





Barker Co.

Knox Automobile Co. chemical car, hose wagon

chem

Mr. Barker died in 1949. Obit says 1st motorized truck in city was produced by him, I assume on a Knox auto chassis. City purchased 3 others in next few years. Poss after 1911. One of them was retired in 1923

Norwalk Fire Dept. (Hope Hose)

1909-1927

1914

Barker Co.

pumper, chemical

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Barker was a Norwalk company. FD had several Barker's.

Eng 2 Norwalk Fire Dept. 1914-1922

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1914

Barker Co.

pumper, chemical

chem

Unsure of photo match with

1914

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Barker Co.

pumper, chemical

450 gpm chem

Barker was a Norwalk company. FD had several Barker's. A member of the Old Well H&L Co. drove the truck. He joined in 1918.

Norwalk Fire Dept.

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1914-1923

Barker was a Norwalk company. FD had several Barker's. A 40-year member drove the truck from 1920-1924.

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Norwalk Fire Dept.

1914-1924

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1917

Brockway

city service, chemical

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American LaFrance

chem

1919

Mack Trucks AB Series

city service

2-35 chem

Reg #1863 ship 11-21-1917 Cmb-Srv

Ladder 1 Norwalk Fire Dept.

1917-1953

Ladder 2

5B: double chem tanks.

Eng 3

Norwalk Fire Dept.

1919-1937

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#### American LaFrance

Brockway

pumper

750 gpm

1924

Seagrave Corp.

pumper

750 gpm

1924-1950

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Reg #4159 ship 10-4-1923 Likely photo match but because of assignment, not year of 1926 on Facebook caption.

Eng 1

Norwalk Fire Dept.

1923-1949

Reserve as of

1953

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Painted 1-4-1924

Norwalk Fire Dept. Eng 2

1953

Reserve as of

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#### 1925

#### American LaFrance

Brockway

pumper

400 gpm

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Reg #5374 ship 10-24-25. Banksville history: Aug 1949 - First fire truck obtained – a second-hand, 1926 American LaFrance was purchased from the City of Norwalk, Ct. for \$318. (A 1927 ALF was still in service in Norwalk in 1953.)

Eng 3

Norwalk Fire Dept.

1925-1948

1949

Banksville Ind. Fire Co., Greenwich

Reg #6197 ship 9-11-27. Service could be longer

Eng 4

Norwalk Fire Dept. 1927-1953

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# 1937

# Mack Trucks E Series

pumper

600 gpm 125 gal tank

Del 12-3-1937 (This would match a '37 Mack from Norwalk, but there is no record for it at Mack.)

Eng 5 Norwalk Fire Dept.

Eng 5 - Fair

1937-1957

1957-unk Fairfield Fire Dept.

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Del. 12-31-1938

Truck 2 Norwalk Fire Dept. 1938-1955

Truck 3 Reassigned 1956-1968

> Preserved - Department - Norwalk as of 2017

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pumper 750 gpm 100 gal tank

1927

American LaFrance

Brockway

1938

Mack Trucks E Series

city service

500 gpm 100 gal tank

Ford

pumper

500 skid-mount pump

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1947

Seagrave Corp.

aerial

booster? 90 gal tank tractor-drawn - 85'

Civil Defense issue

Norwalk Fire Dept. 1940-1952?

Reserve as of 1953

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ordered in 1941 but delayed. UR 1953 lists as a '47. Painted on 7-2-1947. Dept. history says 1946.

Norwalk Fire Dept. 1947-1953 Aerial 1 Ladder 1 Reassigned 1953-1967

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1949

Ward LaFrance Truck Corp.

Ward LaFrance

pumper

750 gpm 250 gal tank 1950

Ward LaFrance Truck Corp.

Ward LaFrance

pumper

750 gpm 250 gal tank

85T

Eng 3 Norwalk Fire Dept. 1949-1968 85T

Eng 1 Norwalk Fire Dept. 1950-1966

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Reserve as of 1967

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1951

Ward LaFrance Truck Corp.

Ward LaFrance

pumper

750 gpm 250 gal tank 1953

Ward LaFrance Truck Corp.

Ward LaFrance

pumper

750 gpm 250 gal tank

Yr from UR 1953. WLF list has only 3. Not sure about serial matches with others.

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Eng 2 Norwalk Fire Dept. 1951-1967

> Reserve as of 1967

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85T Norwalk history says there were 4 Wards - I have 3 from Manufac. list. Year from WLF list

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Eng 4 Norwalk Fire Dept.

