



PALM HARBOR FIRE RESCUE

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Doug Zimmerman is the EMS & Safety Chief for Palm Harbor Fire Rescue since June 2017. He began his career as a professional firefighter in 1998 for the City of New Port Richey, then in June 2001 started employment with Palm Harbor Fire. With Palm Harbor, he rose through the ranks from Firefighter to Driver Engineer to Company Officer and now EMS Chief. Doug has been a certified paramedic for the last 24 years. In 1994 he graduated from California State University, Chico with a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration. He has been active with Pinellas County EMS and Fire Administration by regularly attending the EMS Leadership Group and EMS Advisory Council meetings. Doug served six years as the secretary/treasurer for the firefighters' union executive board and is a trustee/secretary for the firefighters' pension plan since 2003. He is married to wife Lisa and they have two children, Emma 17 and Gavin 14. He may be contacted at the number below or at emschief@palmharborfd.com.