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# MEMORANDUM



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**Subject:**

## Deceased Member Notification

It is with deep sympathy and heavy heart that I notify members and employees of the D.C. Fire and Emergency Medical Services Department of the death of retired Battalion Fire Chief Edward J. Rupard.

Chief Rupard was appointed on January 14, 1952 to Truck Company 7 and retired January 1, 1977 as the Third Battalion Fire Chief. He passed away on January 22, 2013. A Funeral Service will be private.

I extend my heartfelt condolences, on behalf of the Department, to the family, friends, and loved ones of Battalion Chief Rupard.

  
Kenneth B. Ellerbe  
Fire & EMS Chief