Modifications to Jurisdictional Codes & Standards

Activity 4-1

Format: Group

Time Frame: 00:30

Description

This activity provides students with an opportunity to recognize the impact that a modification to a jurisdictional code or standard might have on their fire department and surrounding community, and to practice the development of recommendations for such modifications.

Materials

Activity sheet

Instructions

- 1. Break into groups of four to five people.
- 2. Pick a spokesperson to discuss your findings.

Step 1

Develop a sprinkler ordinance for all buildings 5,000 square feet or greater.

Step 2

Answer the following questions.

- 1. What financial impact(s) will this ordinance have on your community?
- 2. What impact(s) will this ordinance have the fire department?
 - a. Financial?
 - b. Staffing?
 - c. Political?
- 3. How will this ordinance benefit your community?
- 4. How will this ordinance benefit the fire department?

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