



# NAPPANEE FIRE DEPARTMENT

Providing Fire Protection & Emergency Services in the Nappanee Community Since 1892

## **Nappanee Fire Department PPC Rating City of Nappanee, Indiana**

This past year the Nappanee Fire Department PPC (Public Protection Classification) score was evaluated by ISO (Insurance Services Office). ISO is a national insurance data and underwriting service that a majority of insurance companies use to determine homeowner and business insurance rates.

The rating is based on many factors that were evaluated during the ISO audit. ISO gives a ranking of 1 through 10, with 1 being the best and 10 being no fire protection at all. The audit is based on scores received in the following areas:

- Fire Department Quality (equipment, staffing and training)
- Water Supply (condition, distribution and supply of water)
- Alarm & Communication System ( telephone system and quality of dispatch system)

Results of this audit has raised the Nappanee Fire Department's PPC rating from 5/5X to a classification of 4/4Y.

ISO rated 46,042 fire departments in 2017. Only 26% of all communities nationwide received a PPC rating of 4 or lower. In Indiana only 10% of all communities received a lower rating.

Mayor Phil Jenkins and Fire Chief Don Lehman are pleased to make this announcement to the community of Nappanee. The new rating will become effective December 1, 2017.

We encourage local businesses and residents to contact their insurance providers regarding the new rating.

