



GALENA FIRE DEPARTMENT
Standard Operating Guideline
VEHICLE SEATING AND RESPONSIBILITIES

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Purpose: To establish apparatus seating assignments that clearly define the specific responsibilities associated with the seat in which the firefighter is sitting so that immediate tasks are carried out in a timely manner avoiding any confusion or delay upon arrival at an incident.

In order to clarify apparatus seating assignments and to emphasize the need for all GFD members to be accountable for assignments and tasks based on individual seating charts in select apparatus, the following criteria is established:

Vehicle 111

Seat 1 Driver

- Stays with the Apparatus.
- Duties include: Drive Apparatus; Operate Pump; Control Generator and Lighting; and Operate Hurst Power Unit if equipment is used.

Seat 2 Officer

- Establishes and assumes Incident Command until relieved.
- Perform 360 walk-around.

Seat 3 Nozzle Person Company Assignment – ENGINE 1

- Smoke or Fire Showing
 - Assignment: Pull desired hose-line as instructed by Command; Fire attack
 - Tools: SCBA; Radio.
- Nothing Showing
 - Assignment: Investigate.
 - Tools: SCBA; Radio; Pump Can or Pressurized Water.

Seat 4 Nozzle Backup Company Assignment – ENGINE 1

- Smoke or Fire Showing
 - Assignment: Pull desired hose-line, as instructed by Command; Backup nozzle person.
 - Tools: SCBA; Radio; Light; Irons; TIC.
- Nothing Showing
 - Assignment: Investigate.
 - Tools: SCBA; Radio; Light; Irons; TIC.

Seat 5 Water Supply Company Assignment – ENGINE 2

- Smoke or Fire Showing
 - Assignment: Connect supply line to truck. After water supply is established, pull a second line and establish backup line as per SOG 19, Two-In Two-Out.
 - Tools: SCBA; Radio; Pike Pole.
- Nothing Showing
 - Assignment: Connect Supply line to truck, Investigate.
 - Tools: SCBA; Radio; Pump Can or Pressurized Water.



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Seat 6 Water Supply Company Assignment – ENGINE 2

- Smoke or Fire Showing
 - Assignment: Connect Supply to Hydrant. After water supply is established, help pull second line and establish backup line as per SOG 19, Two-In Two-Out.
 - Tools: SCBA; Radio; Hydrant Bag.
- Nothing Showing
 - Assignment: Connect supply to hydrant; Investigate.
 - Tools: SCBA; Radio; Hydrant Bag.

Vehicle 113

Seat 1 Driver

- Stays with the Apparatus.
- Duties include: Drive Apparatus; Operate Pump; Control Generator and Lighting.

Seat 2 Officer

- Establishes and assumes Incident Command until relieved.
- Perform 360 walk-around.

Seat 3 Nozzle Person Company Assignment – ENGINE 3

- Smoke or Fire Showing
 - Assignment: Pull desired hose-line, as instructed by Command; Fire attack.
 - Tools: SCBA; Radio.
- Nothing Showing
 - Assignment: Investigate.
 - Tools: SCBA; Radio; Pump Can or Pressurized Water.

Seat 4 Nozzle Backup Company Assignment – ENGINE 3

- Smoke or Fire Showing
 - Assignment: Pull desired hose-line, as instructed by Command; Backup nozzle person.
 - Tools: SCBA; Radio, Light; Irons; TIC.
- Nothing Showing
 - Assignment: Investigate.
 - Tools: SCBA; Radio; Light; Irons; TIC.

Seat 5 Water supply Company Assignment – ENGINE 4

- Smoke or Fire Showing
 - Assignment: Setup Folding Tank. After water supply is established pull second line and establish backup line as per SOG 19, Two-In Two-Out.
 - Tools: SCBA; Radio; Pike Pole.
- Nothing Showing
 - Assignment: Setup Folding Tank; Investigate.
 - Tools: SCBA; Radio; Pike Pole; Pump Can or Pressurized Water.



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Seat 6 Water Supply Company Assignment - ENGINE 4

- Smoke or Fire Showing
 - Assignment: Setup Folding Tank. After water supply is established, help pull second line and establish backup line as per SOG 19, Two-In Two-Out.
Tools: SCBA; Radio.
- Nothing Showing
 - Assignment: Setup Folding Tank; Investigate.
 - Tools: SCBA; Radio.

Vehicle 135

Seat 1 Driver

- Stays with the Apparatus.
- Duties include: Drive Apparatus; Control Generator and Lighting; and Operate Hurst Power Unit if equipment is used.

Seat 2 Officer

- Establishes and assumes Incident Command until relieved.
- Perform 360 walk-around.

Seat 3 Extrication

- Assignment: Setup staging area; Operate tools; Assist with victim removal.
- Tools: Hurst Tools; Sawzall; Halligan.

Seat 4 Extrication

- Assignment: Setup staging area,; Operate tools; Assist with victim removal
- Tools: Hurst Tools; Sawzall; Halligan.

Seat 5 Extrication

- Assignment: Crib Vehicles, Remove Glass, Disconnect Battery, Assist with victim removal
- Tools: Crash Kit; Cribbing; 4' Bar; Rescue 42's; Blankets.

Seat 6 Extrication

- Assignment: Crib vehicles; Remove glass,; Disconnect Battery; Assist with victim removal
- Tools: Crash Kit; Cribbing; 4' Bar; Rescue 42's; Blankets.

The GFD Vehicle Seating Chart is on page 4 of 4 of this SOG



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GFD Vehicle Seating Chart

