

EARTHQUAKE RESPONSE

INITIAL ACTIONS

- Assess crew for injuries
- Move apparatus, vehicles, and essential supplies to safe and secure location
- Assess station / facility for damage and safety considerations
- Assess normal or generator power supply for station / facility
- Shut off utilities if necessary and assess water pressure
- Check phone service
- Assess the immediate area for damage and safety considerations
- Monitor radio for battalion roll call

ROLL CALL/ STATUS REPORT

- Battalion 1 roll call and status report on: 1-A in Zone 1
- Battalion 2 roll call and status report on: 1-B in Zone 1
- Be brief / concise with the following priorities:
 1. Personnel
 2. Station / Facility status
 3. Power status
 4. Apparatus availability
 5. Special comments

WINDSHIELD SURVEY

- Assess the immediate area for damage and safety considerations
- Follow predetermined route (located in front of printed station first in spiral map book)
- Check essential buildings and infrastructure

INCIDENT PRIORITIES

- To identify any high life threat conditions or conflagration concerns. Company officers are empowered to determine, based on the situations they discover, whether to stop and render immediate aid if needed or continue their survey route.
- Battalion Chief will determine level of commitment and tactical priorities
 - Full action mode where units may mitigate emergencies
 - Moderated action mode where units will mitigate only certain emergencies
 - No action mode where units are to bypass emergencies and assess the area only