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Experience: 2021 to Current Sugarcreek Township Trustee

Also served as Sugarcreek Township Trustee from 1996-2004

Boards And Committees Now Serving On:

Miami Valley Regional Planning Commission Greene County Health Board Greene County Township Association Ohio Township Association

2017 to March 2020

Wayne Township Fire Department (Warren County)

Volunteer/Part-time Firefighter/Paramedic/Instructor/Inspector/Training

• Assist training firefighters in the latest techniques in firefighting, in charge of fire inspections. Respond to fire, medic and other emergencies'

2012 to 2017

Spring Valley Township Fire Department

Fire Chief

Totally responsible for all administrative aspects of the Spring Valley Township Fire Department. This included budgeting, public relations, training, recruitment, and retention of personnel. I led a team to re-organize the Spring Valley Township Fire Department. Actively involved with local and state Fire Chief's organizations to provide better fire and EMS service to the communities.

Acting Township Administrator

2010 to 2012

Wayne Township Fire Department (Warren County)

Volunteer/Part-time Firefighter/Paramedic/Instructor/Inspector

• Assist training firefighters in the latest techniques in firefighting, in charge of fire inspections. Respond to fire, medic and other emergencies. Appointed by the Chief to Chair a Retention/Recruitment Committee.

1982 to 2009 City of Miamisburg

Retired Full-time Firefighter/Paramedic/Inspector/HazMat

• Trained recruits and firefighters in the latest techniques for firefighting, fire attacks, search/rescue, ventilation techniques, salvage, and overhaul, property management, life safety, fire investigation and most of all, effective teamwork. Respond to fire and other emergencies. Member of the HazMat Training Committee. Active as a paramedic. And other assigned duties. Assisted in organizing the regions Fire Fighters Accountability System. Wrote and directed an award-winning training film "Firefighter Accountability."

1989 to 1994 Sugarcreek Township

Fire Chief

• Totally responsible for all administrative aspects of the Sugarcreek Township Fire Department. This included budgeting, public relations, training, recruitment, and retention of personnel. I led a team to organize the Sugarcreek Township Fire Department after a political separation from the City of Bellbrook. Implemented the Automatic Mutual Aid Response (AMAR) with area fire departments. Actively involved with local and state Fire Chief's organizations to provide better fire and EMS service to the communities. Wrote the specifications and took delivery of the medic unit and fire engines. Designed and oversaw the construction of the new public safety complex costing approximately 1.2 million-dollars.

1976 - 1987

Sugarcreek Bellbrook Fire Department

Lieutenant/Acting Assistant Fire

• Responsible for Fire Station One. Supervised full-time, part-time, and volunteers. In charge of the Fire Prevention Team, employee evaluations, volunteer recruitment, and other jobs assigned by the Fire Chief. Coordinated the first Unified Fire Code for both the City of Bellbrook and Sugarcreek Township.

1979 - 1982

Beavercreek Fire Department

Full-time Paramedic/Firefighter/OIC

• Responded to fire and other emergencies. Started the first Beavercreek Fire Department Maintenance Program. Certified as a pump mechanic. Acted as the Officer in Charge (OIC).

Education:

- Associate Degree in Public Safety Administration, Fire Administration, Emergency Medical Service, and Management, Sinclair Community College
- Certifications:
- -State of Ohio Full-time paid Firefighter
- -State of Ohio Paramedic (EMT-P)
- -State of Ohio Fire Service Instructor
- -State of Ohio Certified Fire Inspector
- -State of Ohio Certified Fire Investigator Level 4
- -Hazardous Material Training Instructor
- Certifications awarded:
- -National Academy in Managing Company Operations
- -Emergency Management Institute
- -National Fire Academy
- -Plus, many others involving the Fire and EMS Services
- Active member of Regional hazardous Material Team
- Heavy equipment maintenance & operations, Greene County Career Center

Other Qualifications:

- Conducted a Farm Trauma Seminar along with Care Flight
- President, Miami Valley Emergency Management Association for 8 years
- Board Member, Miami Valley Emergency Management Association
- Board Member, Southwestern Ohio Critical Incident Stress Debriefing Team
- Member, Greene County Code Appeals Board
- Member, Greene County Fire Task
- Member, International Association of Firefighters
- Member, National Fire Protection Agency
- Member, Regionalization Committee
- Member, International Society of Fire Service Instructors
- Firefighter Accountability
- Miami Valley Alliance Technical Training Conference
- Member, Executive Committee for Miami Valley Regional Planning Commission
- Certifications with Ohio State University
- President, Greene County Township Association
- Member, Hazardous Materials Advisory Board
- Certified Safety Officer
- Fire Management Classes

Certifications:

- Fighting fire in Sprinkler Buildings
- Understanding Fire Behavior
- Hazardous Materials: Pesticide Challenge
- Hazardous Materials: Incidents Analysis
- Grain Bend Rescue
- Volunteer Fire Service Management
- Preparing For Incident Command
- Commanding the Initial Response
- Managing Company Tactical Operation: Decision Making
- Managing Company Tactical Operations: Tactical Operations
- Incident Safety Officer
- Service Planning Concepts for the 21st Century
- Sprinklers, Standpipes, and Alarm Systems
- Sprinkler: Design& Install of Sprinkler and Standpipes
- Building construction for Fire Suppression Noncombustible & Fire Resistive Construction
- Arson Investigation
- Arson Investigation 2: Innocent and Unknown Fires
- Arson Investigation 3: Incendiary Fires
- Arson Investigation 4: Court Preparation
- Arson Search and Seizure
- N.F.P.A. 1403 and Training Officer
- N.F.P.A. 1403 Live Fire Training Awareness
- HMTUSA: Awareness
- Fire Code update 2017