corrosion resistant materials.

## SUCTION CAP

The suction inlet shall be equipped with a 2-1/2" NSTF chrome plated cap with chain capable of withstanding 500 psi.

## FOAM SYSTEMS

There shall be a FoamPro 1601 foam system with a 12 VDC, 1/3 hp electric motor driven positive displacement piston type foam concentrate pump with a rated capacity of .01 to 1.0 gpm @ 200 psi, with operating pressures up to 400 psi. The system will draw a maximum of 30 amps @ 12 VDC.

The apparatus shall be equipped with an electronic, fully automatic, variable speed, direct injection, discharge side foam proportioning system. The system shall be capable of handling Class A foam concentrate. The foam proportioning operation shall be based on direct measurement of water flows, and remain consistent within the specified flows and pressures. System must be capable of delivering accuracy to within 5% of calibrated settings over the advertised operation range when installed according to factory standards. The system shall be equipped with a control module suitable for installation on the pump panel. Incorporated within the motor driver shall be a microprocessor that receives input from the system flowmeter, while also monitoring foam concentrate pump output, comparing values to ensure that the operator preset proportional amount of foam concentrate is injected into the discharge side of the fire pump.

A paddlewheel-type flowmeter shall be installed in the discharge system specified to be "foam capable." A simulated flow feature shall be incorporated into the motor driver to simulate an approximate flow value of 100 gpm. This feature is to be engaged or disengaged with a momentary switch and will automatically disengage when the main system switch is turned off.

A 12 VDC electric motor driven positive displacement plunger pump shall be provided. The pump capacity shall be from 0.1 gpm (0.38 L/min) to 1.0 gpm (3.8 L/min) at 200 psi (13.8 BAR) with a maximum operating pressure up to 400 psi (27.6 BAR). The pump shall have the capability to draw 3 foot of lift. The system will draw a maximum of 30 amps @ 12 VDC. The motor shall be controlled by the microprocessor (mounted to the base of the pump). It shall receive signals from the control module and power the 1/3 hp (.25 kW) electric motor in a variable speed duty cycle to ensure that the correct proportion of concentrate is injected into the water stream. A full flow check valve shall be provided in the discharge piping to prevent foam contamination of fire pump and water tank. A 12 psi (.83 BAR) opening pressure check valve shall be provided in concentrate line.

An installation and operation manual shall be provided for the unit, along with a one-year limited warranty by the manufacturer. The system must be installed and calibrated by a Certified FoamPro Dealer. The system design shall have passed environmental testing which simulates heavy use on off-road mobile apparatus. Testing shall have been conducted in accordance to SAE standards.

A means shall be provided to prevent water back flow into the foam proportioning system and the foam concentrate storage tank.

## HOSE THREADS

Hose threads shall be National Standard (NST) on all base threads on the apparatus intakes and discharges, unless otherwise specified. (NST and NH are the same thread)

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## **PLUMBING SPECIFICATIONS**

The fire pump plumbing system shall be fabricated with rigid stainless steel and or flexible piping with stainless steel fittings. Victaulic couplings shall be installed to permit flexing of the plumbing system and allow for quick removal of piping or valves for service. Flexible hose couplings shall be threaded stainless steel or Victaulic connections.

The fire pump and plumbing shall be hydrostatically tested in compliance to applicable sections of NFPA standards, with test results submit with the delivery documentation.

## **STAINLESS STEEL INTAKE MANIFOLD**

The suction manifold assembly shall be fabricated with Schedule 10 type 304 stainless steel. All threaded fittings shall be a minimum of Schedule 10 stainless steel. The suction manifold assembly shall have radiused sweep elbows to minimize water turbulence into the suction volute.

The suction manifold shall be welded and pressure tested prior to installation. The stainless steel manifold assembly shall be attached to the pump intake volute with a heavy-duty, flexible Victaulic coupling.

The entire intake piping system, valves, bleeder valves, and intake closures, excluding the tank-to-pump line on the tank side of the valve, shall be capable of withstanding a hydrostatic pressure of 250 psi (1700 kPa).

