



CITY OF MARATHON FIRE RESCUE

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Memorandum

Date: 12/02/21
To: Honorable Mayor and City Council members
From: John A. Johnson, Fire Chief
Through: George Garrett, City Manager
Subject: November Month End Report

ALARM RESPONSES

	November
Fire Incidents	4
Hazardous Condition	6
Public Service	10
False Alarm Fire	20
Good Intent Call	11
EMS	100
Inter-facility Transfers	50
Total for Month:	201
Total Calls for Calendar 2021:	2645

FIRE PREVENTION

	November
Fire Inspections	18
Fire Safety Plan Review	49
Vacation Rental Inspections	47
Occupational License Inspections	4
Annual Life Safety Inspections	0
Event Inspections	1
Annual State Inspections	0
DHR Follow-Up Inspections	0

VACATION RENTALS

	November
Total Applications Processed	68
Vacation Rental Inspections	47
Total VR Fees Collected	\$53,750.00
Agents Trained	15

OPERATIONS:

- **Training:**
 - **Fire Officer Training:** All Fire Officers maintain daily Incident Management continuing education as well as accountability training.
 - **EMS Training:** This month the Firefighters completed 472.93 hours of training. This training included monthly medication exercises. They also participated in NFPA 3000 Training, a PHTLS Class, and a NFPA 1410 Hose Drill. The Drivers Promotional Exam was also conducted.
 - **Fire Training:** All firefighters continue to conduct daily shift drills.
 - **ARFF:** The department has been updating our response criteria and equipment for upcoming airport drills. Six Firefighters traveled for participation in their annual burn.
 - **Tactical Medic Program:** This month 2 fire fighters participated in 12 hours of SWAT training with MSCO.
 - **Combined Training:** Target Solution software for all shifts, a total of 764 courses were taken which totaled 388.54 hours of training.
 - **Instructors on Staff:** We have a total of six 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. The Benevolent was unable to meet this month but we are looking forward to discussing some up and coming event ideas such as a spaghetti dinner, hot dog mac and cheese night, and a garbage rodeo that will include entry fees and prizes at our next meeting. The Benevolent Association continues our commitment to the Fire Department and the community with great pride.

INFORMATION –

The Marathon High School/School Board Fire Recruit Program has started their Fire 1 training. The students have been working with Presents in Paradise assembling bicycles for their program. This will also give them their required community service hours.

COVID-19 numbers are on the rise again. As we move into our busy season with many travelers from outside of Florida, we continue to promote vaccinations and boosters to all residents and visitors. We still encourage the use of masks when one feels they are needed to protect themselves or family.

On December 24th you will see the Santa Caravan travel through several of the city neighborhoods once again. Santa will not be making any scheduled stops this year as he is very busy ensuring he can get to each house by Christmas morning!

We are in the holiday season and as we spend more time with our friends and families, please use extra precautions and stay safe.

PUBLIC OUTREACH IN OCTOBER:

Red, White, & Blue Day at Stanley Switlik
Veteran's Day Parade

ACTIVITIES ATTENDED IN OCTOBER:

City Council Meeting
Key Colony Beach Commission Meetings
Weekly Department Head Meetings - (4)
Leadership Monroe Board Meeting
MTH Emergency Exercise Airport
Marathon Fire Board Meeting
Taking Care of Our Own provided by NFFF
South Florida LEPC
Driver Engineer Practical/Oral Exam