



## Decision Making for Initial Company Operations

September 15-16, 2015

Des Moines Fire Department HQ  
2715 Dean Avenue  
Des Moines, IA 50317

Decision Making for Initial Company Operations is designed to develop the decision making skills needed by Company Officers (COs) to accomplish assigned tactics at structure fires. All activities and scenarios used in this course are based on structure fires. As a Company Officer (CO) with the real possibility of being the first to arrive at an incident, the CO's initial decisions will have an impact throughout the entire incident. It is vital that they be able to make good management decisions that have a favorable impact on the eventual outcome. In addition to a possible role as the initial Incident Commander (IC), the CO may well be assigned a subordinate position within the ICS organization. COs need to have a clear understanding of the system, the position they are assigned, and their role in the organization if they are to function effectively and help make the system work.

8:00am - 4:30pm each day (registration at 7:30am on 9/15)

Class Limit: 30 students

**Registration Deadline: August 7, 2015**

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Fire Department/Organization

Last 4 digits of your SS#

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Fax or mail your registration to:

NFA Direct Delivery  
Fire Service Training Bureau  
3100 Fire Service Rd  
Ames, IA 50011-3100

FAX: 800-722-7350

**Registration Fee: \$25.00**

Method of payment:

Check enclosed       Bill my FD

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Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Cardholder Signature

A confirmation letter will be emailed, along with the class location, lodging information, and class schedule. Questions about this course should be directed to Jim Kenkel ([kenkel@dps.state.ia.us](mailto:kenkel@dps.state.ia.us)). Phone: 888-469-2374 or 515-294-6817.



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