1953-1965

Reserve as of 1967



# American LaFrance 700 Series

aerial

tractor-drawn - 85' ALF

#### 1958

# American LaFrance 800 Series

pumper

750 gpm

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Reg #N-356 ship 2-19-1958 D-875-PKO

Eng 5 Norwalk Fire Dept. 1958-1970

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#### ship 2-21-1956 7-85-TMO

Ladder 2 Norwalk Fire Dept. 1956-1967 Truck 1 Reassigned 1968-1976 Aerial 1 Reserve 1977-1982

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# 1958

#### American LaFrance

pumper

750 gpm

Not on ALF list, which ends just about this time. Could be 800 or 900 series. Also might not be ALF. Info from UR 1967

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Eng 6 Norwalk Fire Dept. 1958-1972



### 1961

#### American LaFrance

pumper

1000 gpm 750 gal tank

one of 5 purchased in 1960's.

Eng 8 Norwalk Fire Dept. 1961-1976

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#### 1966

# American LaFrance 900 Series

pumper

1000 gpm 500 gal tank

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1966

# American LaFrance 900 Series

pumper

1000 gpm 500 gal tank

Article says this replaces a 26 yr old truck (1940). Del same time as E9. Redman says '67  $\,$ 

1966-1979 Eng 7 Norwalk Fire Dept.

delivered along with E7 ARN 8-1981 says 1000 gal (only one)

Eng 9 Norwalk Fire Dept. Eng 4

1966-1975 1976-1982

Reassigned

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#### American LaFrance

Chevrolet

pumper

500 gpm 750 gal tank



#### 1968

# Gerstenslager Co.

International

rescue

Eng 407 Wilton Fire Dept. Hazmat 2nd pc. Norwalk Fire Dept.

Mid-Fairfield County Hazmat Unit

1967-1978

Hazmat 1

Res 2 Norwalk Fire Dept.

1968-1980

Mid-Fairfield County Haz-Mat, Norwalk 1980-1988?

Preserved - Museum - Andy Leider as of 2014

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#### 1968

## American LaFrance 900

1980-unk

aerial platform

1250 gpm 250 gal tank rear-mount - 90' Aero Chief

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#### 1969

#### American LaFrance 900 Series

pumper

1000 gpm 500 gal tank

1981: to be repowered and fitted with a 100' rear-mount aerial (Victor). Not sure this ever happened.

 Truck 2
 Norwalk Fire Dept.
 1968-1976

 Truck 1
 Reassigned
 1977-1985

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one of 5 purchased in 1960's.

 Eng 1
 Norwalk Fire Dept.
 1969-1981

 Eng 2
 Reassigned
 1981-1983

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# 1969

#### American LaFrance 900 Series

pumper

1000 gpm 500 gal tank

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#### 1970

#### American LaFrance 900 Series

pumper

1500 gpm 500 gal tank

photo taken 9-25-1969. Got E8's 1976 at some point after disbandment in 1981.

Eng 3 Norwalk Fire Dept. 1969-1985

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ARN 8-1981 says 1000 series

Eng 5 Norwalk Fire Dept. 1970-1983



#### American LaFrance

pumper

1500 gpm 500 gal tank

McKeon has '76 and photo in Vol 3 as King Ind. TCM cab

Eng 6 Norwalk Fire Dept. 1973-1980 Eng 1 Reassigned 1981-1982 Eng 5 Reassigned 1983-1987

King Chemical Industries, Norwalk

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#### 1976

# American LaFrance Century Series

pumper

1500 gpm 500 gal tank

E8 was disbanded in 1981. ARN 1-1977 has photo as E8.

Eng 8 Norwalk Fire Dept. 1976-1981 Eng 3

Reassigned 1984-1987 Preserved - Department - Norwalk as of 2018

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#### 1977

# American LaFrance Century Series

aerial

1250 gpm 250 gal tank rear-mount - 100' ALF

Truck 2 Norwalk Fire Dept. 1977-1984 Truck 1 Reassigned 1984-1995 Preserved - Museum - Andy Leider as of 2014

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# 1979

#### Saulsbury Fire Equip.

Pemfab Chassis Div.

rescue

1981

Saulsbury Fire Equip. Chevrolet C50 to C70

pumper

450 gpm

250 gal tank



shop-built - modified. Don't know what truck they used.

Eng? Norwalk Fire Dept. 1979-1994 Rescue 3 Converted to rescue 1994 Rescue 100 Out of state - Hastings-On-Hudson, NY 2010

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#### 1979

# American LaFrance Century Series

pumper

1500 gpm 500 gal tank



# In Apr 1983 Fire Chief

Squad 2 Norwalk Fire Dept. 1981-unk

E7 was disbanded in 1981. First white truck.

Eng 7 Norwalk Fire Dept. 1979-1982 1982-1987 Eng 4 Reassigned

Reassigned?

