



5112601 – SIZING UP THE POTENTIAL COLLAPSE

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STRUCTURAL COLLAPSE IS ONE OF THE LEADING CAUSES OF SERIOUS INJURIES AND DEATH TO FIREFIGHTERS. THE IMPORTANCE OF AN ONGOING FIRE SCENE SIZE-UP HELPS IDENTIFY THE POTENTIAL FOR A STRUCTURAL COLLAPSE. THIS SEMINAR INCLUDES DISCUSSION OF VARIOUS SIGNS AND INDICATORS OF POSSIBLE COLLAPSE; ALSO ACTIONS THAT SHOULD BE TAKEN TO PREVENT FIREFIGHTER INJURIES. CHIEF LOTOCKI BRINGS YEARS OF EXPERIENCE AS A CAREER AND VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER AS HE PREPARES YOU TO DEVELOP YOUR SIZE-UP TOOL BOX.

