



## CITY OF MARATHON FIRE RESCUE

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### Memorandum

**Date:** October 13, 2020  
**To:** Honorable Mayor and City Councilmembers  
**From:** John A. Johnson, Fire Chief  
**Through:** Chuck Lindsey, City Manager  
**Subject:** August and September Month End Reports

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#### ALARM RESPONSES

	August	September
Fire Incidents	5	6
Hazardous Condition	6	7
Public Service	12	10
False Alarm Fire	23	13
Good Intent Call	13	9
EMS	86	75
Inter-facility Transfers	41	38
Total for Month:	186	158
Total Calls for Calendar 2020:	1,853	2,041

#### FIRE PREVENTION

	August	September
Fire Inspections	9	21
Fire Safety Plan Review	3	5
Vacation Rental Inspections	78	97
Occupational License Inspections	1	3
Annual Life Safety Inspections	0	0
Event Inspections	0	0
Annual State Inspections	0	1
DHR Follow-Up Inspections	0	0

## **VACATION RENTALS**

	August	September
New VR Applications Processed	12	23
Renewal VR Applications Processed	44	69
Total Applications Processed	56	92
Vacation Rental Inspections	78	97
Application Fees Collected	\$46,100.00	\$79,650.00
Agent Fees Collected	\$1,575.00	\$1,650.00
Total VR Fees Collected	\$47,675.00	\$81,300.00
New Agents Trained	2	1

## **OPERATIONS:**

- **Training:**
  - **Fire Officer Training:** All Fire Officers continue daily Incident Management continuing education.
  - **EMS Training:** All Firefighters continue daily BLS and ALS continuing education. New protocol training continues.
  - **Fire Training:** All firefighters continue to conduct daily shift drills.
  - **ARFF:** Personnel conducted unit inventory and operation.
  - **Tactical Medic Program:** the department continues to support MCSO in the swat medic program.
  - **Combined Training:** Target Solution software for all shifts, a total of 568 Courses were taken which totaled 305.49 hours of training.
  - **Instructors on Staff:** We have a total of five fire instructors with live fire certifications and seven EMS instructors

## **BENEVOLENT FIREFIGHTER SERVICES**

***Benevolent recruitment*** – The Department continues to support recruitment of additional personnel coordinated through the Marathon Fire Rescue Benevolent Association. Over the last 6 months the benevolent has been active as possible. They have a new slate of officers and are developing plans for the upcoming year.

**INFORMATION –**

The Marathon High School/School Board Fire Recruit Program was started for the second year. Due to Covid-19 the program is being held at Marathon High School on an A-B schedule. It has been received by the school and department with great enthusiasm. When the students graduate they will come away from this program with a National Certification in Emergency Medical Response and Florida certification as a Firefighter 1.

The department is going through the process of hiring 4 new firefighters to serve the City. The process consists of a physical ability exam, practical exam both fire and ems, and a swimming test. We hope to provide the citizens with the highest level of service possible.

**PUBLIC OUTREACH IN AUGUST:**

Benevolent Meeting  
FFPB Meeting

**ACTIVITIES ATTENDED IN AUGUST:**

Key Colony Beach Commission Meetings – 2  
School Board Zoom Meeting

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**PUBLIC OUTREACH IN SEPTEMBER:**

Benevolent Meeting  
Stanley Switlik Fire Drills and Safety Inspections

**ACTIVITIES ATTENDED IN SEPTEMBER:**

Key Colony Beach Commission Meetings – 2  
COPCN Zoom Meeting  
PAT Training (for Firefighter new hire)

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