

**Public Protection Classification
(PPC[®])
Summary Report**

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- Company Personnel 15 points
- Training 9 points
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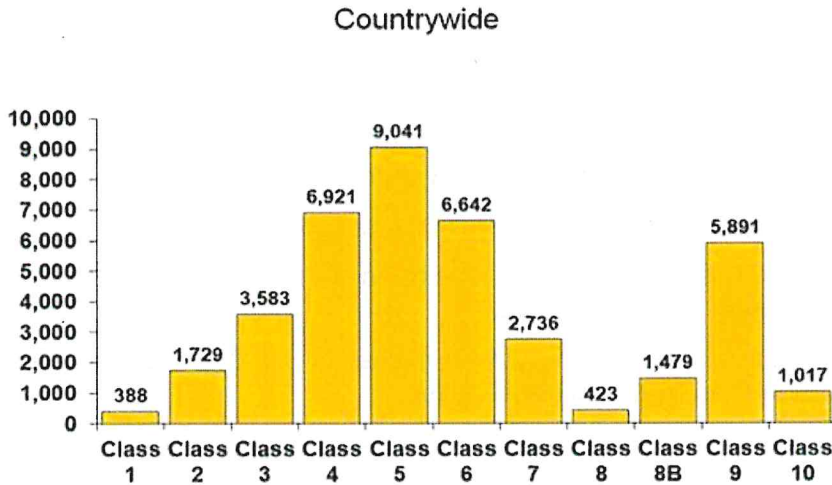
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|----------------------|--------------------|
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| 3/9 | 3/3X |
| 4/9 | 4/4X |
| 5/9 | 5/5X |
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Emergency Communications

Ten percent of a community's overall score is based on how well the communications center receives and dispatches fire alarms. Our field representative evaluated:

- Communications facilities provided for the general public to report structure fires
- Enhanced 9-1-1 Telephone Service including wireless
- Computer-aided dispatch (CAD) facilities
- Alarm receipt and processing at the communication center
- Training and certification of telecommunicators
- Facilities used to dispatch fire department companies to reported structure fires

| | Earned Credit | Credit Available |
|---|----------------------|-------------------------|
| 414. Credit Emergency Reporting | 2.55 | 3 |
| 422. Credit for Telecommunicators | 2.40 | 4 |
| 432. Credit for Dispatch Circuits | 1.54 | 3 |
| Item 440. Credit for Emergency Communications: | 6.49 | 10 |

Item 414 - Credit for Emergency Reporting (3 points)

The first item reviewed is Item 414 "Credit for Emergency Reporting (CER)". This item reviews the emergency communication center facilities provided for the public to report fires including 911 systems (Basic or Enhanced), Wireless Phase I and Phase II, Voice over Internet Protocol, Computer Aided Dispatch and Geographic Information Systems for automatic vehicle location. ISO uses National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) 1221, *Standard for the Installation, Maintenance and Use of Emergency Services Communications Systems* as the reference for this section.

To receive full credit for operators on duty, ISO must review documentation to show that the communication center meets NFPA 1221 call answering and dispatch time performance measurement standards. This documentation may be in the form of performance statistics or other performance measurements compiled by the 9-1-1 software or other software programs that are currently in use such as Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD) or Management Information System (MIS).

| Item 420. Telecommunicators (CTC) | Earned Credit | Credit Available |
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| <p>A1. Alarm Receipt (AR) Receipt of alarms shall meet the requirements in accordance with the criteria of NFPA 1221</p> | 0.00 | 20 |
| <p>A2. Alarm Processing (AP) Processing of alarms shall meet the requirements in accordance with the criteria of NFPA 1221</p> | 20.00 | 20 |
| <p>B. Emergency Dispatch Protocols (EDP) Telecommunicators have emergency dispatch protocols (EDP) containing questions and a decision-support process to facilitate correct call categorization and prioritization.</p> | 0.00 | 20 |
| <p>C. Telecommunicator Training and Certification (TTC) Telecommunicators meet the qualification requirements referenced in NFPA 1061, <i>Standard for Professional Qualifications for Public Safety Telecommunicator</i>, and/or the Association of Public-Safety Communications Officials - International (APCO) <i>Project 33</i>. Telecommunicators are certified in the knowledge, skills, and abilities corresponding to their job functions.</p> | 20.00 | 20 |
| <p>D. Telecommunicator Continuing Education and Quality Assurance (TQA) Telecommunicators participate in continuing education and/or in-service training and quality-assurance programs as appropriate for their positions</p> | 20.00 | 20 |
| <p>Review of Telecommunicators total:</p> | 60.00 | 100 |

