



GOLDER RANCH FIRE DISTRICT

Firefighter I and II Practical Skill Sheets

Ladder (Extension) Two Firefighter Deployment

Standard:

NFPA 1001: 4.3.6 (2019 Edition)

Task/Performance Outcome:

Following the cleaning and inspection of an extension ladder, you must deploy it using the two-person shoulder carry method. This process should be done in accordance with manufacturer and district guidelines. Once deployed, the ladder should be operationally ready for climbing.

Required Personal Protective Equipment (PPE):

Full turnout ensemble, full SCBA ensemble on air (prior to climbing the ladder).

Required Equipment:

- Radio for each firefighter
- Flashlight for each firefighter

Critical Fail Criteria:

Failure consists of the following:

- Failure to be seated and belted upon arrival.
- Failure to exit the apparatus safely and with three points of contact.
- Failure to wear the required PPE.
- Failure to physically address their accountability on the passport of their assigned apparatus.
- Glaring, gross errors, as documented by the evaluator.
- An apparent lack of efficiency and comfort with the activity, as documented by the evaluator.
- Less than 80% of available points scored.

Evolution Details:

The candidate will be provided a partner and will deploy the extension ladder provided to them. The extension ladder will begin on the ground with the fly section facing down. The evaluator will provide the candidate the exact location the ladder is to be deployed. The candidate will assume the front position while carrying the ladder.



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Actions	Points Available	Points Earned
Time starts upon instructor prompt or when first boot hits the ground.		
Candidate and partner are on the same side of the ladder facing the tip, with the candidate at the butt	1	
Candidate verbalizes <i>Beaming Ladder</i> , then candidate and partner beam the ladder with fly towards them	1	
Candidate and partner lift ladder into the two-person shoulder carry position	1	
Candidate verbalizes <i>Checking for Overhead Obstructions</i> & physically does it	1	
Candidate verbalizes <i>Ladder Moving Forward</i> & physically does it	1	
Candidate verbalizes <i>Ladder Stopping</i> , and places butt/heel of ladder on ground and secures butt spurs	1	
Candidate heels butt/heel of ladder by standing on rung or beams	1	
Partner raises ladder hand-over-hand utilizing the rungs	1	
Candidate and partner heel ladder by placing toes against same beam	1	
Candidate verbalizes to partner to keep <i>Hands and Fingers Clear</i>	1	
Candidate extends the fly section a minimum 3-5 rungs above roofline	1	
Candidate and partner lower the ladder onto the building (fly section out)	1	
Candidate and partner pull butt/heel away from building using the 2 nd and 5 th rungs	1	
Candidate verbalizes and confirms the beams have <i>Four Points of Contact</i> (adjusts if needed)	1	
Candidate verbalizes and confirms <i>Proper Climbing Angle of 75 Degrees</i> (adjusts if needed)	1	
Candidate ties halyard using clove hitch or Bangor knot with a safety knot	1	
Candidate and partner safely bring the ladder down and return it to the starting position	1	
Time stops when the ladder is returned to the starting position		
Total Points (14/17 to pass)	17	

Candidate: _____ Evaluator: _____ Total: _____/17

Circle one:

Pass/Fail on points/Fail on critical criteria

Comments _____

