

Andover Fire-Rescue Honor Guard

Established in 1998, the Andover Fire Department Honor Guard performs funeral ceremonies and Color Guard duties to honor fire service traditions. The team presents and posts the Colors at department ceremonies, participates in memorial processions, and renders full honors at funerals—including Line-of-Duty Death (LODD) services, casket watch, pallbearing, and flag-folding. Members maintain training in drill, ceremony, and flag etiquette, remain ready for departmental or mutual-aid requests, and care for all ceremonial uniforms and equipment.

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Lt. John Gabriel
Commander
Member Since 2008



FF Jason Emley
Honor Guard
Member Since 2020



Lt. Frank Shaw
Honor Guard
Member Since 2001



FF Steve Plantz
Honor Guard
Member Since 2022



Capt. Stephen Cullinane
Honor Guard
Member Since 2015

Our Mission:
“To honor the fallen, stand by their families, and uphold fire service traditions with dignity and respect.”