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### Atchison Fire/Bartlett Grain Trains on Grain Bin Entrapment

(KAIR) -- Members of the Atchison Fire Department and employees of Bartlett Grain took part in an exercise Tuesday afternoon, simulating a grain bin entrapment and rescue attempt.

The grain engulfment rescue class uses a trailer owned by the University of Kansas.

Captain Lee Kipple was one of the firemen and 13 Bartlett employees that participated.

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Kipple says the trailer is relatively new and training on this exercise will be difficult to have annually.

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Kipple says the fire department doesn't own grain engulfment rescue equipment; however, Bartlett does and has agreed to let them use the equipment if the situation should arise either at their facility, or at other grain storage facilities around the area.

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