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Tri-State Mutual Aid Association

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Membership Facts:

- 122 Fire, Rescue, Emergency Management, and Special Operations agencies 250+ stations.
- Protect the 18 county Chattanooga metro area of Southeast TN, Northwest GA, Northeast AL, Southwest NC.
- 9 counties in Tennessee: Bledsoe, Bradley, Hamilton, Meigs, McMinn, Monroe, Polk, Rhea, Sequatchie.
- 6 counties in Georgia: Catoosa, Chattooga, Dade, Fannin, Walker, Whitfield.
- 2 counties in Alabama: DeKalb, Jackson
- 1 county in North Carolina: Cherokee
- 275 Engines.
- 100 Tankers/Water Tenders.
- 60 Ladders/Quints.
- 75 Light/Heavy Rescues. (Plus multiple Rescue Engines)
- 60 Brush Trucks.
- 6 Hazardous-Materials Teams
- 4 Foam Trailers.
- 6 Air Compressor Units 16 Air Cascade/Light Units.
- 3 Portable Restroom Trailers.
- 5 Fire Boats and 30+ Flood and Swiftwater Rescue Boats.
- Numerous specialty units including: USAR/Confined Space, Mass-Casualty, Mass
 Decontamination, Swiftwater Rescue, Dive Teams, Cave & Cliff / High Angle Rescue, Ground
 Search Rescue, Rehabilitation Units, Aircraft Fire Rescue, Command Vehicles, ESORT
 (Erlanger/LifeForce Special Operations Team), Red Cross Disaster Response Team.
- Mutual Aid system is over 130+ miles long and protects approximately 7,000 square miles.

Primary Mission:

Provide routine 2nd alarm and greater alarm response and special calls to fires, hazardous-materials, specialized/technical rescue incidents, mass-casualty incidents, weather emergencies, homeland security events, and unusual events such as public safety funerals and major water outages. Member departments also have multiple automatic aid agreements in place. Most alarms cover the first 8-24 hours of an incident; however, member departments have been rotated through 3-5 days of some unusual incidents usually for 8–12-hour operational periods. Long term events are coordinated between Tri-State Mutual Aid assets and Tennessee and Georgia Statewide Mutual Aid Systems including Southeast TN District 3 and Northwest GA District 1.



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STANDING COMMITTEES

- Standards Committee
- Communications Committee
- Foam Bank Committee
- Training and Safety Committee
- Wildland Fire Committee
- Rehab Committee
- Budget Committee
- Swiftwater Committee
- Hazardous Materials Committee
- Technical Rescue Committee