## **STAINLESS STEEL DISCHARGE MANIFOLD**

The discharge manifold assembly shall be fabricated with Schedule #10 type 304 stainless steel. All threaded fittings shall be a minimum of Schedule 10 stainless steel. The discharge manifold assembly shall have radiused sweep elbows to minimize water turbulence into the discharge header.

The manifold shall be welded and pressure tested prior to installation. The stainless steel manifold assembly shall be attached to the pump intake volute with a heavy-duty, flexible Victaulic coupling.

The entire discharge piping system; valves; drain cocks; and outlet closures, excluding the tank fill line on the tank side of the valve and CAF system piping and components that include valves that permit isolation from discharge pressure, shall be capable of withstanding a hydrodynamic discharge pressure of 500 psi (3400 kPa) or 100 psi (700 kPa) over the maximum discharge pressure capability rating of the pump, whichever is greater.

## **PLUMBING SYSTEM FINISH**

The plumbing system shall not be painted. The piping and valves shall remain natural color.

## **STAINLESS STEEL PLUMBING WARRANTY**

The stainless steel plumbing shall be free of defects in material and workmanship for a period of ten (10) years, or 100,000 miles (or 160,934 kilometers), whichever occurs first, starting thirty (30) days after the original invoice date.

The contractor shall supply details of their warranty information with their bid submission.

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## **2-1/2" INTAKE**

There shall be one (1) 2-1/2" (65 mm) gated intake(s) located on pump panel. Each intake shall include:

- One (1) Akron Brass 8900 series Gen II, manual type 2-1/2" (65 mm) valve(s) with Fusion CF composite ball. Each valve shall be equipped with a Class 1 stainless steel weld type valve adapter on inlet side, and discharge side with drain port.
  - Valve(s) shall be controlled with a chrome handle directly connected to valve.
- Each intake shall have a 2-1/2" (65 mm) NSTF chrome swivel adapter with strainer provided.
  - The specified adapter shall be provided with a 2-1/2" (65 mm) NSTM chrome plated plug with chain.

Intake shall be labeled "#8 Overboard Suction"

- One (1) Innovative Controls model 3003000, 3/4" brass 90 degree ball type drain valve(s) with lift type handle which can be opened under pressure, with color coded label shall be provided. Valve(s) shall be located on bottom of pump panel or drain the lowest point in the plumbing.

## **TANK TO PUMP CHECK VALVE**

There shall be a check valve between the pump suction and the booster tank valve. The check valve shall eliminate back flow into the water tank when the pump is connected to a pressurized source.

## **TANK TO PUMP VALVE**

A 2-1/2" (65 mm) full flow ball valve shall be installed between the fire pump and the water tank. The connection between the tank and the pump shall be capable of the flow recommendations as set forth in the latest edition of NFPA 1901. A non collapsible flexible hose shall be incorporated into the tank to pump plumbing to allow movement in the line as the chassis flexes to avoid damage during normal road operation. The tank to pump valve shall be controlled from the pump operator's panel.

Tand To Pump shall be labeled "#1 Pump To Tank"

The tank to pump valve shall be as follows;

- One (1) Akron Brass 8900 series Gen II, manual type 2-1/2" (65 mm) valve(s) with Fusion CF composite ball. Each valve shall be equipped with a Class 1 stainless steel weld type valve adapter on inlet side, and discharge side with drain port.
  - Valve(s) shall be controlled with a push/pull type chromed "T" handle connected to the valve. The control handle shall be located adjacent to the plumbing connection.

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## **STREETSIDE DISCHARGE**

### **1-1/2" DISCHARGE**

There shall be one (1) 1-1/2" (38 mm) gated discharge(s) located for street side forward pre-connect in front of the top compartment.

Discharge shall be labeled "#3 Discharge"

- One (1) of the discharge(s) shall flow water and foam.
- One (1) Akron Brass 8900 series Gen II, manual type 1-1/2" (38 mm) valve(s) with Fusion CF composite ball. Each valve shall be equipped with a Class 1 stainless steel weld type valve adapter on inlet side, and discharge side with drain port.
  - Valve(s) shall be controlled with a chrome handle directly connected to valve.
- Each discharge shall have a 1-1/2" (38 mm) NSTF x 1-1/2" (38 mm) NSTM 90 degree swivel provided.