Fire Department

Fifty percent of a community's overall score is based upon the fire department's structure fire suppression system. ISO's field representative evaluated:

- Engine and ladder/service vehicles including reserve apparatus
- Equipment carried
- Response to reported structure fires
- Deployment analysis of companies
- Available and/or responding firefighters
- Training

| | Earned Credit | Credit Available |
|---|----------------------|-------------------------|
| 513. Credit for Engine Companies | 5.83 | 6 |
| 523. Credit for Reserve Pumpers | 0.50 | 0.5 |
| 532. Credit for Pumper Capacity | 3.00 | 3 |
| 549. Credit for Ladder Service | 1.17 | 4 |
| 553. Credit for Reserve Ladder and Service Trucks | 0.00 | 0.5 |
| 561. Credit for Deployment Analysis | 1.94 | 10 |
| 571. Credit for Company Personnel | 6.99 | 15 |
| 581. Credit for Training | 8.78 | 9 |
| 730. Credit for Operational Considerations | 2.00 | 2 |
| Item 590. Credit for Fire Department: | 30.21 | 50 |

Basic Fire Flow

The Basic Fire Flow for the community is determined by the review of the Needed Fire Flows for selected buildings in the community. The fifth largest Needed Fire Flow is determined to be the Basic Fire Flow. The Basic Fire Flow has been determined to be 3000 gpm.

Item 523 - Credit for Reserve Pumpers (0.50 points)

The item is Item 523 "Credit for Reserve Pumpers (CRP)". This item reviews the number and adequacy of the pumpers and their equipment. The number of needed reserve pumpers is 1 for each 8 needed engine companies determined in Item 513, or any fraction thereof.

Item 523 "Credit for Reserve Pumpers (CRP)" = 0.50 points

Item 532 – Credit for Pumper Capacity (3 points)

The next item reviewed is Item 532 "Credit for Pumper Capacity (CPC)". The total pump capacity available should be sufficient for the Basic Fire Flow of 3000 gpm. The maximum needed pump capacity credited is the Basic Fire Flow of the community.

Item 532 "Credit for Pumper Capacity (CPC)" = 3.00 points

Item 549 – Credit for Ladder Service (4 points)

The next item reviewed is Item 549 "Credit for Ladder Service (CLS)". This item reviews the number of response areas within the city with 5 buildings that are 3 or more stories or 35 feet or more in height, or with 5 buildings that have a Needed Fire Flow greater than 3,500 gpm, or any combination of these criteria. The height of all buildings in the city, including those protected by automatic sprinklers, is considered when determining the number of needed ladder companies. Response areas not needing a ladder company should have a service company. Ladders, tools and equipment normally carried on ladder trucks are needed not only for ladder operations but also for forcible entry, ventilation, salvage, overhaul, lighting and utility control.

The number of ladder or service companies, the height of the aerial ladder, aerial ladder testing and the equipment carried on the in-service ladder trucks and service trucks is compared with the number of needed ladder trucks and service trucks and an FSRS equipment list. Ladder trucks must meet the general criteria of NFPA 1901, *Standard for Automotive Fire Apparatus* to be recognized.

The number of needed ladder-service trucks is dependent upon the number of buildings 3 stories or 35 feet or more in height, buildings with a Needed Fire Flow greater than 3,500 gpm, and the method of operation.

