Administrative Regulations Policy 110.0 Operators License



Purpose:

The purpose of this policy is to ensure that members of the City of Bryan Fire Department maintain a current unrestricted Ohio Operators License.

Policy:

Each member of the City of Bryan Fire Department shall at all times maintain a current unrestricted Ohio Operators License. Any member failing to maintain a current unrestricted Operators License shall not operate his/her personal vehicle as a Public Safety Vehicle or operate any City owned vehicle until such time as he/she obtains a current unrestricted Operators License.

Any member whose Operators License is suspended, revoked, or restricted is immediately prohibited from operating their personal vehicle as a Public Safety Vehicle or any City vehicle. Members shall immediately notify the Fire Chief's office if his/her Operators License has been suspended, revoked or restricted in any way. Each member is responsible for knowing the status of his/her License.

Before any member operates his/her personal vehicle as a Public Safety Vehicle or operates any City vehicle, the member shall submit to a driving record check. Driving record checks shall also be conducted annually, or at the discretion of the Fire Chief.

Any member convicted of a misdemeanor violation shall be suspended from operating their personal vehicle as a Public Safety Vehicle and from operating City vehicles for a period of 18 months from the date of conviction. In addition, members shall also be required to complete the Drivers Training Program established by the City of Bryan Fire Department, for new drivers before they will be certified to operate emergency vehicles. Misdemeanor violations referred to in this policy includes, but is not limited to:

- a. Driving while intoxicated
- b. Driving under the influence of controlled substances
- c. Operating during a period of suspension or revocation
- d. Permitting an unlicensed person to drive
- e. Reckless driving
- f. Leaving the scene of an accident.

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Any member who accumulates 6 points or more from any moving violation on his/her driving record will be suspended from operating his/her personal vehicle as a Public Safety Vehicle or operating any City vehicle. The suspension will expire when the penalty points are 5 or less.

Any violations to this policy is subject to disciplinary action up to and including termination.