	Queen Anne's County Fire & EMS Commission Operations Manual	No. 06.23
	HT Standard	Effective Date: June 4, 2015 Revised Date:

I. SCOPE

- A. This policy applies to all Queen Anne's County Volunteer Fire Departments.

II. PURPOSE

- A. To establish a HT standard which will be utilized throughout Queen Anne's County.

III. RESPONSIBILITY


- A. All departments within Queen Anne's County will be responsible for ensuring strict adherence to this standard.

IV. DEFINITION

- 1. HT – is a dispatch code that it used to describe hydraulic rescue tools.

V. STANDARD

- A. HT is a dispatch code utilized for selecting a piece of apparatus that has hydraulic rescue tools; this does not replace a rescue or squad type unit.
- B. Minimum required equipment to be carried.
 - 1. One hydraulic rescue pump either gas or electric.
 - 2. One set of spreaders.
 - 3. One set of cutters.
 - 4. One set of rams
 - 5. Assorted hydraulic hoses.
 - 6. Assorted cribbing or step chocks.
 - 7. One set of irons (Axe and Halligan).
 - 8. One pressurized water can.
 - 9. One salvage cover 12'x18' minimum.

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