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I have read several of your LODD reports. It seems to me that your investigation is through and well written. I believe that your suggestions usually are generic and could easily apply to almost any fire situation. I would like to see you take each individual case and find several real world solutions for that situation. Have actual fire companies test the solution to ensure the solution will work on a fire ground. Then develop a training scenario based on the solution. Send the training guides out to the fire departments or post guides free online. I think that you can tell the department what they did wrong and the department might not know how to rectify their problems. Some of the departments have in house training that has not changed in many years.

They may not have the tools to find a solution without your assistance.

In turn, we can all benefit by training with your solutions to individual problems.