

**Travis County Emergency Services District No. 9**  
**Westlake Fire Department**  
**Standard Operating Guideline**

**Subject: Response Territory**

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**I. Purpose**

To provide efficient response from each station to all areas of the district and improve response times. The division of response between the stations was an effort to provide equal territory to each station without negatively impacting response times.

**II. Policy**

Apparatus and equipment shall respond to calls only in their designated service areas, or as designated by dispatch or the ranking officer on duty.

**III. Procedure**

From an evaluation of territory maps and response times, the District has been divided into sixteen fire boxes. These boxes will be designated in accordance with the Austin Fire Department's CAD designation. When the letters "WL" are at the front of the box, the name indicates it is a WFD box and when the letters "WL" are at the end of the box, the name indicates contract response. For the AFD boxes, the first two numbers designate which AFD engine has the first response in that fire box.

The stations are responsible for the following boxes:

- Station 1: WL1004, 1004WL, WL3201, WL3202, WL 3105, 3105WL, WL3106.
- Station 2: WL3105, WL3107, 3107WL, 3209WL, WL3209, WL3206, 3206WL, WL3207, WL3702.

The territory along the following roads has been divided as follows:

<i>Street</i>	<i>Station 1</i>	<i>Station 2</i>
Bee Caves	4099 & Lower	4100 & Higher
Yaupon Valley Rd.	1299 & Lower	1300 & Higher
Red Bud Tr.	1399 & Lower	1400 & Higher