

# TOTAL FIRE GROUP METRO NEWS

## Product News for Metropolitan Fire Departments

### Let's Talk Cement Boots...

**M**ilitary and fire fighting footwear has traditionally been Goodyear Welt construction. Probably 90% plus of certified firefighter footwear has featured this construction. Why? It is the most stable, most supportive and true fitting footwear construction available. It does have minor drawbacks...a slightly higher cost due to demands for a more skilled workforce and more operations during manufacture AND a small break-in period. The ultimate pay-off is tremendous, however, in terms of a far better long-term fit and durability.

Some newer footwear manufacturers are trying to break into the fire service market with alternative construction: the cement sole boot. Cement sole boots will NOT deliver a welted sole's durability and, conversely, do not require the short break in period of a welted sole. They feel great, the best they ever will, right out of the box. That can facilitate sales, if the customer does not have the full background. Or some customers may be willing to accept the trade off.

To meet whatever demand there is

*Total Fire Group Metro News* includes just a few of the exciting new products available from Total Fire Group. Future issues will introduce more of these metro preferred products. Call 800-688-6148 to schedule an appointment to see all these exciting new offerings.

for a cement sole boot, our Model 8000 will be available shortly.

IT WILL BE LIGHTER, LESS EXPENSIVE AND MORE DURABLE THAN COMPETITIVE BRAND CEMENT SOLE FIRE BOOTS.

Why? Simply put...volume and expertise. We produce more fire boots than everyone else in the market combined... we have specialized equipment, specialized knowledge and patented products that let us produce better products at a better price... welted or cement. 🔥

*Coming Soon*



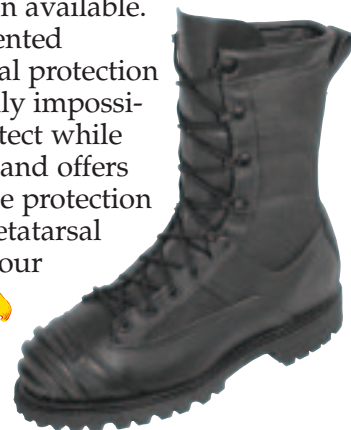
### Technical Rescue Boot Now Delivering

Our Dayton warehouse is now taking delivery of the much anticipated 6006 Technical Rescue boot.



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Inspired by firefighters like you, the 6006 is the next generation of the wildly popular 6000. Patented safety features go hand in hand with a sleek new look. The PBO yellow fabric of the 6000 has been replaced with black Advance as requested by firefighters across the country, and the sole is now the high traction Fire & Ice Sole, which provides exceptional traction in frigid weather and unparalleled protection on the fireground. All other features of the popular 6000 boot remain the same in the 6006 – PowerToe™, composite toe protection, Crosstech® moisture barrier, premium leather, and removable insert. Additionally, since the NFPA 1951, 2007 edition has issued mandating metatarsal protection, we went back to the drawing board and developed the most flexible and lightweight metatarsal protection available. This patented metatarsal protection is virtually impossible to detect while wearing and offers incredible protection in the metatarsal area of your foot. 🔥



*PRO-Warrington, Ranger, Service and Total Fire Group boots hold 90% to 95% of the firefighter boot market share. We ship from stock over 97% of the time within days of order.*

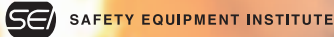
Patented PowerToe™

Patented PowerBack™

Berry Amendment Compliant

NFPA 1971, 2007 Edition

NFPA 1992, 2005 Edition (Optional)



# Ultimate Power Comes from Patented Features Only PRO Can Offer!

## Introducing the **NEW** PRO-Warrington 5006

**External Texon Board Shinguard**  
Protects and guards sensitive shin area of legs. Covered with Military AB leather for additional protection.

**Barcoded** – Unique ID number for easy adherence to NFPA 1851 recordkeeping responsibilities.

**NEW Premium Full Grain Military AB Leather** – Insulates and adds abrasion and puncture resistant properties to the metatarsal area of the boots. Water and chemical resistant and protects the internal bootie system.

**Fire/Ice PowerSole™ Sole** – Angled lugs provide substantial edging and gripping capabilities. Center medallion of stars surrounded by lug pattern provides maximum wear and traction.

**Patented PowerToe™ Cover** – Resists toe abrasion and provides unparalleled wear over the lifetime of the boots. No more worn out toes. Three horizontal FR rubber guards take the abuse and protect boots from day to day activities that abrade and wear out all others.

