

JOSEPH F. HEGEMAN, JR.

Milwaukee, WI 53220

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Special Operations Deputy Chief/Paramedic May 2021 - Present

- Car 5
- Special Teams/Special Events

Firefighting Deputy Chief/Paramedic July 2019 – May 2021

- Green Shift Commander/Car 3

Battalion Chief/Paramedic December 2015 – 2019

- Battalion 4 April 2019 – Present
 - Direct supervision of 6 fire stations, 42 personnel daily
 - Extensive experience Acting Firefighting Deputy Chief, 700+ hours
 - Organized shared service training with St. Francis Fire Department
 - DNC Critical Infrastructure Subcommittee Member
 - Wisconsin Counterterrorism Conference Attendee, May 14-15, 2019
- Battalion 3 December 2017 – April 2019
 - Direct supervision of 6 fire stations, 40 personnel daily
 - Coordinated training with shared service partners Greenfield and West Allis FD
 - COA By-Laws committee member
- Battalion 1 December 2015 – December 2017
 - Direct supervision of 7 fire stations, 49 personnel daily
 - Trained and trusted as Acting Firefighting Deputy Chief
 - Qualifications met for Executive Fire Officer Program enrollment
 - Hand selected as instructor for Battalion Chief orientation and training, May 2017
 - Coordinator of 2016 Combined Giving Campaign
 - Contributed more than any other city department (\$33,658)
 - Increased giving by \$10,533 compared to 2015
 - Increased employee contribution by 2%
 - Winner of “Loose Change” city-wide challenge
 - Selected as Fire Medic Committee Member, September 2016 – Present
 - Served as Incident Command during Civil Unrest, August 2016
 - Member of Wisconsin State Fire Chiefs’ Association, March 2016 – Present

Fire Captain/Paramedic February 2014 – December 2015

- Chosen as Blue Shift Incident Safety Officer, February 2015 – December 2015
 - Assisted with posting of safety bulletins for membership
- Qualified and entrusted to act Battalion Chief on numerous occasions
- Directly responsible for paramedic students assigned to fire station

Fire Lieutenant/Paramedic February 2008 – February 2014

- Completed initial MFD Professional Development Program for Battalion Chief level
- Requested busiest engine assignment as Paramedic First Responder on Engine 13
 - Mentor for probationary firefighters
- Cross trained as Paramedic Officer and requested busiest med unit assignment, Med 5
 - Assisted in training new paramedics and medical student ride-alongs
- Accepted into Paramedic Program with successful completion

Fire Fighter

September 2001 – February 2008

- Privileged to be assigned to HURT Specialty Fire Station 12, October 2004 – February 2008
 - Structural Collapse Committee Member, 2005-2007
- Served on MFD Honor Guard, June 2007 – 2012
- MFD Paramedic Bike Team, 2005 – 2007
- Hand selected as Heavy Urban Rescue Team Member, December 2003
- Hand selected as Dive Rescue Team Member, October 2003
 - Awarded EMS Rescue Class “C” and a Unit Citation, October 2006

EDUCATION

Milwaukee County Emergency Medical Services Paramedic Training Center	April 2009
• Emergency Medical Technician – Paramedic	
Southern Illinois University – Carbondale	May 2008
• Bachelors Degree of Science – Fire Service Management	
Milwaukee Area Technical College	May 2005
• Associate Degree in Applied Science – Fire Science (<i>Honor Roll</i>)	

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATIONS & TRAINING

Wisconsin Emergency Services Instructor I	Exp. 2/23/2022
PALS	Exp. December 2019
ACLS	Exp. December 2020
National Registry Emergency Medical Technician-Paramedic	Exp. 3/31/2020
Fire Officer II	May 2017
FEMA ICS-400	June 2013
FEMA ICS-300	June 2013
MFD Safety Seminar	May 2012
Command Level Tactics and Strategy	April 2012
NFA Incident Safety Officer	April 2012
Entry Level Engine and Aerial Operations	April 2012
Building Construction For The Fire Service	November 2011
FEMA ICS-800	February 2010
Fire Officer I	March 2007
FEMA ICS-100	August 2006
FEMA ICS-200	August 2006
FEMA ICS-700	August 2006
Dive Rescue I	May 2006
Dept. of Homeland Security Underwater Hazardous Device Search	May 2005
Incident Response to Terrorist Bombing Awareness Training	December 2004
Hazardous Materials First Responder Awareness Level	May 2004

OTHER PERTINENT WORK HISTORY

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- Owner of Hegeman, Jr. Investments LLC - Established 10/17/06
- Owner, manager, and maintenance of investment properties since 2001

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Member at St. Mary Catholic Faith Community

MFD Pizza Oven, Combined Giving Campaign at City Hall 2018

Pediatric Congenital Heart Association Gala Volunteer

MFD Explorer Post Volunteer Advisor

La Causa Organization Volunteer

Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure and Make-A-Wish Walk and Run for the Wishes Volunteer

Variety of Children's Charity of Wisconsin Volunteer

Donated day of labor in Madison Fire Station allowing funeral attendance