The FSRS recognizes that there are **0 ladder companies** in service. These companies are needed to provide fire suppression services to areas to meet NFPA 1710 criteria or within 2½ miles and the number of buildings with a Needed Fire Flow over 3,500 gpm or 3 stories or more in height, or the method of operation.

The FSRS recognizes that there are **1 service companies** in service.

Item 549 "Credit for Ladder Service (CLS)" = 1.17 points

Item 571 – Credit for Company Personnel (15 points)

Item 571 “Credit for Company Personnel (CCP)” reviews the average number of existing firefighters and company officers available to respond to reported first alarm structure fires in the city.

The on-duty strength is determined by the yearly average of total firefighters and company officers on-duty considering vacations, sick leave, holidays, “Kelley” days and other absences. When a fire department operates under a minimum staffing policy, this may be used in lieu of determining the yearly average of on-duty company personnel.

Firefighters on apparatus not credited under Items 513 and 549 that regularly respond to reported first alarms to aid engine, ladder, and service companies are included in this item as increasing the total company strength.

Firefighters staffing ambulances or other units serving the general public are credited if they participate in fire-fighting operations, the number depending upon the extent to which they are available and are used for response to first alarms of fire.

On-Call members are credited on the basis of the average number staffing apparatus on first alarms. Off-shift career firefighters and company officers responding on first alarms are considered on the same basis as on-call personnel. For personnel not normally at the fire station, the number of responding firefighters and company officers is divided by 3 to reflect the time needed to assemble at the fire scene and the reduced ability to act as a team due to the various arrival times at the fire location when compared to the personnel on-duty at the fire station during the receipt of an alarm.

The number of Public Safety Officers who are positioned in emergency vehicles within the jurisdiction boundaries may be credited based on availability to respond to first alarm structure fires. In recognition of this increased response capability the number of responding Public Safety Officers is divided by 2.

The average number of firefighters and company officers responding with those companies credited as Automatic Aid under Items 513 and 549 are considered for either on-duty or on-call company personnel as is appropriate. The actual number is calculated as the average number of company personnel responding multiplied by the value of AA Plan determined in Item 512.D.

The maximum creditable response of on-duty and on-call firefighters is 12, including company officers, for each existing engine and ladder company and 6 for each existing service company.

Chief Officers are not creditable except when more than one chief officer responds to alarms; then extra chief officers may be credited as firefighters if they perform company duties.

The FSRS recognizes **6.71 on-duty personnel** and an average of **0.00 on-call personnel** responding on first alarm structure fires.

Item 571 “Credit for Company Personnel (CCP)” = 6.99 points

Item 730 – Operational Considerations (2 points)

Item 730 “Credit for Operational Considerations (COC)” evaluates fire department standard operating procedures and incident management systems for emergency operations involving structure fires.

| Operational Considerations | Earned Credit | Credit Available |
|--|----------------------|-------------------------|
| Standard Operating Procedures The department should have established SOPs for fire department general emergency operations | 50 | 50 |
| Incident Management Systems The department should use an established incident management system (IMS) | 50 | 50 |
| Operational Considerations total: | 100 | 100 |

Item 730 “Credit for Operational Considerations (COC)” = 2.00 points

Water Supply

Forty percent of a community's overall score is based on the adequacy of the water supply system. The ISO field representative evaluated:

- the capability of the water distribution system to meet the Needed Fire Flows at selected locations up to 3,500 gpm.
- size, type and installation of fire hydrants.
- inspection and flow testing of fire hydrants.

| | Earned Credit | Credit Available |
|---|----------------------|-------------------------|
| 616. Credit for Supply System | 6.66 | 30 |
| 621. Credit for Hydrants | 3.00 | 3 |
| 631. Credit for Inspection and Flow Testing | 6.20 | 7 |
| Item 640. Credit for Water Supply: | 15.86 | 40 |

The second item reviewed is Item 621 "Credit for Hydrants (CH)". This item reviews the number of fire hydrants of each type compared with the total number of hydrants.

