

FIRE CHIEF REPORT

Report Date: 11/12/2024

District Calls: Month of Oct had 202 requests for service: EMS: 95 Transfers: 72 SWAT: 2 Dive: 0 Fire: 33
Month of Sept had 155 requests for service: EMS: 76 Transfers: 60 SWAT: 2 Dive: 0 Fire: 18

District Update

Staffing

District Staffing Level: 100 members

Command Staff: 4 (1 Career Fire Chief & 3 POC Deputy Chief)

Administrative: 1

Chaplains: 2

St 1 has 39 members: 37 POC & 2 Career (12 fire, 25 fire/EMS, 1 EMS, 1 Fire Investigator)

St 3 has 35 members: 33 POC & 2 Career (14 fire, 14 fire/EMS/Dive, 1 EMS, & 7 dive)

St 6 has 19 members: 16 POC & 3 Career (11 fire, 6 fire/EMS, & 2 EMS)

EMS Training: 53 members trained as Medical Responders

Ambulance Staffing: 31-member training/approved to work on ambulance

Dive Team: 21 members (14 Divers & 7 support staff)

Department Interview(s)

4 applicants interview on 10/29/2024

Members new to the Fire District & started department orientation

EMT/Diver Tim Fern on 11/12/2024

ELFF/EMT Dan Dominski on 11/12/2024

Fire Investigator Tim Bowman on 11/12/2024

FF Jacob Enger on 11/12/2024 (returning member)

Members that have completed their fire orientation.

FF Peter Sweeney on 10/30/2024 – St 3

ELFF Blake Mercer on 11/7/2024 – St 1

Members that have started Ambulance Field Training

ELFF/EMT Shawn Dahl effective 10/3/2024

Members that have completed Ambulance Field Training

ELFF/EMT Sophia Boudreau effective 10/31/2024

ELFF/EMT Hannah Millerman effective 10/31/2024

Members that have complete Medical First Responder Field Training

None at this time

Members that have complete probation

None at this time

Member that have earned the Department Challenge Coin

None at this time

Members that have complete Firefighter 1

James Lange on 10/16/2024

Matt Faulkner on 10/16/2024

Carson Gunderson on 10/16/2024

Shawn Dahl on 10/16/2024

Hannah Millerman on 10/16/2024

Members that joined the Dive Team

Capt Kyle Frederickson effective 10/22/2024

Capt Jonathan Fike effective 10/22/2024

FF Rachel Sting effective 10/22/2024

FF Kirston Koffler effective 10/22/2024

EMT/Diver Tim Fern effective 10/29/2024

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Members that have resigned

FF Justin Rurup effective 11/4/2024

Years of Service anniversaries for the month

Fire Chief Scott Bernette – 32 years of Service (12 with District)

FF/EMT Kaden Berg – 3 years of service

FF Eric Frank – 4 years of service

FF Tom Peterson – 22 years of service

FF Deone Kenealy – 47 years of service

SOPs & MOGs of the Month

SOP 105 Organization and Operations

SOP 1300 Chaplain Program

SOP 1015 BI-ANNUAL MEDIC RIG CLEANING

SOP 2000 Requirements for All Personnel

MOG 3251 Frame Private Residence

Vehicle/Equipment Updates

Medic 1 new rim and tire remounted on 10/11/2024

Medic 2 exhaust pipe fixed on 10/16/2024

EMS O2 stainless high pressure line serviced on 10/16/2024

Medic 4 suspension looked on 10/22/2024

Dive Van batteries replaced on 10/22/2024

Engine 3 rear prim issue looked at on 10/23/2024

St 1 Snowblower service on 10/24/2024

Brush 1 pump throttle service on 10/24/2024

Medic 4 wiper blades replaced on 10/28/2024

Station 3 lightning protection for radio antenna replaced on 10/28/2024

Medic 2 inspected after deer hit – no damage found 10/30/2024

District Meetings

Station Meetings

Station 1 meeting was held on 11/6/2024 attended by Chief Bernette, DC Nowak, officers, and members.

Station 6 meeting was held on 10/17/2024 attended by DC Sheidler, officers, and members.

Station 3 meeting held on 10/24/2024 attended by Chief Bernette, DC Jeffers, Officers, and members

Fire Board Meeting

Meeting Held on 10/15/2024 attended by Chief Bernette, DC Nowak, DC Jeffers, DC Sheidler, Capt Wolf, FI Shervey, LOSA Reps, and members from Station 1, Station 3, and Station 6.

Special meeting on 11/4/2024 attended by Chief Bernette, DC Jeffers, Capt Wolf Duty, St 1 member and Station 3 members/LOSA Rep

Next regular scheduled meeting will be on 11/19/2024

Fire Commission Meeting

Meeting held on 10/22/2022 attended by Chief Bernette, DC Scheidler, and FF Matthews.

Next regular scheduled meeting is scheduled for 1/28/2025

Officers Meetings

Command Officers Meeting on 10/15/2024 attend by Chief Bernette, DC Nowak, DC Jeffers, and DC Sheidler

District Officers Meeting on 11/7/2024 attended by Chief Bernette, DC Nowak, DC Jeffers, DC Sheidler, and Station Officers

Next scheduled District Officer Meetings set for 1/2/2025 at Station 6 at 6:30 pm

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Employee Meeting

Meeting held on 11/12/2024

Dive Team on 11/4/2024

Meeting for EMS and Duty Crew Meeting held on 10/3/2024

District Trainings

Fire Training

October will be on Structure Fire tactics and Rescue

EMS Training

October was "Annual Code and Airway training" with Medical Control on 10/14 – 10/16/2024

Monthly Training will be held on will be on 10/24/2024

TEMS Training

FF/CC EMT-P Arriola attend training on 11/6/2024

Other Meetings/Activities

CVTC EMS Advisory Committee Meeting attended by Chief Bernette on 10/8/2024

EMS|MC (billing company) Meeting attended by Chief Bernette on 10/8/2024

Chippewa County 911 Policy and Procedure Committee Meeting attended by Chief Bernette on 10/9/2024

Chippewa County EMS Association Meeting attended by Chief Bernette on 10/9/2024

Chippewa County Emergency Management Meeting with the EM Director attended by Chief Bernette and DC Jeffers on 10/16/2024

Eau Claire County EMS Study Meeting attended by Chief Bernette on 10/17/2024

North Central Fire Chief Association virtual meeting on 10/17/2024

Chippewa County MABAS Div Meeting on 10/24/2024 attended by Chief Bernette

Chippewa County Fire Chief Association meeting on 10/24/2024 attended by Chief Bernette