

	UNION CENTER FIRE COMPANY INC. Best Operating Guidelines	
	Subject: Hearing Protection	BOG Series Safety
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1. Any time a firefighter is using equipment such as chain saws, the use of helmets with face and ear protection will be worn. The only exception for this is the use of the Echo Ventilation chain saw being used in an active fire environment.
2. Any time a firefighter is using the cascade system on Rescue 53, the firefighter will wear ear protection when filling air bottles.