

## RESCUE 3 INTERNATIONAL

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Dear Training Officer:

Thank you for your interest in Rescue 3 International's technician level water training program. The courses that comprise this curriculum are *Swiftwater Rescue Technician Unit 1 (SRT1)*, *Technical Rope Rescue: Technician Level (TRR: TL)* and *Swiftwater Rescue Technician Advanced (SRTA)*. These courses are designed with strong adherence and in direct relation to the N.F.P.A. standards associated with swiftwater and flood rescue.

Graduates of this set of courses will have received training in the skills essential to meeting the standards for N.F.P.A. 1006 *Standard for Rescue Technician Professional Qualifications*. Further, they will have the knowledge needed to assist their agencies in complying with the water and rope rescue sections of N.F.P.A. 1670 *Standard on Operations & Training for Technical Search and Rescue Incidents* (2004 version).

For Rescue 3 International to verify that these standards have been adhered to, students must take both the SRT1 and the SRTA courses through Rescue 3. However, for the rope training your personnel may either take Rescue 3's *Technical Rope Rescue: Technician Level* or have rope training which meets the technician level for the 1670 and 1006 Standards from another source.

If you feel that your employee(s) has met this standard by *in-house* training through your department, please fill out the attached form and send it to the instructor whose course your people are planning to take. Also, if your personnel have had training through a state agency or other recognized training organization which meets the NFPA Standards for rope, send a copy of their certificates to the instructor. Regardless of the outside training involved, it must be done prior to taking the *Swiftwater Rescue Technician Advanced (SRTA)* course.

We appreciate your assistance and look forward to meeting with your personnel. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call. Our toll-free number is (800) 457-3728.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Gaile K. Lane". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name being the most prominent.

Gaile K. Lane  
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## Technical Rope Skills Check List

**Student Information:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Enrolling in SRTA course

Please have the Training Officer or Chief from the department complete the following chart with the date(s) that the student list above completed the listed skills that are prerequisites for Rescue 3 International’s Swiftwater Rescue Technician Advanced (SRTA) course:

Skill	Date Completed
1. Constructed and operated the use of a high angle system—i.e. 1:1 to a 4:1	
2. Constructed and operated the use of a lowering system single and two-rope system	
3. Constructed and operated the use of a high line lowering system	
4. Constructed and operated the use of a belay system	
5. Has rappelled	
6. Has ascended a fixed rope	
7. Has “passed a knot” through a lowering and raising system	
8. Has knowledge of and participated as an attendant to a litter/stokes in a high angle system	

**Department Information:**

Dept. Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Endorsing Person’s Information:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title/Rank: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

I verify that the student named above has satisfactorily completed the above skills:

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Of Person Endorsing

**FORM MUST BE SENT TO INSTRUCTOR BEFORE COURSE FOR STUDENT TO BE ELIGIBLE!**