

## Exeter Fire Department, Our Equipment;

The Exeter Fire Department has a number of unique pieces of equipment that respond to emergencies in Exeter. We have put together a brief description of some of the jobs that these trucks do. In addition, to see these trucks in action you can go to YOUTUBE Videos under Exeter Fire Department “On the Job”.



Car 1 -This vehicle is currently serves as department head transportation and as a command post at emergency incidents. It is used respond to emergency incidents and to move personnel to emergencies, practical training exercises and classes. This vehicle is also equipped with lifesaving equipment such as and advanced first aid kit and AED.



Car 2 - The vehicle currently serves as a command post at emergency incidents and used to move personnel to emergencies, practical training exercises and classes. The vehicle is large enough to fit four personnel with all associated protective equipment & turnout gear when responding to emergencies and serve as a command post at emergency scenes. This vehicle is also equipped with lifesaving equipment such as and advanced first aid kit and AED.



Car 3 - The vehicle currently serves as the command post at emergency incidents and used to move personnel to emergencies, practical training exercises and classes. The vehicle is large enough to fit four personnel with all associated protective equipment & turnout gear when responding to emergencies and serve as a command post at emergency scenes. This vehicle is also equipped with lifesaving equipment such as and advanced first aid kit and AED.



Fire Prevention – This vehicle is the first Jeep in our fleet. Our Fire Prevention Lieutenant conducts fire alarm and sprinkler inspections, fire prevention inspections, fire drills and educational programs in our school system. This vehicle is used daily. This smaller vehicle is fuel efficient yet still large enough to carry personnel and associated equipment and gear when responding emergencies. This vehicle is also equipped with lifesaving equipment such as and advanced first aid kit and AED.



Utility 1 – This Ford F-350 is used to transport emergency response trailers, such as the Hazardous Materials trailer, Special Rescue trailer, the boat for water rescues and trailers used by the Exeter All-Hazards Health Region as well as plow snow when necessary as well as transport personnel and equipment to and from emergency scenes and training evolutions.



Ambulance 1 and Ambulance 2 - With the ever-increasing EMS call volume, over 2000 calls per year, both of these vehicles are on the road every day providing lifesaving emergency medical assistance for the residents and visitors of Exeter.



Fire Alarm Truck - As the town continues to grow, the fire alarm system will continue to keep up with growth and maintenance, requiring the services of this vehicle. This vehicle is also used by the Public Works Dept. for street light service and bulb replacement and when an elevated platform is necessary.



Forestry 1 – This Dodge 5500 4X4 pickup truck is large enough to carry personnel and firefighting equipment and is equipped with a forestry skid unit and 9500 lb. winch, water and foam tanks. Exeter is fortunate to have many acres of forests and woodlands that are only accessible by this smaller workhorse of a truck.



Engines – The Fire Department currently runs four engine/pumpers. All the engines are set up to fight fires, carrying 1500 gallons of water each. Although, the engines are primarily set up the same, they have some different assignments. Engine 1's first priority is as a water source, Engine 2 and Engine 5 are "attack engines", Squad 3 as well as responding to all fires, this engine is set up to respond to motor vehicle accidents and is used as heavy rescue carrying a number of specialty equipment. This truck also responds to mutual aid calls and is equipped to respond as a RIT team. All of our trucks have 750-gallon tanks with 1500 gallons per minute pumps.



Ladder 1 - Ladder trucks are a key piece of equipment for the town's fire protection, as its main purpose is to save lives. The ladder truck provides a solid work platform for firefighters to rescue trapped occupants, provide safer conditions to operate on the roof, ventilate smoke and hazardous gases through roofs to keep our firefighters safe and to mitigate damage at the scene of a building fire.