

Fire Chief Report

November 11, 2022

Calls: Month of October had 234 requests for service: EMS: 104 Transfers: 106 SWAT: 0 Dive: 0 Fire: 24
Month of September had 198 requests for service: EMS: 94 Transfers: 91 SWAT: 1 Dive: 0 Fire: 12

District Update

Recording of District Meetings

- Station and Officers Meeting only – posted to webpage

Staffing

- District Staffing Level: 99 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: 32 POC (30 fire/EMS, 1 photo, & 1 FI) 4 honorary, & 5 career
- St 3 members: 29 POC (24 fire/EMS, 5 dive) 1 honorary, & 1 career
- St 6 members: 16 POC (14 fire/EMS & 2 EMS)
- EMS Training: 41 Members trained in the District as Medical Responders
- Ambulance Staffing: 27 Member training/approved to work on ambulance
- Dive Team: 20 Members (11 Divers & 9 support staff)
- Currently have three members working to complete their 96-hour ambulance field training
- 1 POC Member Bob Bauer resigned on 10/30/2022
- POC member Thomas Albrecht has complete his field training and is now assigned to Station 1 effective 11/2/2022
- POC member Shelby Lanners has complete his field training and is now assigned to Station 1 effective 11/2/2022
- POC Robert Bauer assigned to St 3 has resigned effective 10/30/2022
- POC Daniel Enestvedt assigned to St 3 has resigned effective 11/6/2022
- POC Shania Myren assigned to St 1 has complete field training for working on the ambulance effective 11/6/2022

Station 6 Officer Update

- Duane Wallsch has stepped down as Deputy Chief of Station 6. He will remain on the Station as a Motor Pump Operator
- Cory Scheidler has been appointed interim Deputy Chief of Station 6
- Ron Dreger has stepped down of Captain at Station 6. He will remain on the Station as a firefighter
- Rob Krejci has been appointed interim Captain at Station 6 replacing Mr. Dragger
- Kris Krall has been appointed interim Captain at Station 6 filling the open position that was vacated on 9/1/2022

Years of Service anniversaries for the month

- FF/EMT-B Kaden Berg – 1 year of service
- FF Erik Frank – 2 years of service
- FF Holly Launderville - 18 years of service
- FF Kayla Sergent – 2 years of service
- FF/EMT-B Jason Trzebietowski – 1 year of service
- FF Kyle Michels - 10 years of service
- FF Kyle Steinmetz - 9 years of service

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SOPs & MOGs of the Month

- SOP 109 District Application Process
- SOP 1000 EMS General Rules
- MOG 3401 Vehicle Extrication MOG 3210 CO incidents

Grant Received

- Oneok Foundation Grant award of \$2,473.00 for communication equipment (3 radios & 3 pagers)

SOP Approved Changes

- SOP 207 Uniforms 2022 (Approved by officers on 10/13/2022)
Note: Pictures of approved uniforms layout posted on webpage
- SOP 400 Emergency Vehicle and Responses 2022 (Approved by officers on 10/13/2022)
- SOP 509 Fire Response 2022 (Approved by officers on 10/13/2022)
- SOP 104 Probation and Requirements 2022 (Approved by officers on 10/13/2022 and Fire Commission on 10/25/2022 as suggested by Fire District's Attorney)

Vehicle/Equipment Updates

- Medic 1 in for service and new batteries on 10/18/2022
- Medic 3 back in service 10/21/2022
- PC for remote access to St 1, St 3, and St 6 for programming access is unrepairable.
 - St 1: Software to be installed on Chief PC
 - St 3: Panel will need to be upgraded and Software installed on Chief PC
 - St 6: Panel will need to be upgraded and Software installed on Chief PC

WIP for remote access to station as of 10/24/2022

- Medic 1 new tires on 10/26/2022
- Medic 1 in for brakes on 11/2/2022
- Medic 2 in for service on 11/3/2022
- Portable Pump 6 battery replaced on 11/4/2022
- Car 10 (2005 pickup) fog light and socket repaired on 11/9/2022
- Station 1 snowblower was serviced on 11/10/2022
- 3 Portable generators serviced on 11/10/2022

District Meetings and Trainings

Station Meetings

- Station 1 in person meeting was held on 11/2/2022 attended by Chief Bernette, DC Nowak, DC Andersen, and Station 1 Members.
- Station 6 in person meeting was held on 10/19/2022 attended by Chief Bernette, DC Wallsch, and Station 6 Members
- Station 3 in person and zoom was Meeting held on 10/26/2022 attended by Chief Bernette, DC Jeffers, and Station 3 Members

Fire Board Meeting

- In person meeting held on 10/18/2022 at Station 1 attended by Chief Bernette, DC Andersen, two LOSA Trustees, and Officers and members from Station 1 and 3
- Next Meeting will be on 11/15/2022

Fire Commission Meeting

- In person meeting held on 10/25/2022 Station 3 attended by Chief Bernette, DC Scheidler, Capt. Krall, Capt. Krejci, FF/EMT R. Shervey, MPO R Shervey, and FF/EMT-B Matthews
- Next meeting is scheduled for 01/24/2023

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Officers Meeting

- In Person and virtual meeting held at St 3 on 10/13/2022 attended by Chief Bernette, DC Nowak, DC Andersen, and officers from Station 1, 3, & 6
- Next meeting is scheduled for 12/1/2022 in person and virtual at St 3

Fire Training

- September Training will be Auto Extrication and Pump Operations
- October Training will be on SCBA, Search and Rescue, Self-Rescue using the CVTC Trailer

EMS Meeting & Training

- November Training was on review OB Calls
- Next training will be held on 12/29/2022

TEMS & SWAT Training

- November training was attended by TO Joe Ludwigson 11/3/2022

Other Trainings, Meetings, or Events

- Station 6 Officer Meeting attended by Chief Bernette, DC Wallsch, Capt. Bowe, Capt. Dreger, TO Scheidler on 10/19/2022
- North Central Fire Chief Association Meeting attended by Chief Bernette on 10/20/2022
- LOSA Meeting held on 10/20/2022 attended by Chief Bernette, DC Scheidler, and three other members of LOSA.
- Visitation and Funeral Detail attended by Chief Bernette, DC Nowak, DC Jeffers, DC Andersen, Officers and Members for Stations 1, 3, & 6 on 10/24/2022
- WI EMS Town Hall Meeting attended by Chief Bernette on 10/25/2022
- MABAS DIV 132 Meeting attended by Chief Bernette on 10/27/2022
- CCFCA Meeting attended by Chief Bernette on 10/27/2022
- Crew from Station 1 & 3 handed out Fire Prevention and candy during Halloween hours in the village of Lake Hallie and Town of Lafayette on 10/31/2022
- EMS Operations Management & Leadership Course (12 hours) completed by Chief Bernette and Capt. Wolf on 11/2/2022
- Disaster Response Seminar attended by Chief Bernette on 11/5/2022
- FEMA & DHS Center for Faith-Based and Neighborhood Partnerships Resource attended by Chief Bernette on 11/9/2022