Adams and Jefferson County Hazardous Response Authority FIELD OPERATING GUIDELINES

ADMINISTRATIVE

F.O.G. #: 100 CATEGORY: <u>Introduction</u>

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I. Purpose:

A. To introduce the Field Operating Guidelines of the AJCHRA.

II. Guideline (These Guidelines Do Not Replace or Superseded Agency Policies or Guidelines.)

- A. All AJCHRA personnel shall utilize the AJCHRA's Field Operating Guidelines as the official source of reference for guidelines pertaining to routine and emergency operations.
- B. It shall be the responsibility of all members to familiarize themselves with all Guidelines contained in this manual.
- C. Field Operating Guidelines will not always provide a solution or answer to every situation. It is expected, however, to be sufficiently comprehensive to cover either a specific or a general way the majority of operational activities are conducted.
- D. The establishment of Field Operating Guidelines shall not limit any member in using good judgment or initiative in taking appropriate action consistent with the expectations of our profession or our Mission Statement.
- E. A quarterly review of this manual will be performed as well as implementation of any changes/additions recognized as necessary.
- F. Identified policy or procedural conflicts will default to agency SOP's and addressed as a FOG review.

III. References:

A. AJCHRA Mission Statement