



## ***ONSITE EMERGENCY VEHICLE DRIVER TRAINING PROGRAM***



### **Onsite Driver Training**

**Friday September 16, 2016  
Cummington Town Hall 33 Main Street**

**and Saturday, September 17, 2016  
Cummington Fairgrounds 97 Fairground Road**

**IN ORDER TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS TRAINING YOU MUST  
PROVIDE YOUR OWN FIRE TRUCK**

***This training will consist of both a classroom  
and hands-on segment.***

## **CLASSROOM**

**Friday, September 16, 2016 6 :30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.  
Cummington Town Hall  
33 Main Street**

The classroom portion consists of a lecture and powerpoint and is highly interactive and addresses the following topics:

How much do we know?  
What qualifications do we have?  
What qualifications should we have?

Pre-Test

Driving attitudes- what we think/know. How we behave when we drive

Laws and Liabilities

Massachusetts laws pertaining to the operation of the EV-Ambulance/Fire  
How to determine if the call is a true emergency  
Lights, sirens- proper usage- due regard

Vehicle

Pre-trip inspection, traction, friction, braking systems, intersections,  
braking, backing, night driving, vision, environmental conditions.

## **HANDS-ON**

**Saturday, September 17, 2016 7:00 a.m.  
Cummington Fairgrounds  
97 Fairground Road**

The practical driver portion of the course will cover straight line driving and

backing, alley docking, serpentine, lane change, diminishing clearance, confined space turn around, parallel parking, backing with and without a spotter and trailer handling.

Participants by the end of this course will be able to identify the areas which they need to concentrate on to become safer and more confident drivers.

MIIA members communities with 50% or more of their department participating in this course are eligible for a 2% credit off of their FY17 renewal premium under the AUTO category.