

## **FIRE DEPARTMENT PRE-PLAN QUESTIONNAIRE**

To adequately evaluate the fire protection for a given location, we request the responding fire department tour the property and provide the following information. The information needs to be completed on Official Fire Department letterhead and signed by a designated fire prevention officer.

1. What is the name of primary responding Fire Department?
2. What is the actual distance (road miles) from the fire department to the home?
3. What type of roads (2 lane or divided highway, hilly or flat terrain, curvy or straight) lead to the home?
4. Are there any obstacles to prevent full access to the home (ie. Gates, bridges)
5. Response Time. How much time will pass from the point the fire department gets notification of an alarm until water is applied on the fire?
6. What type and number of equipment will arrive with the first response?
  - How much water is brought on each truck
  - Do they have Class A foam
7. How many firemen will respond to a fire during the day? During the night?
8. Are there any dual or mutual aid agreements in place with nearby fire departments? If so, please describe when they are brought in, distance, estimated response time, manpower and equipment.
9. What is the distance to the nearest fire hydrant?
10. Is the hydrant public or private? If private, where is it?
11. What is the estimated GPM of the hydrant?
12. Are there any conditions at the property that would make fighting a fire more difficult?
13. If there are no hydrants, how will continuous water flow be maintained?
14. If a shuttle operation will be used, please provide specific information of how the shuttle will work, including the specific water source to be used, size of the drop tank, equipment that will be used, distance to the water source, and time involved for the operation to be completed.
15. If plans are in place to engineer an alternative water source on site, or are already in place, please provide specifics about the system to include type of design, location from the home, gallons of water available and how the water can be accessed by equipment.