There are a total of 11 hydrants in the graded area.

| 620. Hydrants, - Size, Type and Installation | Number of Hydrants |
|--|--------------------|
| A. With a 6 -inch or larger branch and a pumper outlet with or without 2½ - inch outlets | 11 |
| B. With a 6 -inch or larger branch and no pumper outlet but two or more 2½ -inch outlets, or with a small foot valve, or with a small barrel | 0 |
| C./D. With only a 2½ -inch outlet or with less than a 6 -inch branch | 0 |
| E./F. Flush Type, Cistern, or Suction Point | 0 |

Item 621 "Credit for Hydrants (CH)" = 3.00 points

Item 630 – Credit for Inspection and Flow Testing (7 points)

The third item reviewed is Item 630 "Credit for Inspection and Flow Testing (CIT)". This item reviews the fire hydrant inspection frequency, and the completeness of the inspections. Inspection of hydrants should be in accordance with AWWA M-17, *Installation, Field Testing and Maintenance of Fire Hydrants*.

Frequency of Inspection (FI): Average interval between the 3 most recent inspections.

| Frequency | Points |
|-----------------|-----------|
| 1 year | 30 |
| 2 years | 20 |
| 3 years | 10 |
| 4 years | 5 |
| 5 years or more | No Credit |

Note: The points for inspection frequency are reduced by 10 points if the inspections are incomplete or do not include a flushing program. An additional reduction of 10 points are made if hydrants are not subjected to full system pressure during inspections. If the inspection of cisterns or suction points does not include actual drafting with a pumper, or back-flushing for dry hydrants, 20 points are deducted.

Total points for Inspections = 3.20 points

Frequency of Fire Flow Testing (FF): Average interval between the 3 most recent inspections.

| | | |
|--|--------------|-----------|
| Evaluation of fire prevention code regulations in effect. | | |
| Fire Prevention Staffing (PS) Evaluation of staffing for fire prevention activities. | 1.95 | 8 |
| Fire Prevention Certification and Training (PCT) Evaluation of the certification and training of fire prevention code enforcement personnel. | 1.85 | 6 |
| Fire Prevention Programs (PCP) Evaluation of fire prevention programs. | 14.80 | 16 |
| Review of Fire Prevention Code and Enforcement (CPCE) subtotal: | 28.60 | 40 |

| Item 1033 – Credit for Public Fire Safety Education (2.2 points) | Earned Credit | Credit Available |
|--|----------------------|-------------------------|
| Public Fire Safety Educators Qualifications and Training (FSQT) Evaluation of public fire safety education personnel training and qualification as specified by the authority having jurisdiction. | 10.00 | 10 |
| Public Fire Safety Education Programs (FSP) Evaluation of programs for public fire safety education. | 22.00 | 30 |
| Review of Public Safety Education Programs (CFSE) subtotal: | 32.00 | 40 |

| Item 1044 – Credit for Fire Investigation Programs (1.1 points) | Earned Credit | Credit Available |
|--|----------------------|-------------------------|
| Fire Investigation Organization and Staffing (IOS) Evaluation of organization and staffing for fire investigations. | 8.00 | 8 |
| Fire Investigator Certification and Training (IQT) Evaluation of fire investigator certification and training. | 3.60 | 6 |
| Use of National Fire Incident Reporting System (IRS) Evaluation of the use of the National Fire Incident Reporting System (NFIRS) for the 3 years before the evaluation. | 6.00 | 6 |
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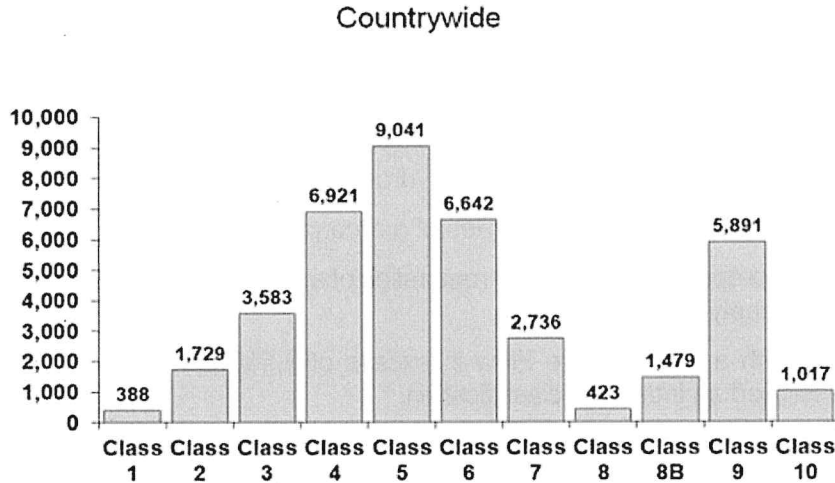
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Item 523 "Credit for Reserve Pumpers (CRP)" = 0.50 points

