



# BEING THE LEADER DOESN'T MAKE YOU ONE



## Fire Service Leadership Training Train-the-Trainer

ADDRESSING THE NEEDS OF INDIVIDUAL LEADERS AND INVESTING IN OUR PEOPLE  
FOR A BETTER FIRE SERVICE. IT ALL STARTS WITH YOU!

As fire and emergency service department members our safety and effectiveness depends on teamwork. Our job is to expertly handle a crisis and leadership is the glue which holds a team together during that crisis. But the crisis cannot be ours.

All teams need leaders for better or for worse. But the leaders can make or break the group. Their influence and behavior strongly influences the team's safety and effectiveness. Qualities such as discipline, focus, organizational skills, motivation, and a competitive nature make for effective team members. Do those same characteristics make it challenging to lead them?

Of the countless people who take on various leadership roles, how many encounter resistances to their attempts to lead or even hostility, jealousy or unfriendliness. How many find the transition to leader challenging to say the least? If, being a leader turns out to be a bad experience it is almost always because of the leader's own ineffectiveness. Public safety operations attract special people, let's talk about how to lead them effectively. The purpose of this presentation is to show you what special skills and methods you must learn to use today's "model" of effective leadership.



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South West Ohio Fire Chiefs Association

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Training Location:

Liberty Center  
Sabin Hall by Cincinnati Children's  
7100 Foundry Row  
Liberty Township, OH 45069

Date:  
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Time:  
Registration Begins at 0800  
Class is from 0830 – 1700

Registration please email:

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