# ST. TAMMANY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT # 1

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#### Fire Chief Chris Kaufmann

#### **For Immediate Release**

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St. Tammany Fire District #1 & the Slidell Fire Fighters Association to Host an "All Hazards 1001" Citizens Academy

#### What is it?

All Hazards 1001 is an introduction to St. Tammany Fire District #1's operations, procedures, divisions and overall mission of our department. It is a FREE five sessions informational training beginning with an introduction to the Fire Service and culminating with a day of scenarios that will give the participant a snapshot of what a firefighter actually sees, feels, smells and all the jobs that are a part of the life of a firefighter. It is geared towards providing citizens and politicians with the knowledge of all aspects of the Fire Department.

### When is it?

Beginning August 27, 2014 at 6:00PM and will run four consecutive Wednesday evenings. The program will culminate with a set of scenarios on Saturday, September 20, 2014, beginning at 8AM.

#### Where will it be held?

All sessions will be held at St. Tammany Fire District #1 Training Academy on South Range Rd., in the Camp Villere Complex.

## Why should I attend?

To better inform the citizens and political leaders of the inner workings of the Fire Department and the tasks involved in mitigating emergencies.

### Who may attend?

The "All Hazards 1001" Citizens Academy is open to the first 20 people that call and reserve a spot in the program. All applicants must be at least 18 years of age. The deadline for reserving a spot will be Monday, August 18, 2014 at 4pm. Anyone interested in attending should call St. Tammany Fire District #1's main office at (985) 649-3665.

## More...

# **Questions?**

If you have any questions or need any additional details about the program please call Chief of Fire Prevention/PIO Chad Duffaut at (985) 646-4387.

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