

First-Due Four-Box Process

FINAL APPROACH: Get Things Going

1. Final crew consultation ('anybody know something I should know?')
 2. Survey surrounding area (debris, bystanders, victims, occupants, etc.)
 3. Address water supply (if smoke showing, multiple callers, etc.)
 4. Housekeeping stuff (police for traffic, utility company, investigator, etc.)
 5. Confirm that dispatched address/occupancy is correct ('approaching 123 Main Street').
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BOX ONE: Arrival Report

1. Occupancy & Showing
2. Designate Side-Alpha
3. Capture Responding Units
4. Initiate Command
5. Investigation Mode

Psshhh...
Airbrake is
your cue!

BOX TWO: Focused Strategy

1. Team sets the table
2. Talk to Somebody
3. List Big Six
4. Identify Hazards
5. Determine Value-Time-Size (V-T-S)

Ssshhh...
Leave me
alone!



**Find the
Gorilla!**

BOX THREE: Update Report

1. Building Snapshot
2. Big Six Report
3. Update the Mode (call the play)
4. Draft Initial Action Plan (IAP)
5. Assign IAP Objectives

State of
fireground
address!

BOX FOUR: Establish Command Post

1. Name & Locate
2. Tactical Accountability
3. Coordinate Objectives
4. Obtain Status Reports
5. Strategy, Resources, & Risk

10-minute
V-T-S
updates!

COMMAND POST: Situational Awareness

1. Command Caveat #1: *If you need something and it is not there and available it's too late.*
2. Ongoing evaluation of conditions, action plan, & mode
3. Ongoing value-time-size determination
4. Appropriate strategic & tactical adjustments
5. Broadcast Command Post benchmarks