

CITY OF MARATHON FIRE RESCUE

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Memorandum

Date: 8/03/21

To: Honorable Mayor and City Council members

From: John A. Johnson, Fire Chief

Through: George Garrett, City Manager

Subject: July Month End Report

ALARM RESPONSES

	July
Fire Incidents	9
Hazardous Condition	3
Public Service	14
False Alarm Fire	24
Good Intent Call	114
EMS	147
Inter-facility Transfers	84
Total for Month:	293
Total Calls for Calendar 2021:	1744

FIRE PREVENTION

	July
Fire Inspections	13
Fire Safety Plan Review	22
Vacation Rental Inspections	90
Occupational License Inspections	2
Annual Life Safety Inspections	0
Event Inspections	2
Annual State Inspections	3
DHR Follow-Up Inspections	0

VACATION RENTALS

	July
Total Applications Processed	52
Vacation Rental Inspections	90
Total VR Fees Collected	\$41,875.00
Agents Trained	12

OPERATIONS:

Training:

- Fire Officer Training: All Fire Officers maintain daily Incident Management continuing education.
- EMS Training: All Firefighters maintain daily BLS and ALS continuing education. New protocol training continues.
- o Fire Training: All firefighters continue to conduct daily shift drills.
- o **ARFF**: The department has updated the Emergency Response Plan for the Airport.
- 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 560 courses were taken which totaled 234.36 hours of training.
- o **Instructors on Staff:** We have a total of six instructors with live fire certifications and seven EMS instructors.

BENEVOLENT FIREFIGHTER SERVICES

<u>Benevolent recruitment</u> – 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 as active as possible. We had the return of one of our fully vaccinated members resume riding with the department when he is available.

INFORMATION -

The Marathon High School/School Board Fire Recruit Program will start again this August. We will be starting the program this year at MHS then moving to Station 14 depending on the status of COVID-19.

COVID-19 is still a part of our daily lives. We continue to promote vaccinations to all residents and visitors. We still encourage the use of masks when one feels they are needed to protect themselves or family.

As we enter the summer months, we need to be on alert for changing weather patterns and continue to make sure we are protected. Everyone please be smart; prepare and keep your families safe. Water, food, phone chargers, fuel, and possible evacuation plans are a minimum requirement. The City's staff are here for you, and we wish everyone a safe hurricane season.

PUBLIC OUTREACH IN JULY:

Benevolent Meeting Habitat for Humanity & Iberia Bank Photo Op Local Day Care Tour of Station 14

ACTIVITIES ATTENDED IN JULY:

City Council Meeting - 1
Key Colony Beach Commission Meetings – 2
Active Shooter Training
Monroe County Fire Chief's Meeting
Hurricane (Elsa) Coordinating Calls - 4
City Commission & Budget Workshop
Monroe County Local Mitigation Strategy Meeting
BOCC Meeting – Elite Medical COPCN
City Commission Public Hearing