**Oblique Toe Safety Cap** – Shaped like the human foot. The oblique design provides for additional room in the height and width of our uniquely shaped toe cap. You'll barely know you are wearing steel toed boots.

**NEW Goodyear Welt Construction** – Adds support, reduces fatigue and protects against sprains and strains. Welled boots mold to your feet so the longer you wear them, the more comfortable they become. They're flexible, extremely strong and insulative...and easily resealable if the need arises. Wraparound welt is reflective.



**Pull Straps** – Heavy duty ¾" reinforced straps mounted to the exterior of boot and anchored with a 2" x 1½" shield-shaped base.

**NEW PRO-V Liner** – Unbeatable combination of comfort and absorbency and high abrasion qualities. Quilted to 7.5 oz Kevlar® felt thermal barrier and laminated to "fully encapsulating" Crosstech® Footwear Fabric bootie. Crosstech® moisture barrier provides superior liquid penetration resistance to blood, body fluids and NFPA tested common chemicals.



**Bootie Construction** – Exclusive bootie package quilts a 7.5 oz Kevlar® thermal barrier to the boot liner and laminates it to the Crosstech® Fabric moisture barrier preventing moisture accumulation and wicking. Only PRO boot products have this exclusive bootie composite package.

**Puncture Barrier** – Soft thermo resin combines with our Advance® Rip Stop outershell to provide superior impact protection against side punctures. Flexible and extremely resilient to wear and tear and completely breathable.

**Heel Counter** – Molded thermoplastic heel counter locks your foot into the boot and anchors it in place. Cradles the heel and reduces over-pronation, keeping you more stable on your feet.

**NEW Patented PowerHeel™ Cover** – Protects heel area from abusive doffing of boots. Adds durability and wear life to your footwear. Extended horizontal guards are FR rubber and reflective.

**Corrosion Resistant Steel Ladder Shank and Stainless Steel, Full Length, Toe-to-Heel Puncture Resistant Bottom Plate** – The strongest protection available against structural hazards.

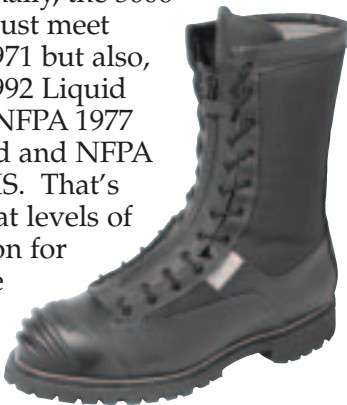
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X = Special Make-Up Sizes – Additional Charge May Be Incurred

# New Structural 10" Lace-up Boots Available and Shipping – Model 3006

Due to the recent changes in the NFPA 1971, 2007 edition for structural boots, we redesigned our 10" lace up boots to comply with the new standard. The same great features have stuck around, but we've added popular features found in some of our other models. The ever popular PowerToe™ and removable insert along with great traction from the Fire & Ice Sole and retro-reflective visibility welt make this boot the best it has ever been.

Additionally, the 3006 doesn't just meet NFPA 1971 but also, NFPA 1992 Liquid Splash, NFPA 1977 Wildland and NFPA 1999 EMS. That's four great levels of protection for the price of one!



## PRO 5006 All Time Best Seller

If your department has not yet wear-tested the 5006, you may want to put it in your next field test. It's been so popular we have had to increase our production levels twice! In less than 6 months, more than 10,000 firefighters have been fitted with the 5006 and all have been praising it. You told us what you wanted in a structural boot and we built around that input. The result is the lightest weight, most comfortable fire boot on the market. PowerToe™, PowerHeel™, reflectivity, removable

insert, Fire & Ice Sole, 7.5 oz. Kevlar® thermal barrier and Crosstech® moisture barrier are just a few of the components that make up this great boot. And unlike some other boots on the market, the 5006 can be easily re-soled! While some of our competitors have resorted to using less expensive or less effective materials, like fiberboard bottom plates in the sole in place of time-tested steel plates, and polyfelt in place of cut resistant of Kevlar®, the 5006 uses the safest, most innovative components available to the fire industry.



