

Florissant Fire Protection District
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ISO Property Protection Class Rating (April 1, 2026 Update)

Florissant Fire Public Protection Classification Rating PPC Rating of 5/5Y

Overview:

Florissant Fire Protection District (FFPD) was formed in 2000 when the Florissant/Divide Fire Protection District split into two separate organizations. Before that and now, the area has been served by volunteers since 1949. The current district coverage area is mountainous with grasslands and includes 66 square miles of Teller County, Colorado.

Fire Station 51 (2606 US Hwy 24)

Fire Station 52 (49 North Mountain)

Fire Station 53 (3204 Trail Creek Rd)

ISO Class 5 rating applies to all FFPD residents and business owners within five road miles of a fire station and has a water source within 1,000 feet. Homes in the district outside of 1000 feet from a water source are covered by the **ISO Class 5Y** rating. Auto-aid agreements and mobile water sources are in place to provide this coverage. If you have any questions about your rating, please call Chief John Buchan @ 719-494-3874 or email: chief.buchan@florissantfire.com

PPC Rating of 10: This rating applies to all FFPD residents and business owners outside five road miles of the above-mentioned fire stations, if auto-aid agreements are not in place for that specific location. This applies mostly to the far Northern end of Teller County.

Validating Fire Department Coverage:

Teller County

Numbers:

FFPD currently runs out of 3 Fire Stations. The fleet consists of 4 Engines, 3 Tenders, 4 Brush Trucks, 3 Staff Vehicles and 2 Wildfire Trailers. We respond with 12,000 gallons of water on the first alarm, with extensive automatic aid agreements. The department is staffed by 1 full time fire chief, 3 part time, 2 seasonal and 35 volunteer emergency responders. We run over 500 calls a year with an average response time of 9-12 minutes.

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Water Supply Questions

Hydrants within the district are all serve by the Florissant Water District and The National Park Service. Structures that are within 1,000 feet of a fire hydrant or approved water source are automatically ISO Class 5.

Roads

All county and state approved and maintained roads are wildfire access/egress routes.

Cisterns, dry hydrants and other water sources

Florissant Fire has invested heavily into fire engines and water tenders to address our mountainous environment and limited water supply challenges. We feel confident that we have adequate water shuttle capabilities to handle most structural fire situations. We also supplement our abilities through the use of static water supplies such as cisterns. Structures that are within 1,000 feet of an approved cistern or water source are automatically ISO Class 5.

The majority of cisterns are mostly in the Colorado Mountain Estates Area. In addition, there are many other cisterns and water sources throughout the district we have access to. The majority of these water sources are privately owned, as such we are not able to report up to date data on these.

Dispatch Center/911 Call Center

Florissant Fire Protection District and its supporting agencies are dispatched by Teller County public safety dispatch center. They have an advanced center feature E911 and are staffed 24hrs/365 by certified public safety communications specialists.

Wildfire Mitigation Inspections

Florissant Fire Protection District provides FREE mitigation assessments for district property owners.

To schedule your free wildland fire assessment, call 719-494-3874

Further Inquires

Please direct any further questions to our administration offices at 719-748-3909