

## **Robertsdale Volunteer Fire Department**

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To Whom It May Concern:

When new products come on the market I'm always hesitant about using them. Sales Representative John Montgomery told me about a new product named F-500 and gave me a video of the product. Upon viewing the video, I thought, "Wow, if only this could be real." John Montgomery gave the fire department members a demonstration of F-500 in various situations. We placed our first order of this product that day.

F-500 has become a necessity of our fire department. It has cut our time in half on structure fires. We've had no call-backs since using this product. The real test came on September 27, 2000 at 4:00 PM, we were requested to respond to the scene of a Navy trainer plane crash. The crash was approximately two miles from our station and three miles from the Navy station. The Robertsdale Volunteer Fire Department was the first to arrive on the scene with Engine 50-10, a 750 gallon capacity pumper, pre-mixed with F-500. We attacked the fully involved plane with 1 ¾ preconnect and quickly extinguished the fire which contained Class D Metal. Upon arrival of the Navy Rapid Attack Force, the fire was already extinguished.

As Chief of the Robertsdale Volunteer Fire Department, I find that F-500 is an economical firefighting tool added to our arsenal of equipment and do highly recommend this product in all firefighting applications.

Sincerely,

John W. Lucas  
Fire Chief