## **CURBSIDE DISCHARGE**

### **1-1/2" DISCHARGE**

There shall be three (3) 1-1/2" (38 mm) gated discharge(s) located on the front of the body curb side in front of the top compartment.

Discharge shall be labeled "#3 Discharge"

- 4) Three (3) of the discharge(s) shall flow water and foam.
  - 5) One (1) shall be located above the C1 compartment on the front of the body.
  - 6) Two (2) shall be located inside the above curbside compartment. They shall be used as the Pre-Connected lines.
- Three (3) Akron Brass 8900 series Gen II, manual type 1-1/2" (38 mm) valve(s) with Fusion CF composite ball. Each valve shall be equipped with a Class 1 stainless steel weld type valve adapter on inlet side, and discharge side with drain port.
  - Valve(s) shall be controlled with a chrome handle directly connected to valve.
- Each discharge shall have a 1-1/2" (38 mm) NSTF x 1-1/2" (38 mm) NSTM 90 degree swivel provided.

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## **1-1/2" DISCHARGE**

There shall be two (2) 1-1/2" (38 mm) gated discharge(s) located on the rear of the apparatus.

Discharges shall be labeled as follows

#19 Discharge Water Only

#3 Discharge Water/Foam

- Two (2) of the discharge(s) shall flow water and foam.

#19 Discharge shall be Water only

# 3 Discharge shall be Water/Foam

- Two (2) Akron Brass 8900 series Gen II, manual type 1-1/2" (38 mm) valve(s) with Fusion CF composite ball. Each valve shall be equipped with a Class 1 stainless steel weld type valve adapter on inlet side, and discharge side with drain port.
- Valve(s) shall be controlled with a chrome handle directly connected to valve.

## **BOOSTER REEL DISCHARGE**

There shall be one (1) Hannay SBEF series booster hose reel discharge(s) with polished aluminum finish, and electric rewind motor located as required, or per itemized compartment layout.

- Power rewind control(s) shall be in a position where the operator can observe the rewinding operation and not be more than 72 in. (1830 mm) above the operator's standing position, and shall be marked with a label indicating its function.
- Each booster hose reel shall be equipped with a Hannay FH-3 hose guide rollers.

One (1) each side of the body

- Each booster reel shall be supplied with 100' x 1" of lightweight 100% polyester booster hose with 1" NST Pyrolite couplings. Hose color shall be red.
- No nozzle is required with specified booster hose reel(s).
- One (1) of the discharge(s) shall flow water and foam.
- One (1) Akron Brass 8900 series Gen II, manual type 1-1/2" (38 mm) valve(s) with Fusion CF composite ball. Each valve shall be equipped with a Class 1 stainless steel weld type valve adapter on inlet side, and discharge side with drain port.
  - Valve(s) shall be controlled with a chrome handle directly connected to valve.

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## **TANK FILL VALVE**

There shall be one (1) 1-1/2" (38mm) tank fill valve plumbed with 1-1/2" plumbing from the pump to the tank. Installation shall be completed with 1-1/2" rubber hose and stainless steel hose couplings. The tank fill valve shall be controlled from the operator's control panel.

Tank Fill Valve shall be labeled: "#2 Pump To Tank"

- One (1) Akron Brass 8900 series Gen II, manual type 1-1/2" (38 mm) valve(s) with Fusion CF composite ball. Each valve shall be equipped with a Class 1 stainless steel weld type valve adapter on inlet side, and discharge side with drain port.
- Valve(s) shall be controlled with a chrome handle directly connected to valve.

## **PUMP PANEL**

The rescue truck shall have a rear pump control panel.

Install two (2) customer supplied radio speakers on the pump panel.

The pump controls shall be mounted on an aluminum control panel with a black powdercoat painted finish.

## **MASTER INTAKE/PRESSURE GAUGES**

There shall be one (1) Innovative Controls/NoShok 4" liquid filled gauge to display the Master Intake Pressure, and labeled "PUMP INTAKE".

There shall be one (1) Innovative Controls/NoShok 4" liquid filled gauge to display the Master Discharge Pressure. Gauge shall be labeled "PUMP DISCHARGE".

Both gauges shall have a die cast zinc, chrome plated bezel and color-coded. The left side (Pump Intake) bezel shall be color coded red, and the right side (Pump Discharge) bezel shall be colored black.

