

Boylston Fire Department Apparatus Summary

All department vehicles are equipped with first aid kits, oxygen kits and automated external defibrillators (AED).

Engine 1:

1989 Ford Model F8000 commercial chassis built by E-One Corporation. This vehicle is a pumper with a 1000 gallon water tank and has the capacity to carry four firefighters to an emergency. The vehicle does not have an enclosed cab so two of the four firefighters are positioned in jump seats in the back of the cab of the vehicle. These seats cannot be used during winter operations as the firefighters are exposed to the elements. Currently the function of this engine is to pump water from a hydrant or other water source to the fire scene. This vehicle also carries a 35 ft. ground ladder and first aid equipment including portable oxygen and an automated external defibrillator.



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Engine 2:

1996 Freightliner commercial chassis built by E-One Corporation. This vehicle is a pumper with a 1000 gallon water tank and has the capacity to carry five firefighters in an enclosed compartment. This vehicle is also equipped with a set of Jaws of Life rescue tools, a portable foam generator, a 1600 gallon folding water tank, thermal imaging camera and other firefighting and rescue tools. This vehicle is set up as our first due piece to any structure fire and is also our mutual aid piece. This vehicle is certified as a "Class A" pumper. The vehicle is also equipped with first aid equipment including portable oxygen and an automated external defibrillator.



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Tanker 1:

1989 Mack R-model commercial chassis built by E-One Corporation. This vehicle is set up as a tanker but can also function as a pumper. It has a 3000 gallon water tank along with a 1500 gallon folding water tank. It functions as a water supply piece to any fires outside of the hydrant district and can also function as a pumper inside the water district.



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Rescue 1:

2004 GMC commercial cab/chassis with a 1980 rescue truck body attached to it. The 1980 body has been repainted to match the color of the new cab/chassis. This vehicle houses all rescue tools required to mitigate motor vehicle accidents, structure fires and hazardous materials incidents. The vehicle has the capability to carry two firefighters in the cab and another six firefighters in the body. The rescue truck holds all of the Jaws of Life tools, air bags, positive pressure ventilation fans, power saws, stabilization equipment, spare air packs and spare air bottles. This vehicle responds to all structure fires, fire alarms, motor vehicle accidents, ice/water rescues and hazardous material calls. It is equipped with radiological detection equipment and a multi-gas meter to be used to evaluate potentially hazardous atmospheres at an emergency scene. This vehicle is equipped with a full line of first aid equipment and responds to medical calls when the ambulance is on another call or out of service.



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Forestry 1:

1984 Chevrolet C30 military four wheel drive pickup truck. This vehicle is set up to fight all forest, brush, woods and grass fires. It is equipped with a skid tank system consisting of a 150 gallon water tank, 5 gallon foam tank and pump. This vehicle has the ability to go off road to fight brush fires and is capable of flowing water as the vehicle is in motion.



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Forestry 2:

1986 AM General military all wheel drive vehicle. This vehicle was built by the members of the fire department with very little cost to the town. This vehicle is set up to fight all forest, brush, woods and grass fires. It carries a 1000 gallon water tank with a pump capable of pumping water as the vehicle drives. This vehicle has extensive off road capabilities and can transport two firefighters to a scene.



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Car 1:

2000 Ford Explorer command vehicle. This vehicle is set up to operate as the command staff car at all incidents. This vehicle is equipped with radios that have the capability to communicate with all area fire departments as well as the Division of Fire Control and NE Lifelight. Car 1 also has direct radio communications with all area hospitals. as well.

Car 2:

2005 GMC Sierra Extended Cab 4 x 4 pickup truck. The vehicle is set up with communications equipment to communicate directly with all area fire departments, Division of Fire Control, NE Lifelight as well as the area hospitals. This vehicle has the ability to be used as a command vehicle at emergency scenes. This vehicle is equipped with a plow to serve to maintain the station, clear fire roads and clean out fire hydrants.



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MARINE 1:

1994 Starcraft 18 foot boat with a 75 hp outboard motor. This boat was given to the fire department by the Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) to be used in response to hazardous materials incidents at the Wachusett Reservoir. The boat has the ability to deploy harbor boom and other mitigation equipment to protect the water supply. Marine 1 responds to any water emergency on any of the waterways within the community.



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Ambulance 1:

1999 Ford F450 Super Duty four wheel drive Type I basic life support ambulance. This vehicle responds to all medical calls, motor vehicle accidents, structure fires and hazardous materials incidents. The ambulance provides basic life support to all patients; advanced life support (paramedic services) are provided on a mutual aid basis by the West Boylston Fire Department and Worcester EMS. The ambulance is staffed by a minimum of two certified emergency medical technicians as it responds to calls for service. The ambulance is equipped with all standard basic life support equipment including an automated external defibrillator, portable and on-board oxygen, splinting and immobilization equipment, pulse oximetry meters, and blood glucose monitors. The ambulance transports patients to several area hospitals including UMass Medical Center, Memorial Hospital, Worcester Medical Center and Clinton Hospital. The ambulance is able to communicate directly with all of the area hospitals, area fire departments, UMass Lifelight and MEMA. The ambulance responds to several hundred calls for service each year.

