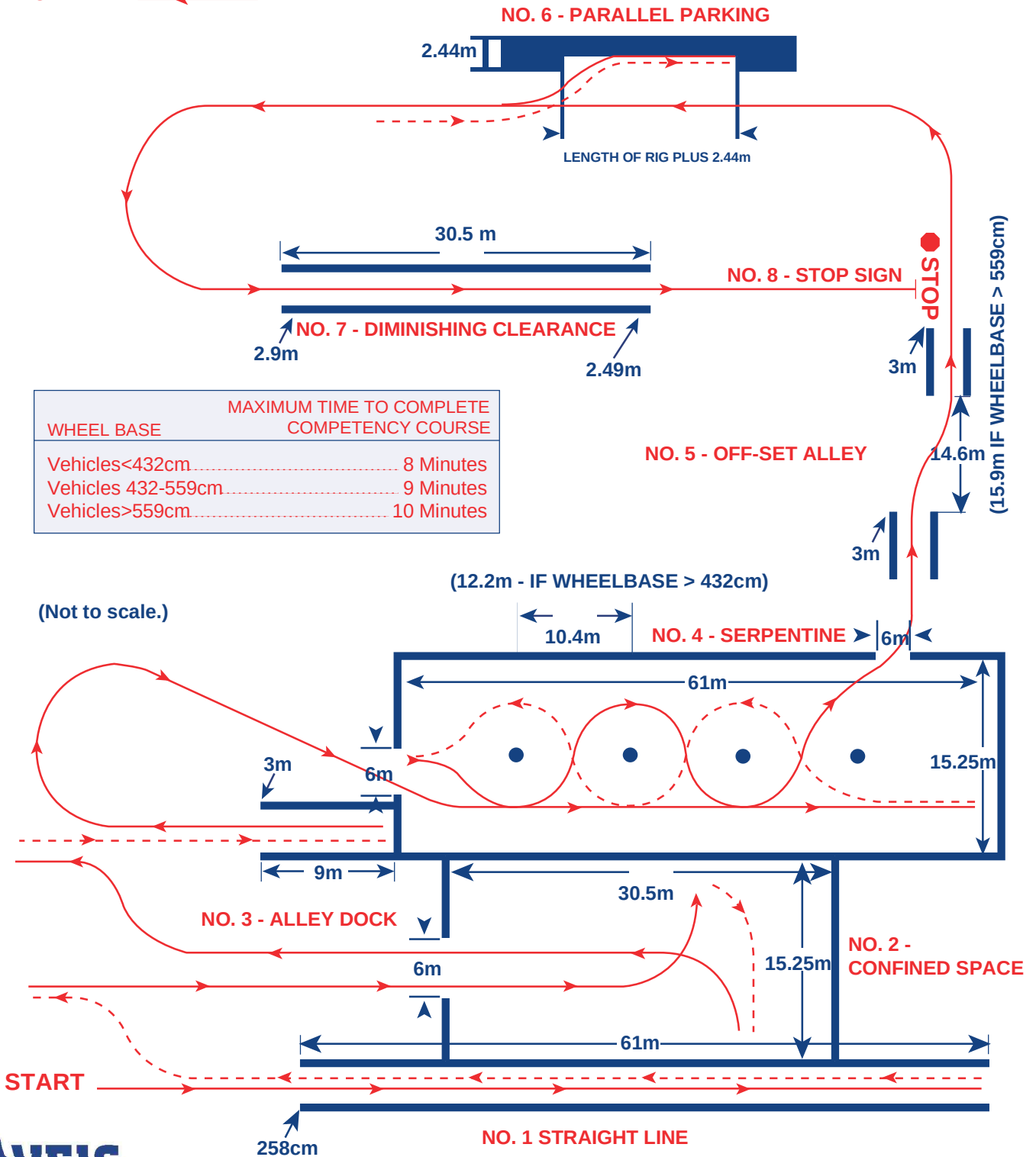


COMPETENCY COURSE

REVERSE 

FORWARD 



(Not to scale.)



For more information, see instructor's guide and videotape.



Competency Course Scoresheet

Emergency Vehicle Driver Training Program

The competency course is designed to measure driver proficiency in handling emergency vehicles. It is one portion of a four-part comprehensive emergency vehicle driver training program and should be utilized with the overall program. Through its use, the progress of each emergency vehicle driver can be measured over a period of time. The competency course is designed to duplicate eight situations in which the driver's skill, judgment, and knowledge of the limitations of the emergency vehicle, are required for effective maneuvering. This course is based on Appendix A of the NFPA #1002 publication entitled *Fire Department Vehicle Driver/Operator Professional Qualifications*. See other side for course layout schematic.

Driver: _____ Vehicle: _____

Wheelbase: _____ Overall Vehicle Length: _____

Date: _____ Max. Allowable Time: _____

Instructor: _____ Safety Officer: _____

Scoring of Competency Course

Time is only applied as acceptable or unacceptable (too slow). There should be no time comparisons between drivers, and it is recommended that actual times be recorded by the instructor, only for the purpose of measuring a driver's individual improvement. Penalty points are awarded as follows:

Penalty Point Schedule		
Station	Error	Penalty
No. 1 - 8	All	Each cone brushed, moved or overturned10 points
		Cross any line, each time crossed3 points
No. 3 and 8	Alley Dock and Stop Exercise	Stop 46cm or more from or go past the measured point10 points
No. 6	Parallel Park	Park 30.5cm or more from the curb3 points

Completion and Scoring Record - Competency Course

Driving Time	Course Station #								Total Penalty Points	Scorekeeper's Initials
	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	No. 4	No. 5	No. 6	No. 7	No. 8		
Run 1										
Run 2										
Run 3										
Run 4										
Run 5										
Run 6										

Remarks: _____
