

# MOTORIZED FIRE APPARATUS DATABASE of CONNECTICUT

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In some cases, vehicles were modified during their years in service. Due to space limitations, only one photo is displayed, but the chronology of assignments and modifications are listed.

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**1917**  
**Locomobile Co. of America**

*photo needed*

no pump chem

**1917-1925** *photo needed*  
Charters Hose Co. 4, Ansonia

Hose body came from Webster Hose Co. horse-drawn rig.

**1925**  
**Seagrave Corp.**

*photo needed*

350 gpm

**1925-1948** *photo needed*  
Charters Hose Co. 4, Ansonia  
Middletown, CT (Wesleyan Univ?) Eng 4

**2016**  
Acquired by Charters Hose Co 4  
Painted 6-25-1925. Ordered in January. In service in July.



**1948**  
**Seagrave Corp.**

750 gpm 350 gal

*CT Firemen's Hist. Soc. Collection*  
**1948-1962** Charters Hose Co. 4, Ansonia Eng 4  
**1962-1970** Hilltop Hose Co. 5, Ansonia  
**as of 1972** Preserved - Private

Painted 11-22-1948. Del 12-1948.



**1962**  
**American LaFrance 900 Series**

1000 gpm 500 gal

*Lou Tibor, photographer*  
**1962-1981** Charters Hose Co. 4, Ansonia Eng 4  
**1981-1989** Reserve Truck 2  
**as of 2015** Preserved - Department - Charters

roof installed mid-70's



**1981**  
**American LaFrance Century Series**

1250 gpm 500 gal

*Eric Fellows, photographer*  
**1981-2006** Charters Hose Co. 4, Ansonia Eng 4  
**as of 2015** Preserved - Department - Charters

Del 9-1981



**2006**  
**Smeal Fire App.**

**Spartan Gladiator**

1500 gpm 500 gal

*Scott Leslie, photographer*  
**2006-** Charters Hose Co. 4, Ansonia Eng 4