

SPOKANE COUNTY FIRE DISTRICT 8

Standard Operating Procedures

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JURY DUTY
AND
WITNESS DUTY



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Purpose: To outline the steps for appearing and limitations for members being called by the courts for jury duty or witness duty.

References: N/A

Procedure:

1. Jury Duty.

- a) The District provides all employees leave for the full period of jury duty service.
- b) Regular fulltime and all salaried exempt employees, receive paid jury duty leave each time they are called for jury service.
- c) Employees must provide the payment provided by the court for jury duty service, not including mileage or other employee expenses, to the District.
- d) Members must provide their manager with a copy of the jury duty summons as soon as possible after receiving it.
- e) Upon completion of jury duty, members are required to provide their manager with proof of jury service.

2. Witness Duty.

- a) The District provides all employees leave to testify in court for cases involving Spokane County Fire District 8.
- b) If a member needs to testify in court for any other reason, annual leave may be used.