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OBJECTIVE

Create an innovative and capabilities-focused environment as a seasoned professional in all hazard emergency management with 22 years of proven leadership. Provide visionary, strategic leadership to Brevard County Fire Rescue by focusing on a community service organization culture. Implement training, creatively explore resource opportunities, and define processes that allows Brevard County Fire Rescue to reach its maximum and most efficient potential to serve Brevard County citizens the safest environment possible by providing emergency fire and medical response..

EDUCATION

Florida Institute of Technology 12/2018

Masters of Public Administration

Melbourne, FL

Brevard County Board of County Commissioners

Executive Leadership Institute

Rockledge, FL 32955

Barry University 12/2011

Bachelor of Professional Studies-Public Administration

Miami, FL

Brevard Community College 05/2004

Associate of Fire Science

Melbourne, FL

WORK HISTORY

Brevard County Fire Rescue

Assistant Chief of Fire Operations 07/2019- Current

- Provide leadership and direction to operations staff including 1 Division Chief, 15 District Chiefs, Special Operations division, Wildland mitigation officer and the E911 Dispatch center.
- Create partnerships to better serve the Citizens and visitors of Brevard County through Auto aid response agreements, regional training and open communications among community partners.
- Establish Performance measures, to ensure best practices are being implemented within Fire Rescue

- Develop the Fire Operations budget, which accounts for approximately half of the overall Fire Rescue budget.
- Develop and monitor departmental policy, procedures and standards that guide and direct the activities within the department and ensure full compliance with legislative and regulatory requirements.
- Identify, establish and implement best practices related to department activities with a focus on continuous improvement, efficiencies and cost effectiveness.

District Chief

01/2012- 07/2019

- Emergency response and incident command, training and safety, professional development, fire and life safety, budget management, facilities management, and strategic planning
- As District Fire Chief, have successfully managed hundreds of fires and incidents, mutual aid incidents, multiple causality EMS incidents, and Haz/Mat and rescue situations occurring throughout county or in assigned district
- Serves operations division, training division and special operations division
- Committee member of Standard Operating Procedures, Multi-agency Cohabitation/auto-aid response, grant writing, apparatus purchasing, and bunker gear selection committees

Eastern Florida State College

02/2012-Present

Adjunct Instructor

- Building Construction for the Fire Service
- Company Officer Leadership Course
- Course Delivery and Course Design
- Fire Tactics and Strategy, I & II

Brevard County Fire Rescue

Lieutenant/ Paramedic

05/2005-01/2012

- Ensuring the safety of all crew members
- Arranging and performing daily activities of fire station
- Hazard mitigation and initial incident command establishment
- Adjunct Instructor for the Training Division

Firefighter/ Paramedic

03/2000-05/2005

- Assigned to the Special Operations Division (2002-2005)- Hazardous Materials and Technical Rescue response
- Fire Apparatus Operator- managing safe movement of apparatus and proper hydraulic calculations when pumping water.

SPECIAL SKILLS/TRAININGS

- Blue Card Incident Command Instructor
- Fire Officer I Adjunct Instructor
- Fire Rescue Liaison to Emergency Management for Cape Canaveral Air Force Station
- Voting member for the Brevard County Fire Rescue Urban Area Security Initiative Grants (USAI)
- Fire Officer I & II Instructor

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Chief Officer of the Year 2013
- Meritorious Service: Large Animal Rescue 2010
- Unit Citation: Mother's Day Brush Fire 2008
- Company Officer of the Year 2007