

Fire Chief Report

September 13, 2022

Calls: Month of August had 258 requests for service: EMS: 98 Transfers: 133 TEMS: 2 Dive: 2 Fire: 23
Month of July had 247 requests for service: EMS: 113 Transfers: 103 TEMS: 2 Dive: 1 Fire: 28
Month of June had 224 requests for service: EMS: 91 Transfers: 110 TEMS: 2 Dive: 1 Fire: 20

District Update

Staffing

- District Staffing Level: 105 members
- Command Staff: 5 (1 Career Fire Chief & 4 POC Deputy Chief)
- Career Captains: 3
- Career EMS Members: 3
- Administrative: 1
- Non-Station Assigned Members: 10 FF/EMT
- St 1 members: 34 POC (29 fire/EMS, 1 photo, 1 FI, & 3 honorary) & 5 career
- St 3 members: 34 POC (28 fire/EMS, 1 EMS, 4 dive & 1 honorary) & 1 career
- St 6 members: 16 POC (14 fire/EMS & 2 EMS)
- EMS Training: 46 Members trained in the District as Medical Responders
- Ambulance Staffing: 30 Member training/approved to work on ambulance
- Dive Team: 22 Members (12 Divers & 10 support staff)
- 6 applicants to interview on 9/2/2022
- 2 EMT only on the hire list for Ambulance only

Years of Service anniversaries for the month

- DC John Andersen – 45 years of service
- FF Ryan Bellows – 7 years of service
- FF/EMT-A Dave Oestreich - 45 years of service
- FF/EMT-A Jonathan Fike – 2 years of service
- FF/EMT Rachel Goodman-Kunzar – 3 years of service
- Capt Erik Hennlich – 7 years of service
- FF/EMT-B Doug Matthews - 45 years of service
- FF Pat Michels – 45 years of service
- FF Dave Steinmetz – 34 years of service

SOPs & MOGs of the Month

- SOP 105 Organization and Operations
- SOP 106 Professional Conduct
- SOP 1015 BI-ANNUAL MEDIC RIG CLEANING
- MOG 3300 Oxy-Acetylene Torch

Review of SOP 101 Section IV (A)

5. Professional Conduct
7. Intimidation
8. Insubordination
10. False Statement or Information

Vehicle/Equipment Updates

- Medic 3 SCBA Pack serviced on 8/19/2022
- Medic units basic maintenance on doors done on 8/19/2022
- Medic 2 in for service on 8/20/2022
- Truck 1 in for leak on valves and water way piping on 8/29/2022
- Dive Boat in for service on wiring and mounting brackets on 8/30
- Medic 4 in for service on steering and tires issues on 8/30/2022

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- CV2 (edge) in for service and hood liner on 8/31/2022
- Medic 4 in for tire service on 8/31/2022
- Medic 1 in for service on 9/1/2022
- Truck 1 is back in service on 9/2/2022

District Meetings and Trainings

Station Meetings

- Station 1 in person meeting held on 9/7/2022 attended by Chief Bernette, DC Nowak, DC Andersen, and Station 1 Members.
- Station 6 in person meeting held on 8/17/2022 attended by DC Wallsch and Station 6 Members
- Station 3 in person and zoom Meeting held on 8/31/2022 attended by Chief Bernette, DC Jeffers, and Station 3 Members

Fire Board Meeting

- In person meeting held on 8/16/2022 at Station 6 attended by Chief Bernette, DC Andersen, DC Jeffers, DC Nowak, DC Wallsch, Capt Arriola, Capt Hennlich, Capt S. McTaggart, Capt C McTaggart, TO Scheidler, and members from Station 1, 3, and 6
- Next Meeting will be on 9/20/2022

Fire Commission Meeting

- In person meeting held on 7/26/2022 Station 1 attended by Chief Bernette, FF R. Shervey, MPO R Shervey, and FF/EMT-B Matthews
- Next meeting is scheduled for 10/25/2022

Officers Meeting

- In Person and Zoom Meeting held at St 3 on 8/4/2021 attended by Chief Bernette, DC Nowak, DC Andersen, and officers from Station 1, 3, & 6
- Next meeting is scheduled for 10/6/2022 in person and zoom at St 1

Fire Training

- August Training was District Wide Water Movement in the Town of Howard
- September Training will be Auto Extrication and Pump Operations

EMS Meeting & Training

- August Training was on Skill and Protocol Reviews

TEMS & SWAT Training

- Training was attended by Captain Grotthus on 8/4/2022

Other Trainings or Meetings

- NCFCA Virtual Meeting attend by Chief Bernette on 8/18/2022
- Statewide Town Hall EMS Listening Session Virtual attended by Chief Bernette on 8/23/2022
- CC COVID-19 Community Partner Virtual Meeting attend by Chief Bernette on 8/25/2022
- Youth Volunteer Firefighter Training Grant Program virtual Q/A session attend by Chief Bernette on 9/13/2022
- Insurance Serices Office (ISO) Audit attend by Chief Bernette, DC Jeffers, and DC Andersen on 9/13/2022