



Florida Urban Search and Rescue Task Force 4

Affiliate Membership Agreement

By the Interlocal Agreement between Orange County Fire Department, Orlando Fire Department and Seminole County Fire Department, agree to jointly sponsor and participate as the primary partners in managing the Central Florida Urban Search and Rescue Team known as FL-TF 4.

This consortium provides the State of Florida with a State sponsored Urban Search and Rescue Team that provides a force of trained personnel to conduct search and rescue activities at disasters. The consortium may enter into this Affiliate Membership agreement with municipalities, counties, special districts and private entities with the Central Florida region to augment its number of members.

Provisions of the Affiliate Membership apply to Urban Search and Rescue activities performed at the request of the State of Florida, the Federal government, and other agencies. These activities may be in conjunction with, or in preparation of, a state or federal declaration of disaster or emergency.

The scope of the Affiliate Membership includes training activities mandated by the Federal Emergency Management Agency, FL-TF 4, and/or Sponsoring Organization to maintain Task Force operational readiness.

Members outside of the consortium may apply for the FL-TF 4 by following the application directions listed in the application packet and the personnel policies/procedures.

Persons outside the consortium selected will remain employed by their sponsoring jurisdiction, or private employer, for salary and benefits. It will be the responsibility of each participating employer (and sponsoring agency, if different) to clarify with their member how, or if, they will be compensated for their time, or reimbursed for expenses during training or deployment. The sponsoring agency, employer, or private individual will be required to provide proof of Medical Health insurance coverage and proof of Worker's Compensation. The sponsoring agency will also ensure the member remains competent in the disciplines required for that member's position within the task force. In the event of a statewide or national emergency, the applicant may be activated for a task force deployment for what could be a period of up to ten days.

Name of Sponsoring Agency/Organization (typed or printed)

Name of Applicant (typed or printed)

Signature and Date

Chief Administrator or Owner's Name
(typed or printed)

Signature and Date

4507 36th Street, Orlando, FL 328

A consortium of Orange County Fire Rescue, Seminole County Fire Department and the Orlando Fire Department