Modified as a rescue (Res 2) 2000

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Norwalk Fire Dept.

Refurb by Fire Resources - encl cab

#### 1983

Mack Trucks MC Series

pumper

1250 gpm 500 gal tank



#### 1983

Mack Trucks MC Series

pumper

1250 gpm 500 gal tank

Eng 7 Reassigned 1983-1999 1997-1999

Eng 3, Eng 6

Eng 1

Norwalk Fire Dept.

1983-1993

unk

Refurb by Fire Resources

1994-unk

King Chemical Industries, Norwalk

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#### 1985

Sutphen

aerial platform

1250 gpm 300 gal tank mid-mount - 100' Sutphen



#### 1988

Sutphen

Pemfab Chassis Div.

pumper

1500 gpm 750 gal tank

HS-1987

Truck 3

MC611

Eng 2

Norwalk Fire Dept. Truck 2

Reserve

1985-2003

2004-2009

Eng 5 Norwalk Fire Dept.

1988-2000

Major Modification - see separate record 2000

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#### 1988

Sutphen

Pemfab Chassis Div.

pumper

1500 gpm 750 gal tank



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Sutphen

Pemfab Chassis Div.

pumper

1500 gpm 750 gal tank

Eng 4 Norwalk Fire Dept. 1988-2000

Major Modification - see separate record 2000

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Eng 3 Norwalk Fire Dept. 1988-2001

> Major Modification - see separate record 2001

#### Marion Body Works

Spartan Gladiator

pumper

1500 gpm 750 gal tank



#### 1993

#### Marion Body Works

Spartan Gladiator rescue

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Eng 1 Norwalk Fire Dept.

Reserve

1993-2006

Norwalk Fire Dept. 1993-unk Res 2

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#### 1996

#### Darley, W.S. & Co.

Spartan Gladiator

aerial

1500 gpm 500 gal tank rear-mount - 65' RK



## 2000

## Marion Body Works

Spartan

pumper

1500 gpm 750 gal tank

Truck 1 Norwalk Fire Dept. 1996-2010

Eng 2

Norwalk Fire Dept.

Reserve

2000-2008

2009

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#### 2001

### Marion Body Works

Spartan

pumper

1500 gpm 750 gal tank

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2001

#### **Marion Body Works**

Spartan

pumper

1500 gpm 750 gal tank

Heavily modified from 1988 Pemfab Sutphen of same Dept.

Norwalk Fire Dept. Eng 5

2001-2014

Norwalk Fire Dept. Eng 4

Heavily modified from 1988 Pemfab Sutphen of same Dept.

Eng 6, 7 Reserve 2001-2015

2015

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#### Marion Body Works

Spartan

pumper

1500 gpm 750 gal tank



### 2004

Sutphen

Spartan Gladiator aerial platform

1500 apm

1500 gpm 400 gal tank mid-mount - 100' Sutphen

Heavily modified from 1988 Pemfab Sutphen of same Dept.

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Eng 3 Norwalk Fire Dept.

2002-2019

Truck 2 Norwalk Fire Dept.
Truck 1 Reassigned

2004-2010 2010-

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### 2007

### Marion Body Works

Spartan

pumper

1500 gpm 750 gal tank Griffin Stove Photographer

# 2009

## Marion Body Works

Spartan Metro Star

pumper

1500 gpm 750 gal tank

Eng 1 Norwalk Fire Dept.
Eng 3 Reassigned

2007-2019

2019-

Eng 2 Norwalk Fire Dept. Eng 5 Reassigned 2009-2015

2015

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# 2009

#### Marion Body Works

Spartan

rescue



# 2010

Kovatch Mobile Equip. (KME) Severe Service

aerial

tractor-drawn - 100'

Res 1 Norwalk Fire Dept. 2009-

Truck 2 Norwalk Fire Dept. 2010-

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American LaFrance Century Series

aerial

tractor-drawn - 100' ALF

2015

Kovatch Mobile Equip. (KME)

pumper

1250 gpm 500 gal tank

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Truck 1 - NY

Hastings-On-Hudson NY

Truck 2 (rsv) Norwalk Fire Dept.

Preserved - Museum - Andy Leider

1985

2010-2016

as of 2016

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Eng 2

Norwalk Fire Dept.

2015-

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2015

Kovatch Mobile Equip. (KME)

pumper

1250 gpm 500 gal tank de la constant de la

2018

Pierce Mfg. Inc. Enforcer

pumper

1250 gpm 700 gal tank

photo needed

Eng 4 Norwalk Fire Dept.

2015-

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Eng 1 Norwalk Fire Dept.

2019-