



Preparation for Initial Company Operations 16 Hours NFA, TCFP, SFFMA, TCOLE

Date: May 7 – 8, 2018 City: Highland Village, Tx County: Tarrant

When: May 7 - 8, 2018 from 8am-5pm and 8am-Noon. Must attend both sessions for credit
Where: Highland Village Fire Department, 1200 Highland Village Road, Highland Village, Tx. 75077
Fee: None
Registration: [ONLINE TEEX REGISTRATION: PICO NFA041/SEQ79](#)

Audience: All members of Volunteer, paid, or part-paid departments of cities and Industries who want the latest training in firefighting and related skills.

Classes are subject to change/cancellation without notice

Preparation for Initial Company Operations (PICO) is the first of a four-part series of courses designed to enhance the training of the Company Officer. The course is suitable for all firefighters who either are currently serving as a Company Officer, who wish to become an officer, or may find themselves in a position of command.

The (*PICO*) course covers all aspects of the duties of a Company Officer from making the initial size-up to deployment of resources. It breaks down in a step-by-step format how to enhance personal of the officer including knowledge of service area; keeping the company, equipment and personnel in a state of readiness; introduction to the five classifications of building construction and stresses the understanding of strengths and weaknesses of each classification and fire behavior prediction and figuring fire flow requirements based on a mathematical formula.

While it is recommended that the four courses be taken in sequence, it is not mandatory and they may be taken in any order. Courses in the series include:

- Preparation for Initial Company Operations (14 Hours)
- Decision Making for Initial Company Operations (12 Hours)
- Strategies and Tactics for Initial Company Operations (12 Hours)
- Managing Company Tactical Operations: Simulations (12 Hours)

Facilitated By: Texas A&M Engineering Extension Service (TEEX), Emergency Services Training Institute (ESTI).

Sponsored By: Highland Village Fire Department, 1200 Highland Village Road, Highland Village, Tx. 75077

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Pre-Registration to: [ONLINE TEEX REGISTRATION: PICO NFA041/SEQ79](#)

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Additional Information: **NFA Classes:** You must have a Student Identification (SID) number. Please bring your SID to class.

- Register at <https://cdp.dhs.gov/femasid>
- Save this number in a secure location
- Use SID in place of SSN on FEMA Form 119-25-1 & Form 119-25-2, (2/12)



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