

## **Robert McCarthy**

### **Skills and Abilities:**

- Good understanding of the rules and regulations of the fire department
- Excellent knowledge of the firefighting procedures, including fire suppression, fire investigation, and fire prevention
- Strong leadership skills
- Outstanding at communication
- Efficient team player
- Quick decision making skills

### **Professional Experience:**

#### **Acting District Chief 2017-present**

##### **Job Responsibilities:**

- Supervise and direct approximately 30 firefighters during emergency incidents

#### **Fire Captain, 2007 – 2016**

##### **Job Responsibilities:**

- Supervise and train the fire station personnel
- Oversee the daily operations of specific fire stations
- Schedule and supervise the work activities of fire lieutenants and firefighters
- Prepare electronic and written reports on firefighting operations
- Inspect all fire equipment

#### **Fire Investigator 2007-2011**

##### **Job Responsibilities:**

- Identifying the origin and cause of explosions and fires
- Carrying out effective investigations to document the onsite conditions
- Supervising field testing procedures and gathering photographic proofs
- Gather complete picture of the crime and testify in court

### **Education:**

- Massachusetts School of Law 2008-2012
- Juris Doctor admitted to Massachusetts Bar 2012
- University of Massachusetts at Boston 1993-1998
- Bachelor's Degree Management

**Certifications:**

Certificate in Firefighting Operations I/II  
Emergency Medical Technician Certification

**Volunteer Work:**

Student Awareness and Fire Education (SAFE) - presentations to K-4th grade students concerning fire safety in the home

Senior SAFE- installing smoke/CO detectors in homes of senior citizens

Family Law Project (Representing Battered Women) - providing pro bono legal representation in Family Court.