



## **PURVIS Fire Station Alerting System Selected by City of Boston, MA**

**Middletown, RI, March, 2013** – PURVIS Systems was selected for use by the City of Boston for Fire Station Alerting. The PURVIS system will be deployed city-wide across all of Boston’s 35 fire stations, a fire training room, the Fire Communications Center, and the Boston Police Department Headquarters.

The FSAS will automate the alerting process between the Dispatch Centers and the fire stations through an interface to the City’s newly implemented Intergraph computer aided dispatch (CAD) system. It will utilize Boston’s Optical Network (BONET) infrastructure for Internet Protocol (IP) connectivity to all fire department facilities.

The project includes the delivery of hardware, software and services. Hardware provided by PURVIS includes a PURVIS FSAS Central Server and Dispatch/Management Consoles in each Dispatch Center, and a PURVIS FSAS Station Control Unit, a wall mounted UPS and a PURVIS FSAS printer in each fire station. PURVIS is interfacing the FSAS with several of the City’s existing systems and devices already installed in each fire station, including public address/speaker systems, Federal Alert Receivers and trip lights.

Services being provided by PURVIS include project management, system integration, configuration, testing, training, documentation, cutover, and maintenance/support. A second phase of the project will include the installation and integration of additional station alerting devices such as lights, visual displays, etc.

### **About PURVIS Systems Incorporated**

PURVIS Systems Incorporated, founded in 1973, is a Rhode Island-based company that has served the public safety, emergency management and defense industries for more than 35 years. The company provides engineering and professional technical services, with core competencies focused around communications and information systems. Capabilities range from technology needs assessments and systems integration services to custom hardware and software development -- from initial design, through implementation, life cycle management and 24x7 maintenance. While PURVIS has a strong track record in large, complex organizations, it also serves scores of smaller agencies, particularly within the arena of public safety.

PURVIS Systems has long-term engineering and technical services contracts with clients such as: New York City Fire Department (FDNY), National Institutes of Health (NIH), Naval Undersea Warfare Center (NUWC), Surface Warfare Development Group (SWDG) and various other municipal and commercial establishments. For more information, please visit [www.purvispublicsafety.com](http://www.purvispublicsafety.com) and [www.purvis.com](http://www.purvis.com).

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