A test gauge port manifold shall be integrated into lower center bezel.

- Gauge(s) shall have a white background with black text.
- Gauge(s) shall have a range from -30" to 400 PSI.

## **PUMP SAFETY AND TEST LABELS**

Safety, information, data, and instruction labels for apparatus shall be provided and installed at the operator's instrument panel.

The labels shall include rated capacities, pressure ratings, and engine speeds as determined by the certification tests. The no-load governed speed of the engine, as stated by the engine manufacturer, shall also be included.

The labels shall be provided with all information and be attached to the apparatus prior to delivery.

## **PUMP PANEL LIGHTING**

All gauges and controls on the pump operator's panel shall be adequately illuminated by a full panel width shielded light assembly with full width OnScene Solutions LED light (each panel, if equipped). The light shall be activated by a weather-proof type switch on the pump operator's panel as well as automatically when pump is engaged. This switch shall also activate any area step lighting.

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## **OVER PUMP AREA COVER AND ACCESS**

Two (2) Doors shall be provided over the pump area. The doors shall open from the center and have piano style hinges on each side. There shall be locking pins in the center to hold the doors in the closed position.

## **POLY WATER TANK**

The water tank capacity shall be approximately 300 US gallon or 249 Imperial gallons. Certification of the tank capacity shall be recorded on the manufacturer's record of construction and shall be provided to the purchaser upon delivery of the apparatus.

## **CONSTRUCTION**

The tank must be designed and fabricated by a tank manufacturer that is ISO 9001:2008 certified. The ISO certification must be to the current standard in effect at the time of the design and fabrication of the tank.

The water tank shall be of a specific configuration and designed to be completely independent of the body and compartments. Joints and seams shall be fused using nitrogen gas as required and tested for maximum strength and integrity. The tank construction shall include PolyProSeal™ technology wherein a sealant shall be installed between the plastic components prior to being fusion welded. This sealing method will provide a liquid barrier offering leak protection in the event of a weld compromise. The top of the booster tank is fitted with removable lifting assembly designed to facilitate tank removal. The transverse and longitudinal swash partitions shall be manufactured of a minimum of 3/8" PT3™ polypropylene. All partitions shall be equipped with vent and air holes to permit movement of air and water between compartments. The partitions shall be designed to provide maximum water flow. All swash partitions interlock with one another and are completely fused to each other as well as to the walls of the tank. All partitions and spacing shall comply with NFPA 1901. The walls shall be welded to the floor of the tank providing maximum strength as part of the tank's unique Full Floor Design™. Tolerances in design allow for a maximum variation of 1/8" on all dimensions.

## **WATER FILL TOWER AND COVER**

The tank shall have a combination vent and manual fill tower. The fill tower shall be constructed of 1/2" PT3™ polypropylene and shall be a minimum dimension of 8" x 8" outer perimeter. The fill tower shall be blue in color indicating that it is a water-only fill tower. The tower shall be located in the left front corner of the tank unless otherwise specified by the tank manufacturer to the purchaser. The tower shall have a 1/4" thick removable polypropylene screen and a PT3™ polypropylene hinged cover. The capacity of the tank shall be engraved on the top of the fill tower lid. Inside the fill tower there shall be a combination vent/overflow pipe. The vent overflow shall be a minimum of schedule 40 polypropylene pipe with a minimum I.D. of 4" that is designed to run through the tank, and shall be piped to discharge water behind the rear wheels as required in NFPA 1901 so as to not interfere with rear tire traction.

The tank cover shall be constructed of 1/2" thick PT3™ polypropylene and UV stabilized, to incorporate a multi-piece locking design, which allows for individual removal and inspection if necessary. The tank cover(s) shall be flush or recessed 3/8" from the top of the tank and shall be fused to the tank walls and longitudinal partitions for maximum integrity. Each one of the covers shall have hold downs consisting of 2" minimum polypropylene dowels spaced a maximum of 40" apart. These dowels shall extend through the covers and will assist in keeping the covers rigid under fast filling conditions. A minimum of two lifting dowels shall accommodate the necessary lifting hardware.

