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Eureka VFC – Tanker 54-1
4,000-gallon Tanker
Stewartstown, Pennsylvania

Facts and Figures...

- Tanker 54-1 is a 2002, 4-Guys tanker operated by the Eureka Volunteer Fire and Ambulance Company in Stewartstown, Pennsylvania.
- The rig is built on a Western Star chassis and powered by a Caterpillar 425 hp motor.
- Tanker 54-1 has a Hale 1,250 gpm PTO-driven pump and carries 4,000 gallons of water.
- The tanker has 10-inch side and rear dumps, a 4,000-gallon dump tank, and 900 feet of 4-inch LDH.
- The Eureka VFC protects numerous small town and rural areas in southern York County, Pennsylvania.

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Tanker 54-1 is one of a couple, heavy-duty rural water supply rigs operated by the Eureka VFC.

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The tanker is equipped with a 1,250 gpm PTO-driven pump as well as 10-inch dumps making it quite versatile in both nurse-tanker and tanker shuttle operations.

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Tanker 54-1's 4,000 gallons of water can either be pumped off or dumped - or the tanker can even layout 4-inch LDH and operate as a relay pumper or a supply piece.

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The front discharge has a short length of pre-connected 4-inch hose to speed-up nurse-tanker operations.

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Tanker 54-1 is shown in operation above at a recent water supply drill in Harford County, Maryland. The tanker's 4,000-gallon dump tank was used at the dump site.

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Even though the tanker has a 3-inch fill line, 5-inch LDH was used to speed-up the fill process during the drill.



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