



Arlington & Gwinnett Fire Departments – Pictometry™ reference

Introducing Pictometry™ was a small step in term of integration and training the involved employees, but a very big step in term of effective emergency response.

“This is the type of application fire fighters have long been waiting for. It is not a theory or something that only a few select people can have. Pictometry is for the men and women on the line, in the field, and on their way who can put this type of dynamic, visual technology to use in their everyday profession. Ultimately, the public benefits, as there is no way that this technology can NOT save lives.” Wayne Harper, Fire Battalion Chief, Gwinnett County, GA, USA

The technology is a revolutionary planning and prevention information system that lets you see up to 12 different views of incident properties before arriving on the scene. Using Pictometry™ you can see every fire hydrant, manhole, power line, intersection, door and window in absolute clarity. Knowing what to expect before you arrive will help save time, recourses and lives.

“I took the laptop down to the emergency command vehicle during the (Pentagon) incident. We set it up and were using it to take measurements on what part of the Pentagon was wiped out, how far the burn blasts had gone, and the extent of the damage. We used a variety of angles looking at the Pentagon. It think it (Pictometry™) is going to become one of the most useful tools any county can have. John Snyder, Management Specialist, Arlington County Fire Department, VA, USA.