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## **SUMP**

There shall be one (1) sump standard per tank. The sump shall be constructed of a minimum of 1/2" PT3™ polypropylene and be located in the left front quarter of the tank, unless specified otherwise. On all tanks that require a front suction, a 3" schedule 40 polypropylene pipe shall be installed that will incorporate a dip tube from the front of the tank to the sump location. The sump shall have a minimum 3" N.P.T. threaded outlet on the bottom for a drain plug per NFPA. This shall be used as a combination clean-out and drain. All tanks shall have an anti-swirl plate located approximately 3" above the inside floor.

## **OUTLETS**

There will be two (2) standard tank outlets: one for the tank-to-pump suction line, which shall be sized to provide adequate water flow to the pump; and, one for tank fill line, which shall be sized according to the NFPA minimum size chart for booster tanks. All tank fill couplings shall be backed with flow deflectors to break up the stream of water entering the tank, and be capable of withstanding sustained fill rates of up to 1000 G.P.M. The addition of rear suction fittings, nurse valve fittings, dump valve fittings, and through-the-tank sleeves to accommodate rear discharge piping must be specified. All auxiliary outlets and inlets must meet all NFPA guidelines in effect at the time of manufacture.

## **MOUNTING**

The tank shall rest on the body cross members in conjunction with such additional cross members, spaced at a distance that would not allow for more than 530 square inches of unsupported area under the tank floor. In cases where overall height of the tank exceeds 40 inches, cross member spacing must be decreased to allow for not more than 400 square inches of unsupported area.

The tank must be isolated from the cross members through the use of hard rubber strips with a minimum thickness and width dimension of 1/4" x 1" and a Shore A Hardness of approximately 60 durometer. The rubber must be installed so it will not become dislodged during normal operation of the vehicle. Additionally, the tank must be supported around the entire bottom outside perimeter and captured both in the front and rear as well as side to side to prevent tank from shifting during vehicle operation.

A picture frame type cradle mount with a minimum of 2" x 2" x 1/4" mild steel, stainless steel, or aluminum angle shall be provided or the use of corner angles having a minimum dimension of 4" x 4" x 1/4" by 6" high are permitted for the purpose of capturing the tank.

Although the tank is designed on a free floating suspension principle, it is required that the tank have adequate vertical hold down restraints to minimize movement during vehicle operation. If proper retention has not been incorporated into the apparatus hose floor structure, an optional mounting restraint system shall be located on top of the tank, half way between the front and the rear on each side of the tank. These stops can be constructed of steel, stainless steel or aluminum angle having minimum dimensions of 3" x 3" x 1/4" and shall be approximately 6" to 12" long. These brackets must incorporate rubber isolating pads with a minimum thickness of 1/4" inch and a hardness of 60 durometer affixed on the underside of the angle. The angle should then be bolted to the body side walls of the vehicle while extending down to rest on the top outside edge of the upper side wall of the tank. Hose beds floors must be so designed that the floor slat supports extend full width from side wall to side wall and are not permitted to drop off the edge of the tank or in any way come in contact with the individual covers where a puncture could occur. Tank top must be capable of supporting loads up to 200 lbs per sq. foot when evenly distributed. Other equipment such as generators, portable pumps, etc. must not be mounted directly to the tank top unless provisions have been designed into the Poly-Tank® III for that purpose. The tank shall be completely removable without disturbing or dismantling the apparatus structure.

## **CENTER OF GRAVITY**

A center of gravity calculation shall be determined for each tank and provided as requested in order to provide the apparatus manufacturer with the necessary data to design and certify the apparatus with respect to the NFPA requirements regarding rollover stability.



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## **SPARE TIRE CARRIER**

The tanks shall include a built in lockable spare tire carrier.

## **CHAINSAW COMPARTMENT**

The tanks shall include a chainsaw compartment. The compartment shall be lockable.

## **WATER TANK LEVEL GAUGE**

There shall be one (1) Innovative Controls SL series 10-LED water tank level gauge(s) for indicating water tank level. The tank level gauge shall indicate the liquid level on an easy to read display.

Each tank level gauge system shall include:

- A pressure transducer that is mounted on the outside of the tank in an easily accessible area.
- A super bright LED bar graph display with a visual alarm at 1/4 of a tank. The display shall also provide an output to activate an audible alarm or secondary visual alarm at 1/4 of a tank.
- A set of weather resistant connectors to connect the digital display to the pressure transducer and to the apparatus power.

