SPOKANE COUNTY FIRE DISTRICT 8

Standard Operating Procedures

10.12.05 COMPUTER HARDWARE AND SOFTWARE



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Purpose: To outline the user requirements for District owned hardware and software.

References: N/A

Procedure:

1. Hardware.

- a) As a user of District hardware, you may not relocate or disassemble any District computer or peripheral equipment without approval from the Fire Chief or his/her designee.
- b) In addition, members should not bring computer hardware from home and connect it to the network unless it has been first approved by the Fire Chief or his/her designee.

2. Software.

- a) Software that is installed on District computers should be registered to the District, approved by the District and requested for installation by .District IT provider.
- b) Members are not permitted to install or use personal software, games, freeware, shareware, utilities, Windows updates, etc. on the District's computers.
- c) If it is necessary to use software not provided by the District, the-Fire Chief or his/her designee must approve the request after consultation with .District IT provider.
- d) Installation of unauthorized software may breach the security and reliability of the entire computer network.