



## Personal Protective Equipment Inspection

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## 1.0 Purpose

- 1.1. The purpose of this guideline is to establish inspecting personal protective clothing/equipment assigned to members of the Taylors Bridge Fire Department.

## 2.0 Requirements

- 2.1. The Safety Officer will inspect each assigned personal protective equipment assuring that all equipment is acceptable and every firefighter is as safe as possible.
- 2.2. Inspections will take place at minimum of four times per calendar year. The scheduled dates shall be in the months of January, April, July and October.
- 2.3. Further inspections may be requested and completed as deemed by the Chief Officers, Safety Officer and/or individual firefighter.
- 2.4. Each time an inspection is completed, the Safety Officer will document their findings, recommendations and file.
- 2.5. Items to be inspected:
  - 2.5.1. Turnout Coat – Outer Shell
  - 2.5.2. Turnout Coat – Inner Liner
  - 2.5.3. Turnout Pants – Outer Shell
  - 2.5.4. Turnout Pants – Inner Liner
  - 2.5.5. Helmet
  - 2.5.6. Gloves
  - 2.5.7. Hood
  - 2.5.8. Personal Flashlights
  - 2.5.9. Personal SCBA Facemask
  - 2.5.10. Pocket CPR Mask