Inter- and Intra-Organizational Fire Prevention Relationships

Activity: 2-1

Format: Group

Time Frame: 30 minutes

Description

This activity provides students with an opportunity to observe and interpret fire stakeholder dynamics.

Materials

- Pen or pencil

Instructions

1. In groups, discuss the various internal and external organizations a fire marshal must work with.
    - Identify the criteria or context of when interaction might occur.
    - Include advantages to building relationships or disadvantages for failing to communicate.
2. Complete the attached matrix.
3. Be prepared to discuss your observations

Instructor Notes

1. For consideration of time restraints or class size, consider dividing matrix items among differing groups.

Within a Jurisdiction

Organization	Context	Advantages	Disadvantages
Planning or Community Development			
Building Department			
Public Works			
Human Resources			
Finance			
Police			

Organization	Context	Advantages	Disadvantages
Park & Recreation			

Outside a Jurisdiction

Organization	Context	Advantages	Disadvantages
Neighboring Cities			
County Agencies			
State Fire Marshal			
Building Standards Commission			
Housing & Community Development			

Organization	Context	Advantages	Disadvantages
Licensing Agencies			
Division of the State Architect			
Federal Agencies			
Community Groups or Organizations			

Intra-Organizational

Organization	Context	Advantages	Disadvantages
Operations			
Training			

Organization	Context	Advantages	Disadvantages
Emergency Medical Services			
Public Information			
Administration	Emergency Management		
Emergency Management			
Fire Board			