



SUNSTITES-PEARCE FIRE DISTRICT

SERVING RESIDENTS OF THE SUNSTITES-PEARCE FIRE DISTRICT,
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Fire Chief's Report for August 16, 2022

Call Volume:

Calls since last meeting: 62

In District: 32

Out of District: 30

Total Fire and EMS Calls 2022 year to date are 463

Training:

1. New hire orientation continues.
2. ALS & BLS medications and expanded skills implementation. Ventilation, oxygenation, and rescue airway review.

Wildland:

1. Nothing new to report

Out of District Services:

1. Nothing new to report

Emergency Medical Services:

1. M303 Passed its DHS inspection
2. Still need more Paramedics
3. Expanded BLS skills continue to have life saving impacts.

Hazardous Materials and Technical Rescue:

1. Coordinated quarterly County HazMat training on Aug 3rd. Reviewed plume modeling and specialized meters.

Maintenance

1. There a 20 pending apparatus work orders.
2. There is 2 equipment work order.
3. M302 is back in service with oil leak from main seal repaired and reoccurring problem with NOX sensor eliminated.

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4. M301 died again while on a call and was towed to the shop. I have authorized the approx. \$6,500 quote for repair. Based on mechanic findings and previous issues I recommend the vehicle be declared surplus and be sold ASAP. The new ambulance to replace M301 is expected to be delivered January 2023. Working on options for earlier delivery.
5. T304 service and repair is finally complete, delays due to parts shortage. Pump overheating and primer issues have been resolved.

Communications:

1. Set up account with 10-4 medical for employee physicals.
2. Action tonight to set up an agreement with Wizard Medical Education program to serve as a precepting agency for their paramedic program.

Staffing

1. Still looking for part-time medics.
2. Reviewing job descriptions in anticipation of promotional testing.
3. AFG and SAFER grants will be awarded by Sept 30th no status update on our application.
4. Exploring options and funding sources for seasonal wildland staffing.