

# 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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1927

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**1940s-1962** Pine Rock FD, Shelton

In the 1940's the company purchased a 1927 American LaFrance (chain drive) pumper. They also purchased a tow along pump. Commissioner Frank Dobkowski in 1962 purchased a new American LaFrance 750 GPM pumper on a Ford Chassis for the Shelton Volunteer Fire Company #4. The first

**1916**  
**American LaFrance**  
  
**Brockway**  
  
unk gpm chem



as Echo truck

Echo Hose H&L Co.No.1

**1916-1933** Echo Hose Co., Shelton  
**1933-unk** Pine Rock FD, Shelton

Reg #1148 ship 3-8-1916



unknown photographer

**1934-1954** Echo Hose Co., Shelton  
**1954?-unk** Pine Rock FD, Shelton  
**as of 2015** Preserved - Department - Echo Hose

**1934**  
**Ahrens-Fox Fire Engine Corp.**

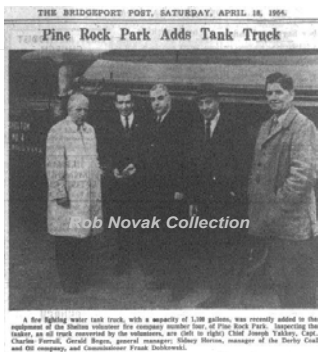
**Ahrens-Fox**  
  
unk gpm



Pine Rock Park Vol. Fire Co.No.4

**1962-1985** Pine Rock Park Fire Co., Shelton

**1962**  
**American LaFrance**  
  
**Ford C**  
  
750 gpm 500 gal



*Rob Novak Collection*

Rob Novak Collection

**1964-unk** Pine Rock FD, Shelton

In 1966 replaced the cab and chassis of the tanker.

**Dept. Built**  
  
  
1100 gal



Eric Fellows, photographer

**1937-1965** Darien Vol. Fire Dept.  
**1965-unk** Pine Rock FD, Shelton  
**as of 2015** Preserved - Department - Pine Rock

**1937**  
**Ahrens-Fox Fire Engine Corp.**  
  
**Ahrens-Fox**  
  
500 gpm

Eng 41



**1970  
Hahn Motors**

**Ford C**

750 gpm 500 gal

Lou Tibor, photographer

**1970-unk** Pine Rock Park Fire Co., Shelton

Eng 44



Pine Rock Park Vol. Fire Co.No.4

**1970s-unk** Pine Rock Park Fire Co., Shelton

**International**

unk gpm yes

Eng 43

In 1972 the company purchased a utility truck that was made into a rescue truck In 1975,



**1980  
Truck Power  
Equipment**

**Mack R**

350 gpm 2000 gal

Pine Rock Park Vol. Fire Co.No.4

**1980-unk** Pine Rock Park Fire Co., Shelton  
Refurbished

Tanker 49



**1984  
Pierce Mfg. Inc.**

**Ford C**

1000 gpm 500 gal

Lou Tibor, photographer

**1984-unk** Pine Rock Park Fire Co., Shelton

Eng 42



**1985  
E-One, Inc.**

**Chevrolet**

no pump no tank

Pine Rock Park Vol. Fire Co.No.4

**1985-2014** Pine Rock Park Fire Co., Shelton  
**2014-** Huntington Fire Co., Shelton

Rescue 45  
Utility 31



**1990  
Seagrave Corp.**

**Seagrave J**

1500 gpm 500 gal

Mike Bakunis, photographer

**1990-2014** Pine Rock Park Fire Co., Shelton  
**2014** Reserve - Townwide

Eng 44



**1976  
Hahn Motors**

**Hahn**

1000 gpm 500 gal

Mike Bakunis, photographer

**1976-1996** Echo Hose Co., Shelton  
**1996-2004** Pine Rock FD, Shelton  
**1996-2004** Out of state - Waltham, ME  
Refurbished by G-K 1990

Eng 2  
Eng 42



**2002  
Pierce Mfg. Inc.**

**International 4000  
Series**

500 gpm 500 gal

Pine Rock Park Vol. Fire Co.No.4

**2002-** Pine Rock Park Fire Co., Shelton Eng 43



**2004  
Pierce Mfg. Inc.  
Enforcer**

1500 gpm 750 gal

Pine Rock Park Vol. Fire Co.No.4

**2004-** Pine Rock Park Fire Co., Shelton Eng 42



**1985  
SuperVac (SVI)**

**Ford Louisville**

no pump no tank

Mike Bakunis, photographer

**1985-2014** Echo Hose Co., Shelton Squad 5  
**2014-** Pine Rock FD, Shelton Rescue 45

Firenews says RSI



**2014  
Kovatch Mobile  
Equipment**

**KME**

2000 gpm 500 gal  
rear-mount - 79' KME

Daryl Osiecki, photographer

**2014-** Pine Rock Park Fire Co., Shelton Ladder 47