Item 532 – Credit for Pumper Capacity (3 points)

The next item reviewed is Item 532 "Credit for Pumper Capacity (CPC)". The total pump capacity available should be sufficient for the Basic Fire Flow of 3500 gpm. The maximum needed pump capacity credited is the Basic Fire Flow of the community.

Item 532 "Credit for Pumper Capacity (CPC)" = 3.00 points

Item 549 – Credit for Ladder Service (4 points)

The next item reviewed is Item 549 "Credit for Ladder Service (CLS)". This item reviews the number of response areas within the city with 5 buildings that are 3 or more stories or 35 feet or more in height, or with 5 buildings that have a Needed Fire Flow greater than 3,500 gpm, or any combination of these criteria. The height of all buildings in the city, including those protected by automatic sprinklers, is considered when determining the number of needed ladder companies. Response areas not needing a ladder company should have a service company. Ladders, tools and equipment normally carried on ladder trucks are needed not only for ladder operations but also for forcible entry, ventilation, salvage, overhaul, lighting and utility control.

The number of ladder or service companies, the height of the aerial ladder, aerial ladder testing and the equipment carried on the in-service ladder trucks and service trucks is compared with the number of needed ladder trucks and service trucks and an FSRS equipment list. Ladder trucks must meet the general criteria of NFPA 1901, *Standard for Automotive Fire Apparatus* to be recognized.

The number of needed ladder-service trucks is dependent upon the number of buildings 3 stories or 35 feet or more in height, buildings with a Needed Fire Flow greater than 3,500 gpm, and the method of operation.

The FSRS recognizes that there are **1 ladder companies** in service. These companies are needed to provide fire suppression services to areas to meet NFPA 1710 criteria or within 2½ miles and the number of buildings with a Needed Fire Flow over 3,500 gpm or 3 stories or more in height, or the method of operation.

The FSRS recognizes that there are **0 service companies** in service.

Item 549 "Credit for Ladder Service (CLS)" = 0.58 points

Item 571 – Credit for Company Personnel (15 points)

Item 571 “Credit for Company Personnel (CCP)” reviews the average number of existing firefighters and company officers available to respond to reported first alarm structure fires in the city.

The on-duty strength is determined by the yearly average of total firefighters and company officers on-duty considering vacations, sick leave, holidays, “Kelley” days and other absences. When a fire department operates under a minimum staffing policy, this may be used in lieu of determining the yearly average of on-duty company personnel.

Firefighters on apparatus not credited under Items 513 and 549 that regularly respond to reported first alarms to aid engine, ladder, and service companies are included in this item as increasing the total company strength.

Firefighters staffing ambulances or other units serving the general public are credited if they participate in fire-fighting operations, the number depending upon the extent to which they are available and are used for response to first alarms of fire.

On-Call members are credited on the basis of the average number staffing apparatus on first alarms. Off-shift career firefighters and company officers responding on first alarms are considered on the same basis as on-call personnel. For personnel not normally at the fire station, the number of responding firefighters and company officers is divided by 3 to reflect the time needed to assemble at the fire scene and the reduced ability to act as a team due to the various arrival times at the fire location when compared to the personnel on-duty at the fire station during the receipt of an alarm.

