



Wintergreen Fire and Rescue Standard Operating Guideline	
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Purpose:

To establish guidelines outlining the backing procedures for all apparatus.

Policy:

All operators of emergency apparatus shall abide by the following.

- The operator shall stop the vehicle and completely circle the apparatus making sure there are no obstructions or dangers.
- If available, a spotter shall stand to the rear of the vehicle, visible to the operator at all times, and assist with backing
- Members are encouraged to use cameras in apparatus equipped with them.