

Fire Prevention

The Stafford Fire Department is dedicated to keeping the members of the community safe. By practicing these and other fire prevention and safety tips we can work together to keep your family safe from fire.

Families, especially those with young children, are encouraged to practice fire safety and exit drills in case of a fire; designate a meeting place outside of the home, go to a neighbor's house for help, make sure children know their home address and phone number, teach children to use 911, and practice escape routes.

By working together, the Stafford Fire Department can better serve the community and keep your family safe.



Engine 21



Tower 22



Squad 23



Engine 24



Quint 22

Stafford Fire Department Apparatus

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**Fire
Safety
Tips**



Stafford Fire Department

The Stafford Fire Department

The Stafford Fire Department is composed of both Volunteer and Duty Crew personnel that respond to a variety of calls within the city limits of Stafford, the City of Meadows Place, and the unincorporated areas of Fort Bend and Harris Counties. In addition to the normal response area, the department has mutual aid and automatic-aid agreements with neighboring Missouri City and Sugar Land.

The department responds to calls for fire suppression, fire inspection and plan review, paramedic level 1st responder, vehicle and machinery extrication and operations level hazardous materials response. Members are trained to respond to these calls and those occurring in residential neighborhoods, apartment complexes, hotels, shopping centers, large industrial and commercial warehouse developments as well as major roadways, freeways, railroads, and 2 below grade roadways.

If you would like to become a member of the Stafford Volunteer Fire Department, come by any of our Stafford Fire Department stations on Tuesday for our weekly training sessions or call 281-879-7397 for more information. All necessary training and equipment is provided by the department. All that is asked is that you possess a desire to help others and the commitment to serve the community.

Visit our website at www.staffordfirerescue.org.

Home Safety

-  Install smoke detectors on each level and outside each sleeping area.
-  Test all smoke detectors every month.
-  Change the batteries in Spring and Fall when you change your clocks.
-  Smoke detectors should be replaced every 10 years.
-  Use candles with adult supervision only.
-  Place candles on secure furniture away from curtains, blinds, clothes, papers, and other flammables.
-  **NEVER** leave a candle burning.
WHEN YOU GO OUT...BLOW OUT!
-  When cooking, turn pot handles away from the front of the stove.
-  Do not position pot handles over another burner.
-  Keep stove tops free of paper, pot holders and other flammable materials.
-  Be careful when lifting lids from pots, watch for scalding steam.
-  Keep ovens, stove tops, and exhaust ducts free from grease.
-  Use an ABC fire extinguisher, baking soda or a tight-fitting lid to extinguish a kitchen fire.
-  If there is a fire in the oven, turn off the oven and keep the oven door closed.
-  **NEVER** leave cooking food unattended.

Barbecue Safety

-  Before using a gas grill, check the propane tank and fuel line for leaks. Use a light soap & water solution for check for leaks.
-  Only use charcoal lighter fluid when starting a charcoal grill.
Never Use Gasoline!
-  **DO NOT** add fluid to an already lit fire.
-  Use long handled barbecue tools while grilling.
-  Monitor the grill while cooking.
-  Keep matches and lighters away from children.
-  Soak coals in water before disposing of them.
-  Turn off the gas at the tank and the controls.
-  Never grill in an enclosed area or on covered balconies or patios.
-  Grills must be **20 FEET** from any building structure.
-  **ALWAYS** store propane tanks out-

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