## **CLARENCE FIRE DISTRICT NO. 1**

## PROCEDURE FOR FIREFIGHTER REQUESTS TO VIEW THEIR PERSONNEL FILE

### I. SCOPE:

This policy applies to all firefighters who request to view their personnel file.

#### II. OBJECTIVE:

The objective of this policy is to set forth procedures for firefighters and/or their agents to view their personnel file.

#### III. <u>GUIDELINES</u>:

The following guidelines are hereby established:

- A. Requests shall be in <u>writing</u> and submitted to the Fire District Secretary. Telephone contacts are <u>not acceptable</u>. Requests may be made by the firefighter and/or his/her agent. (See attached form request.)
- B. The Fire District Secretary shall document the date received and immediately forward the request to the Chairman of the Board of Fire Commissioners, or his designee.
- C. The Chairman, or his designee, shall contact the firefighter to schedule an appointment. The contact with the firefighter or his/her agent shall be within three days of the receipt of the request. If the Chairman, or his designee, is unable to make contact to schedule a meeting with the requesting firefighter (or his/her agent), the attempts will be documented.
- D. The firefighter may request copies of anything contained in their personnel file. There shall be a fee not to exceed twenty-five cents per page.
- E. The firefighter shall sign an acknowledgment that he/she (or agent) has reviewed the file and received any requested copies.
- **IV.** The Board of Fire Commissioners may change this policy at any time.

This policy is adopted March 12, 2012 and supersedes the previous reversion of this policy adopted December 12, 2005.

By order of the Board of Fire Commissioners, Clarence Fire District No. 1

Clarence Fire District No. 1 10355 Main Street PO Box 340	
Clarence, NY 14031  Gentlemen,	
Please contact me to schedule an appointment to review my personnel file.	
Sincerely,	
Firefighter's Signature	Date

**Board of Fire Commissioners** 

# Clarence Fire District No. 1 Firefighter Log For Review of Personnel File

Name:			
View Date	Listing of Copies	View Only (check here)	Signature