



FIRE DEPARTMENT • CITY OF NEW YORK

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1.1

With regret, the Department announces the death of Firefighter *John F. Rowe Jr.*, E-21 (appointed June 12, 2017), which occurred on June 22, 2023.



FF John F. Rowe Jr.

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Funeral Service will take place from O'Shea-Hoey Funeral Home, 29-13 Ditmars Blvd., Astoria, NY, on Wednesday, June 28, 2023, followed by a Mass at 1030 hours at Immaculate Conception Roman Catholic Church, 21-47 29th St., Astoria, NY.

Viewing Hours:

Tuesday, June 27, 2023

1500 Hours to 2000 Hours

Members of the Department who are off-duty are requested to attend the funeral in regulation uniform as a mark of respect to the deceased.

2.1

EMERGENCY ACTION PLAN FOR ALL FDNY FACILITIES

The Officer in charge of each FDNY facility shall, during the first week of July, comply with the requirements of Safety Bulletin 4, Chapter 1 for the review of the Emergency Action Plan.

2.2

SEMI-ANNUAL SAFETY INSPECTION OF QUARTERS

Company Safety Officers shall perform semi-annual safety inspection of quarters and forward completed inspection checklist to Battalion Safety Coordinator as required by Safety Bulletin 4, Chapter 2.

2.3

COLD WATER RESCUE EQUIPMENT REMINDER

Companies issued ice and cold-water rescue equipment, are reminded to comply with Equipment Care and Maintenance outlined in section 8 of Emergency Procedures, Water Rescue 2, Section 8.2, which states:

All Water/Ice Rescue equipment shall be inspected during January, April, July, and October. In January and July, the suit should be removed from the carrying bag and hung on a broad-shouldered hanger for at least 48 hours to allow moisture inside the suit to dry out, prevent mildew, and help extend the service life of the suit.

2.4

WINTER OPERATIONS

Commanders shall comply with AUC 200, Section 3.3.7 and update their logs regarding Winter Operations.

2.5

QUARTERLY TRAINING ROLL CALL REMINDER

Members are reminded that training roll calls outlined in Communications Manual Chapter 9, Addendum 2, titled *Emergency Roll Call Procedures*, and Addendum 3 titled *Electronic Fireground Accountability System* (EFAS) shall be conducted as follows:

The Bureau of Operations mandates training roll calls to be conducted quarterly (January, April, July and October). These training roll calls will be conducted upon the completion of operations to keep members well versed in emergency roll call procedures. Chief Officers should use this time to have company officers conduct the training roll calls to prepare for an actual occurrence. Incident Commanders are encouraged to conduct training emergency roll calls whenever they feel it is warranted.

By Order of: **Laura Kavanagh**, Fire Commissioner
John J. Hodgins, Chief of Department