The number of Public Safety Officers who are positioned in emergency vehicles within the jurisdiction boundaries may be credited based on availability to respond to first alarm structure fires. In recognition of this increased response capability the number of responding Public Safety Officers is divided by 2.

The average number of firefighters and company officers responding with those companies credited as Automatic Aid under Items 513 and 549 are considered for either on-duty or on-call company personnel as is appropriate. The actual number is calculated as the average number of company personnel responding multiplied by the value of AA Plan determined in Item 512.D.

The maximum creditable response of on-duty and on-call firefighters is 12, including company officers, for each existing engine and ladder company and 6 for each existing service company.

Chief Officers are not creditable except when more than one chief officer responds to alarms; then extra chief officers may be credited as firefighters if they perform company duties.

The FSRS recognizes **8.71 on-duty personnel** and an average of **0.00 on-call personnel** responding on first alarm structure fires.

Item 571 “Credit for Company Personnel (CCP)” = 7.17 points

Item 730 – Operational Considerations (2 points)

Item 730 “Credit for Operational Considerations (COC)” evaluates fire department standard operating procedures and incident management systems for emergency operations involving structure fires.

| Operational Considerations | Earned Credit | Credit Available |
|--|----------------------|-------------------------|
| Standard Operating Procedures The department should have established SOPs for fire department general emergency operations | 50 | 50 |
| Incident Management Systems The department should use an established incident management system (IMS) | 50 | 50 |
| Operational Considerations total: | 100 | 100 |

Item 730 “Credit for Operational Considerations (COC)” = 2.00 points

Water Supply

Forty percent of a community's overall score is based on the adequacy of the water supply system. The ISO field representative evaluated:

- the capability of the water distribution system to meet the Needed Fire Flows at selected locations up to 3,500 gpm.
- size, type and installation of fire hydrants.
- inspection and flow testing of fire hydrants.

| | Earned Credit | Credit Available |
|---|----------------------|-------------------------|
| 616. Credit for Supply System | 25.57 | 30 |
| 621. Credit for Hydrants | 2.44 | 3 |
| 631. Credit for Inspection and Flow Testing | 6.20 | 7 |
| Item 640. Credit for Water Supply: | 34.21 | 40 |

The second item reviewed is Item 621 "Credit for Hydrants (CH)". This item reviews the number of fire hydrants of each type compared with the total number of hydrants.

There are a total of 1331 hydrants in the graded area.

| 620. Hydrants, - Size, Type and Installation | Number of Hydrants |
|--|--------------------|
| A. With a 6 -inch or larger branch and a pumper outlet with or without 2½ - inch outlets | 998 |
| B. With a 6 -inch or larger branch and no pumper outlet but two or more 2½ -inch outlets, or with a small foot valve, or with a small barrel | 0 |
| C./D. With only a 2½ -inch outlet or with less than a 6 -inch branch | 333 |
| E./F. Flush Type, Cistern, or Suction Point | 0 |

Item 621 "Credit for Hydrants (CH)" = 2.44 points

Item 630 – Credit for Inspection and Flow Testing (7 points)

The third item reviewed is Item 630 "Credit for Inspection and Flow Testing (CIT)". This item reviews the fire hydrant inspection frequency, and the completeness of the inspections. Inspection of hydrants should be in accordance with AWWA M-17, *Installation, Field Testing and Maintenance of Fire Hydrants*.

Frequency of Inspection (FI): Average interval between the 3 most recent inspections.

| Frequency | Points |
|-----------------|-----------|
| 1 year | 30 |
| 2 years | 20 |
| 3 years | 10 |
| 4 years | 5 |
| 5 years or more | No Credit |

Note: The points for inspection frequency are reduced by 10 points if the inspections are incomplete or do not include a flushing program. An additional reduction of 10 points are made if hydrants are not subjected to full system pressure during inspections. If the inspection of cisterns or suction points does not include actual drafting with a pumper, or back-flushing for dry hydrants, 20 points are deducted.

