



CITY OF MARATHON FIRE RESCUE

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Memorandum

Date: 12/01/2022
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	2
Hazardous Condition	2
Public Service	18
False Alarm Fire	10
Good Intent Call	10
EMS	80
Inter-facility Transfers	45
Total for Month:	167
Total Calls for Calendar 2022:	2155

FIRE PREVENTION

	November
Fire Inspections	20
Fire Safety Plan Review	32
Vacation Rental Inspections	63
Occupational License Inspections	11
Annual Life Safety Inspections	0
Event Inspections	0
Annual State Inspections	0
DHR Follow-Up Inspections	0

VACATION RENTALS

	November
Total Applications Processed	79
Vacation Rental Inspections	63
Total VR Fees Collected	\$83,675.00
Agents Trained	21

OPERATIONS:

- **Training:**
 - **Fire Officer Training:** All Fire Officers maintain daily Incident Management continuing education as well as this month's "Training Module November 2022"
 - **EMS Training:** This month the Firefighters completed 229.92 hours of training. This training includes monthly medication exercises & updated protocols, Area Familiarization at Banana Bay Resort.
 - **Fire Training:** All firefighters continue to conduct daily shift drills; they also completed NFPA 1410 hose drills.
 - **ARFF:** This month (5) members completed their annual 5-hour FAA compliance training burn at the Fire Academy of South. (3) more will attend this month.
 - **Tactical Medic Program:** This month 2 fire fighters participated in 16 hours of SWAT Call Out with MCSO.
 - **Combined Training:** Target Solution software for all shifts, a total of 234 courses were taken which totaled 229.92 hours of training.
 - **Instructors on Staff:** We have a total of seven instructors with live fire certifications and seven EMS instructors.

BENEVOLENT FIREFIGHTER SERVICES

This month the Benevolent Association discussed the possibility of a fundraiser bingo night. It was agreed that the Benevolent would also hang the Christmas lights at Station 14 to alleviate the on-duty crews due to their training and ongoing tasks. The Benevolent decided they will meet the weekend following Thanksgiving to begin the process. Other ideas discussed were the designing of a Santa sleigh, lighting, and commitment from all personnel for the upcoming holiday season. As always, we continue to support recruitment of additional personnel coordinated through the Marathon Fire Rescue Benevolent Association.

INFORMATION

As we approach the holidays, we hope everyone has a safe season spending time with family and friends.

The Department has recently posted job openings for Fire fighter Paramedics, EMT Transfer Crew Members, and a Logistics Support Personnel position. We are hoping to fill a couple Fire fighter Paramedic positions with our current EMTs who are undergoing paramedic training now, as hosted by the department.

The Marathon High School/School Board Fire Recruit Program will again assist Presents in Paradise in the building of their bicycles. This program aids working families, single head-of household families, and families in need to provide them with the ability to celebrate positive family holidays with the hopes to strengthen personal relationships.

Keep an eye out for this year's Santa Caravan on December 24th. Unlike last year, we do have several stops planned so Santa can stretch his legs and spend some time with the children. The schedule will be posted on the city website as usual.

PUBLIC OUTREACH IN NOVEMBER:

Truck Show & Tell at Community Co-Op Preschool
Community Detail – Truck Drive by with lights and sirens for children's birthday
Veteran's Day Parade

ACTIVITIES ATTENDED IN NOVEMBER:

Weekly Director Call (4)
City Council Meeting
KCB Meeting
Leadership Monroe Board Meeting
Red, White, and Blue Day at Stanley Switlik
Officer's Meeting at Station 14
EPOC Training
Veteran's Day Parade
South Florida LEPC
Chief's Luncheon