



Working and Winning as an Alliance

Making the most of your playoff experience at GuamFIRST events

GuamFIRST event volunteers and staff have a responsibility for producing the best possible competitions and holding the team experience paramount

In meeting this responsibility, our volunteers are expected to become a part of every team they interact with

To comply with the FIRST STEAMWORKS Inspection & Eligibility rules, most changes to robots must be inspected before the modified robot is eligible to participate in a match

Please see [I05] for specific rules and exemptions

GuamFIRST volunteer Robot Inspectors have a responsibility to help the alliance progress through the reinspection process with all possible expediency

GuamFIRST teams have the final responsibility for proving that their robot is compliant with the FIRST STEAMWORKS rules

Successful alliances may assist the Robot Inspectors in meeting their responsibilities by:

- Informing the Lead Robot Inspector (LRI) about the alliance's intent to re-inspect as early as possible
- Describing the scope of the modification that was made
- Being prepared to clarify the source of pre-fabricated items, raw materials, and COTS used in the modifications
- Being ready to demonstrate how the modification adheres to all applicable robot rules, including Budget Constraints & Fabrication Schedule rules

Even before the modified robot is ready for re-inspection, the LRI may assign a volunteer to follow the progress of the modification and to prepare for the inspection process

GuamFIRST teams are expected to discuss and agree upon the final disposition of any loaned parts at the end of the event

Parts borrowed from the spare parts desk must be returned