Total points for Inspections = 3.20 points

Frequency of Fire Flow Testing (FF): Average interval between the 3 most recent inspections.

| | | |
|--|--------------|-----------|
| Evaluation of fire prevention code regulations in effect. | | |
| Fire Prevention Staffing (PS) Evaluation of staffing for fire prevention activities. | 1.95 | 8 |
| Fire Prevention Certification and Training (PCT) Evaluation of the certification and training of fire prevention code enforcement personnel. | 1.85 | 6 |
| Fire Prevention Programs (PCP) Evaluation of fire prevention programs. | 14.80 | 16 |
| Review of Fire Prevention Code and Enforcement (CPCE) subtotal: | 28.60 | 40 |

| Item 1033 – Credit for Public Fire Safety Education (2.2 points) | Earned Credit | Credit Available |
|--|----------------------|-------------------------|
| Public Fire Safety Educators Qualifications and Training (FSQT) Evaluation of public fire safety education personnel training and qualification as specified by the authority having jurisdiction. | 10.00 | 10 |
| Public Fire Safety Education Programs (FSP) Evaluation of programs for public fire safety education. | 22.00 | 30 |
| Review of Public Safety Education Programs (CFSE) subtotal: | 32.00 | 40 |

| Item 1044 – Credit for Fire Investigation Programs (1.1 points) | Earned Credit | Credit Available |
|--|----------------------|-------------------------|
| Fire Investigation Organization and Staffing (IOS) Evaluation of organization and staffing for fire investigations. | 8.00 | 8 |
| Fire Investigator Certification and Training (IQT) Evaluation of fire investigator certification and training. | 3.60 | 6 |
| Use of National Fire Incident Reporting System (IRS) Evaluation of the use of the National Fire Incident Reporting System (NFIRS) for the 3 years before the evaluation. | 6.00 | 6 |
| Review of Fire Investigation Programs (CIP) subtotal: | 17.60 | 20 |

INSURANCE SERVICES OFFICE, INC.
HYDRANT FLOW DATA SUMMARY

Community Ozark And Ozark Rural Fd Fpsa

County Missouri(Christian), State MISSOURI
(24)

