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Firefighter Identification (Red) Card Process

Fire Vision LLC will prepare National Wildfire Suppression Association (NWSA) Red Cards for students who complete the **Fire Vision LLC** RT-130 Annual Firefighter Safety Refresher course and who will be working on engines, water tenders, or as contract fallers. Firefighters who will be working on crews need to acquire their Red cards through their respective companies. The process for obtaining NWSA Red cards through **Fire Vision LLC** are as follows:

Step 1: Successfully complete a **Fire Vision LLC** RT-130 Annual Firefighter Safety Refresher course.

Step 2: Successfully complete the **Work Capacity Test**.

Step 3: (Contract Fallers only) Complete First Aid Training.

Step 4: Submit all documentation, including WCT results, to **Responder Training Solutions, LLC** (<http://rts-llc.org/default.aspx>) for review and certification as required by the US Forest Service Region 6 Wildland Fire Engine and Tender Contract for qualification certification of each position requested. Inform RTS that you want an electronic approval of your firefighters done in the NWSA database.

Step 5: Submit to **Fire Vision LLC** a copy of all documentation as required by the US Forest Service Region 6 Wildland Fire Engine and Tender Contract for qualification certification of each position requested. This includes training, experience, performance and time records, WCT results, and any completed task books. Also include weight, seasons of experience, and saw certification level.

Step 6: **Fire Vision LLC** will enter all of the required data into the NWSA database and then wait for electronic approval from **Responder Training Solutions, LLC**. Contracting office in the Region 6 office in Portland will do the actual electronic approval in the NWSA database.

Step 7: If all documentation meets certification requirements of **Responder Training Solutions, LLC** the electronic approval will be made and then **Fire Vision LLC** can print the card.

Step 8: **Fire Vision LLC** will print the card and notify the company owner that it is ready.

Step 9: Company owner will need to sign the card before it is valid. (Company Owners can submit an electronic signature to **Fire Vision LLC** so it can be forwarded to the NWSA database. Then it will automatically print on cards & certificates.)

Step 10: **Fire Vision LLC** will laminate the card once the company owner has signed it.

Cost: The fee for this service of acquiring Red cards through **Fire Vision LLC** is \$10 per firefighter. If you have changed companies in the last year NWSA will assess a \$25 fee per student to transfer your records to your new company.

Sincerely,

Tom Leuschen
Owner
Fire Vision LLC