



LAKE TIMEBERLINE
VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

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IN THE EVENT OF
ANY EMERGENCY
DIAL 911

The Lake Timberline Volunteer Fire Department is run solely by **volunteers** who offer their time and energy providing Fire Protection, EMS Services, and Rescue Services for our community, as well as mutual aid assistance to the surrounding communities.

Our Volunteer Fire Department is funded solely through the sale of fire tags, address signs, pool/water requests, and controlled burn and culvert cleaning services, in addition to our various fundraising events. These funds are used for normal operating costs, maintenance of our facility and equipment, updating our gear, and providing continued training for our firefighters in order to remain in compliance with the NFPA Regulations.

We are also a mutual aid department to our surrounding fire departments as well as aiding St. Francois County EMS with medical calls. As these are services outside of our development, there is a basic cost to our Department to provide mutual aid but in turn we also benefit from the mutual aid we receive from these other departments.

Fire tag purchases are for fire protection only. The cost is \$30 per lot owned and are due annually January 1st. Fire tags purchased or payments received after February 15th will be charged a late fee of \$5 per lot. If you do not have a fire tag on all lots owned, you will be held responsible for fire services rendered in addition to damages to surrounding lots should a fire arise on your uncovered lot and it spreads to your neighbor's lot. You would also be responsible for damage to their lot. On this page is a Fire Tag Form which provides additional information and the form you will need to purchase fire tags.

The purchase of a 911 address sign helps ensure prompt response in case of an emergency. Also on this page is an Address Sign Request Form which provides additional information and the form you will need to request an address sign.

As a service, the Fire Department will perform a controlled burn and/or culvert cleaning and pool/water requests. The Controlled Burn/Culvert Cleaning Request and a Pool/Water Request on this page provides additional information and the forms you will need.

We encourage the purchase of fire tags and 911 address signs. If you do not have a current fire tag and we respond to a fire call on your property, we are required by Missouri State Law #320.300-320.320 to do whatever is necessary to protect property and lives and you will be held liable for all fire damage and/or expenses of the Fire Department, and be fined up to \$10,000.

It is vital when completing any of these forms that they are filled out with all information that is requested. We are a separate entity from the Lake Timberline Board and front office, so we do not have access to this information if it is incomplete. Forms can be mailed directly to us or placed in our drop box on the side of the Fire House. If you would like to visit in person to drop off these forms, we hold regular meetings on the first and third Tuesday nights starting at 7 p.m.

We are always looking for more volunteers so if you feel you have something to contribute, stop by and visit with us.

Thank you for your continued support!