Witnessed by: Insurance Services Office

Survey Date: June 15, 2021

| TEST NO. | TYPE DIST.* | TEST LOCATION | SERVICE | FLOW - GPM Q=(29.83(C/d) ² p ^{0.5}) | | PRESSURE PSI | | FLOW -AT 20 PSI | | REMARKS*** | MODEL TYPE | FLOW TEST DATE |
|----------|-------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|-------|-----------------|--------|-----------------|--------|------------|------------|----------------|
| | | | | INDIVIDUAL HYDRANTS | TOTAL | STATIC | RESID. | NEEDED** | AVAIL. | | | |
| 1 | | 7TH & MCCRAKEN | Ozark Water Department, Central | 750 | 0 | 750 | 59 | 54 | 3500 | 2300 | FTPC | 05/06/2021 |
| 2 | | RIVERSIDE & PARKVIEW | Ozark Water Department, Central | 1640 | 0 | 1640 | 110 | 102 | 750 | 6100 | FTPC | 05/06/2021 |
| 3.0 | | 6001 N 21st | Ozark Water Department, North | 1320 | 0 | 1320 | 86 | 77 | 4500 | 3900 | FTPC | 05/06/2021 |
| 3.1 | | 6001 N 21st | Ozark Water Department, North | 1320 | 0 | 1320 | 86 | 77 | 3000 | 3900 | FTPC | 05/06/2021 |
| 4 | | 12 and Diane | Ozark Water Department, Central | 810 | 480 | 1290 | 90 | 50 | 2500 | 1700 | FTPC | 05/06/2021 |
| 5 | | 3600 N RTE NN | Ozark Water Department, North | 1280 | 0 | 1280 | 62 | 57 | 5000 | 4000 | FTPC | 05/06/2021 |
| 5.1 | | 3600 N RTE NN | Ozark Water Department, North | 1280 | 0 | 1280 | 62 | 57 | 2000 | 4000 | FTPC | 05/06/2021 |
| 6.0 | | 5504 N 17th | Ozark Water Department, North | 1370 | 0 | 1370 | 85 | 79 | 3500 | 5000 | FTPC | 05/06/2021 |
| 7 | | 3445 N 21st | Ozark Water Department, North | 1210 | 0 | 1210 | 61 | 56 | 4500 | 3800 | FTPC | 05/06/2021 |
| 7.1 | | 3445 N 21st | Ozark Water Department, North | 1210 | 0 | 1210 | 61 | 56 | 2000 | 3800 | FTPC | 05/06/2021 |
| 8 | | 20TH & JACKSON | Ozark Water Department, North | 1190 | 0 | 1190 | 89 | 84 | 4000 | 4900 | FTPC | 05/06/2021 |
| 8.1 | | 20TH & JACKSON | Ozark Water Department, North | 1190 | 0 | 1190 | 89 | 84 | 3500 | 4900 | FTPC | 05/06/2021 |
| 9.0 | | 1400 W Jackson NE Corner of lot | Ozark Water Department, Central | 980 | 0 | 980 | 88 | 44 | 3500 | 1200 | FTPC | 05/06/2021 |
| 10.0 | | 5121 N 17th | Ozark Water Department, North | 1160 | 0 | 1160 | 75 | 62 | 3500 | 2500 | FTPC | 05/06/2021 |
| 11 | | 1250 W South | Ozark Water Department, South | 1270 | 0 | 1270 | 82 | 71 | 3000 | 3200 | FTPC | 05/06/2021 |
| 12 | | 200 E South | Ozark Water Department, South | 1190 | 0 | 1190 | 58 | 53 | 3000 | 3600 | FTPC | 05/06/2021 |

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| 13 | | HARTLEY & 13th AVE | Ozark Water Department, South | 0 | 0 | 1590 | 100 | 95 | 750 | 7100 | | FTPc | 05/06/2021 |
| 14 | | 3RD AVE & OAK | Ozark Water Department, Central | 0 | 0 | 1270 | 94 | 88 | 750 | 4900 | | FTPc | 05/06/2021 |
| 15 | | 2ND AVE & CHURCH | Ozark Water Department, Central | 0 | 0 | 1380 | 85 | 80 | 1500 | 5500 | | FTPc | 05/06/2021 |
| 16 | | 2ND AVE & HALL | Ozark Water Department, Central | 0 | 0 | 1350 | 82 | 71 | 1250 | 3400 | | FTPc | 05/06/2021 |
| 17.0 | | Airpark and N Town Centre Dr | Ozark Water Department, North | 0 | 0 | 1210 | 63 | 58 | 3000 | 3900 | | FTPc | 05/06/2021 |
| 18.0 | | 2449 E Hartley | Ozark Water Department, South | 0 | 0 | 790 | 790 | 50 | 27 | 3000 | 900 | FTPc | 05/06/2021 |
| 19.0 | | 20 and Retail | Ozark Water Department, South | 0 | 0 | 1400 | 95 | 78 | 2500 | 3100 | | FTPc | 05/06/2021 |
| 20.0 | | 317 Oak Tree Ln | Ozark Water Department, South | 0 | 0 | 710 | 60 | 21 | 750 | 700 | | FTPc | 05/06/2021 |
| 21.0 | | 6100 N 19th (South side of building) | Ozark Water Department, North | 0 | 0 | 1320 | 76 | 64 | 2500 | 3000 | | FTPc | 05/06/2021 |
| 22.0 | | 4304 Oak Haven | Ozark Water Department, North | 0 | 0 | 990 | 80 | 41 | 750 | 1200 | | FTPc | 05/06/2021 |
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