## NFPA 1992 Liquid Splash


Lots of confusion is out there regarding NFPA 1992, 2005 for Liquid-Splash Protection. Some boot manufacturers are stamping the outside of their rubber boots with "HazMat" when in fact the product is only compliant to Liquid Splash. Quite a difference we think. Always look to

the inside of the boot for certification and the identifying lab (usually SEI or UL). Liquid splash-protective boots (NFPA Standard 1992) offer protection against liquid chemicals in the form of

splashes, but not against



continuous liquid contact or chemical vapors or gases. Our Servus and Ranger line of rubber boots are certified to both NFPA 1971 and NFPA 1992.

Don't be mistaken and put on 1992 boots for a 1991 or 1994 HazMat call. Your health and safety depend on it. Give the 5128 Ranger rubber fire fighting boot a try. We think you'll like its built-in urethane/silicone enhanced insulation and its ShoeFit™ comfort. The 5128 is the leading rubber boot in the market and it is Berry Amendment compliant! 

## Meet Diane Bible



Diane Bible is one of the founders of the legendary PRO-Warrington boots, the world's leading line of fire fighting footwear. From 1988, when PRO-

Warrington was founded, to 1999, when the company was acquired by Total Fire Group, Diane ran daily operations at the company, heading everything from accounting to marketing. Her wide breadth of expertise in both boot construction and marketing was invaluable when PRO-Warrington transitioned FDNY to fire fighting leather bunker boots. She brought that expertise with her when Total Fire Group acquired PRO-Warrington in 1999 and Diane became the company's Vice President of Protective Footwear. Today, she not only manages Total Fire Group's PRO-Warrington line, but also our Ranger Footwear and Servus Footwear companies.

Diane can be reached at anytime during the business day at 603-431-1515. 



Patented PowerToe®

Patented Metatarsal Guard

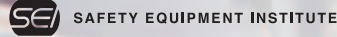
NFPA 1951, 2007 Edition

NFPA 1999, 2003 Edition

NFPA 1992, 2005 Edition

NFPA 1977, 2005 Edition (Optional)

# NEW for 2007... A Completely Redesigned 8" Technical Rescue Recovery/ Utility Boot Model 6006



**Barcoded** – Unique ID number for ease of recordkeeping responsibilities.

**Comfortable 1" Cushion Collar** – Prevents rubbing and chafing.

**Crosstech® Moisture Barrier** – Delivers the best liquid penetration resistance against blood, body fluids and chemicals as well as superior waterproof, breathable performance. Run after run, fire after fire, Crosstech® moisture barriers stay durable and you stay dry and comfortable.

**Thermally Bonded Non-woven PRO-V Liner** – Designed, developed and engineered for high performance. Absorbent, abrasion resistant and highly wickable to help keep the environment inside your boots healthy.

**Fire Resistant Advance® Rip Stop Side Panels** – From the same family of tough fibers used in military ballistic vests and helmets. Flexible, puncture resistant and strong even after extreme thermal exposure.

**Premium Full Grain Military AB Leather** – Insulates and protects. Water resistant and abrasion resistant.

**Removable PU Insert** – Contoured polyurethane insert is removable and replaceable. Dissipates fatigue for total comfort control. Allows for custom orthotics if needed or upgrade to our patented DRYZ™ insert.



**Steel Ladder Shank and Stainless Steel Bottom Plate** – Ladder shank protects and supports the arch area of your foot while the heel to toe full coverage of the steel bottom plate exceeds NFPA requirements for puncture protection.

**Wrap-around Goodyear Welt** – Construction that supports and reduces fatigue and ankle sprains and strains. Strength and comfort combine with durability to provide incomparable strength, outstanding performance and enhanced shape that'll last the lifetime of the boot. The longer you wear them, the more comfortable they become.

### Reinforced Stitched Down Sole with Fire/Ice Compound

– Softer compound of Vibram® Fire/Ice Sole adds an extra measure of security on ice and snow. Noticeably improves diagonal and lateral movement as well as controlled acceleration in icy conditions.



**Patented Rubber Metatarsal Guard** – Protects the five long bones in the forefoot which connect the ankle bones to the toe bones. Patented rubber feature is so lightweight you'll barely know it's there...no need to sacrifice comfort for performance.

**Composite Toe Cap** – Eliminates hot/cold conductivity while protecting your toes from impact injuries.

**Patented PowerToe™** – The three horizontal bumper guards on our PowerToe™ dramatically improve the wearlife of your boots. Rubber guards are a solid 1/8" rubber and will take the abuse of day to day fire service activities.

### Width

### Total Fire Group Model 6006 has 103 Sizes Available!

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