

Staging Officer

MABAS Alarms

If no Staging Officer has been assigned, first company in staging assumes role of Staging Officer until relieved by IC or given another assignment.

Staging Officer Duties

- Tracks Resources in Staging Area
- Communicates with IC via IFERN
- Assigns Resources to Divisions or Groups when requested by IC
- Notifies IC when resources in staging are getting low
- Resources are assigned a Fireground Frequency when leaving Staging Area (Red, White, Blue)

Communications

- *Incident Commander, Staging Officer, Incoming Resources, and Dispatch must continuously monitor the IFERN frequency during a MABAS call.*
- Command to Dispatch radio traffic occurs on the IFERN frequency.
- Command to Staging radio traffic occurs on the IFERN frequency.
- Staging to Incoming Resources radio traffic occurs on the IFERN frequency.
- Resources to Local Dispatch occurs on EMR1 or EMR2.
(acknowledge, in route, back at station)
- Resources to MABAS Dispatch occurs on IFERN frequency.
(in route to staging, arriving at staging, returning to station)
- IC must continuously monitor the primary fireground frequency and IFERN. (Requires multiple Radios)
- Fireground (scene) operations communications occur on Fireground (tactical) frequencies. (Red, White, Blue)