

## SECTION 13 FIRE DEPARTMENT COMMUNICATIONS

*Live Fire Training Prerequisite – There are no objectives required for this certification level.*

### *Firefighter I*

- 13-I.01 Trainee shall define the procedure for a citizen to report a fire or other emergency.  
**NFPA 1001 4.2.1.A**
- 13-I.02 Trainee shall demonstrate receiving an alarm or a report of an emergency and initiate action.  
**NFPA 1001 4.2.1.B**
- 13-I.03 Trainee shall define the purpose and function of all alarm-receiving instruments and personnel-alerting equipment provided in the fire station.  
**NFPA 1001 4.2.1, 4.2.3.A**
- 13-I.04 Trainee shall identify traffic control devices installed in the fire station to facilitate the response of apparatus.  
**NFPA 1001 4.2.1**
- 13-I.05 Trainee shall identify procedures required for receipt and processing of emergency and non-emergency calls.  
**NFPA 1001 4.2.2**
- 13-I.06 Trainee shall define and demonstrate prescribed fire department radio procedures including:  
**NFPA 1001 4.2.1**  
A. routine traffic  
B. emergency traffic  
C. emergency evacuation signals
- 13-I.07 Trainee shall define policy and procedures concerning the ordering and transmitting of multiple alarms of fire and calls for special assistance from the emergency scene.  
**NFPA 1001 4.2.1, 4.2.1.A**
- 13-I.08 Trainee shall define all fire alarm signals, including multiple alarms and special signals, governing the movements of fire apparatus, and the action to be taken upon the receipt of each signal.  
**NFPA 1001 4.2.1.A**

### *Firefighter II*

- 13-II.01 Trainee shall identify areas assigned for first-alarm response.  
**NFPA 1001 5.2.2**
- 13-II.02 Trainee shall demonstrate both mobile and portable radio equipment.  
**NFPA 1001 5.2.2**
- 13-II.03 Trainee shall demonstrate the ordering of multiple alarms and other calls for assistance from the fire ground, (i.e., mutual aid).  
**NFPA 1001 5.2.2**
- 13-II.04 Trainee shall identify the fire incident reporting systems: NFIRS and TEXFIRS.  
**NFPA 1001 5.2.1**
- 13-II.05 Trainee shall identify the scope, purpose and benefits of the Texas and National Fire Incident Reporting Systems.  
**NFPA 1001 5.2.1**

13-11.06 Trainee shall identify the three (3) elements of a fire reporting system.

**NFPA 1001 5.2.1**

13-11.07 Trainee shall identify report forms used by the local AHJ: incident report form and casualty report form.

**NFPA 1001 5.2.1**