## **CAB MOUNTED WATER TANK INDICATOR**

There shall be one (1) Innovative Controls SL Mini 4-light, remote tank level gauge for indicating water level installed in cab. The tank level gauge shall indicate the liquid level or volume on an easy to read red LED display and show increments of 1/4 of a tank.

The Mini remote gauge will receive data from the same source as the Master Display. No additional transducers shall be required.

## **POLY WATER TANK WARRANTY**

The poly water tank shall be provided with a lifetime material and workmanship limited warranty. The manufacturer shall supply details of their warranty information with their bid submission.

## **FILL TOWER PROTECTION**

The fill tower(s) shall be boxed in with an aluminum panel for protection from damage.

## **CLASS A POLYPROPYLENE FOAM CELL**

There shall be one (1) 20 US gallon or 16.6 Imperial gallons polypropylene foam cell incorporated into the polypropylene water tank. This foam tank capacity shall be deducted from water tank size specified.

There shall be one (1) pressure/vacuum vent installed on the foam tank.

A minimum 1 in. (25 mm) inside diameter full flow drain valve and piping shall be provided at the lowest point of any foam concentrate tank. The drain shall be piped to drain directly to the surface beneath the apparatus without contacting other body or chassis components. Foam cell shall be drill and tapped for foam level gauge.

A label that reads "Foam Tank Fill" shall be placed at or near the foam concentrate tank fill opening.

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A label that specifies the following shall be placed at or near any foam concentrate tank fill opening:

1. Type(s) of foam concentrate the system is designed to use.
2. Any restrictions on the type of foam concentrate that can be used with the system.
3. A FAMA 19 label that reads "Warning: Do Not Mix Brands and Types of Foam". In addition, label shall be in both English/French for units built for Canada; "*Avertissement : Ne pas mélanger les marques et les types d'émulseur*".

## **FOAM TANK LEVEL GAUGE**

There shall be one (1) Innovative Controls SL series 10-LED foam tank level gauge(s) for indicating foam tank level. The gauge shall indicate the liquid level on an easy to read display.

Each tank level gauge system shall include:

- A pressure transducer that is mounted on the outside of the tank in an easily accessible area.
- A super bright LED bar graph display with a visual alarm at 1/4 of a tank. The display shall also provide an output to activate an audible alarm or secondary visual alarm at 1/4 of a tank.
- A set of weather resistant connectors to connect the digital display to the pressure transducer and to the apparatus power.

## **EQUIPMENT PAYLOAD WEIGHT ALLOWANCE**

In compliance with NFPA 1906 standards, the vehicle shall be designed for an equipment loading allowance of 500 lbs. of Aurora Fire Department provided equipment based on the wildland body having at least 50 cu. ft. of storage space and under 20,000 GVWR.

## **EQUIPMENT**

The following equipment shall be furnished with the completed wildland vehicle;

- One (1) container of assorted stainless steel nuts, bolts, screws and washers used in the construction of the apparatus shall be provided with the completed apparatus.
- Two (2) Quick-Grip, or Pac-Trac brand booster hose nozzle holders shall be provided and mounted to front of body, one (1) each side.
- There shall be two (2) Worden HW C7Y-WH yellow handled aluminum wheel chocks provided for 32" diameter tires that together will hold the vehicle when loaded to its GVWR or GCWR, on a hard surface with a 20% grade, with the transmission in neutral, and the parking brake released. The wheel chocks shall have a bright yellow powder coat finish for high visibility, safety and corrosion resistance.
  - The wheel chock(s) shall be mounted on the apparatus, location as per the Aurora Fire Department.
- One (1) Red Head brand wrench holder(s) with two (2) combination spanner wrenches, and one (1) hydrant wrench shall be provided with completed unit.
  - The above specified wrench holder(s) shall be mounted on the rear body panel.

## **REMAINING NFPA MINOR EQUIPMENT BY PURCHASER**

All other minor equipment not specified above, but required by NFPA 1906 for wildland vehicles, section 5.7 shall be supplied and mounted by Aurora Fire Department before the unit is placed in emergency service.