

Line of Duty Deaths

As you may know being a firefighter can be a dangerous job – even when training. Because of this factor there are occasionally firefighters that do not come home. That said the firefighter community is typically and inherently a tight knit group and Elsmere FD exemplifies that and so it is important for us to not only mourn any firefighters (not just the ones in our home firehouses) but also learn from any mistakes that may have been made. Reports on Line of Duty Deaths will do just that for us.

Each month each Explorer will research a Line of Duty Death and write a summary of the event with the following information:

- 1) Date of the incident.
- 2) Location of the Incident
- 3) How many firefighters died.
- 4) The name(s) of the firefighters that died.
- 5) The cause of death
- 6) Family they left behind
- 7) Briefly describe the incident
- 8) Briefly describe what went wrong
- 9) Were any fire department policies violated

Each report should use the provided blank copy and attach a copy of the article used.

Line of Duty Death Report
Remember to Attach a Copy of the Article

Your name: _____

Date of the incident: _____

Location of the incident (City, State): _____

How many firefighters died?: _____

The names of the firefighters that dies are: _____

The cause of Death: _____

Family left behind: _____

Briefly describe the incident:

Briefly describe what went wrong:

Were any fire department policies or regulations violated?: If so, which ones?: