

WHAT WE DO: ARMS is also the primary rescue service for the City. Our fleet consists of a Heavy Rescue, Light and Air Rescue, Haz-Mat Decon Trailer and Mass Casualty Truck. Our members are trained in areas such as Vehicle Extrication, Rope Rescue, Confined Space Rescue, Search and Rescue, Thermal Imaging, Chemical & Radiological Metering and Monitoring and Haz Mat Operations. In addition to these services ARMS works closely with the Ansonia Fire Department, providing lighting of fire scenes, filling air packs, Haz Mat Decontamination and Rehab.

Part time paid employees provide ambulance coverage from 12 AM – 6 PM, Monday – Friday. Our dedicated group of volunteers provides ambulance coverage around the clock, both as a backup to paid employees and as the city’s primary EMS provider – evenings and weekends. The volunteers staff the rescue vehicles 24/7. In addition to emergency responses and ongoing training, ARMS continues to provide the residents with public service activities such as Community CPR. This free Community CPR program has been in place for five years and has trained over 300 citizens in the life saving skills of Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation.