



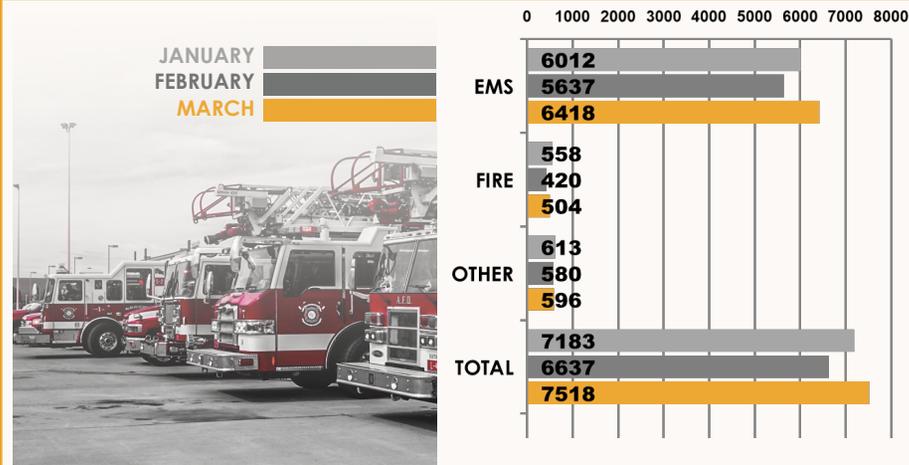
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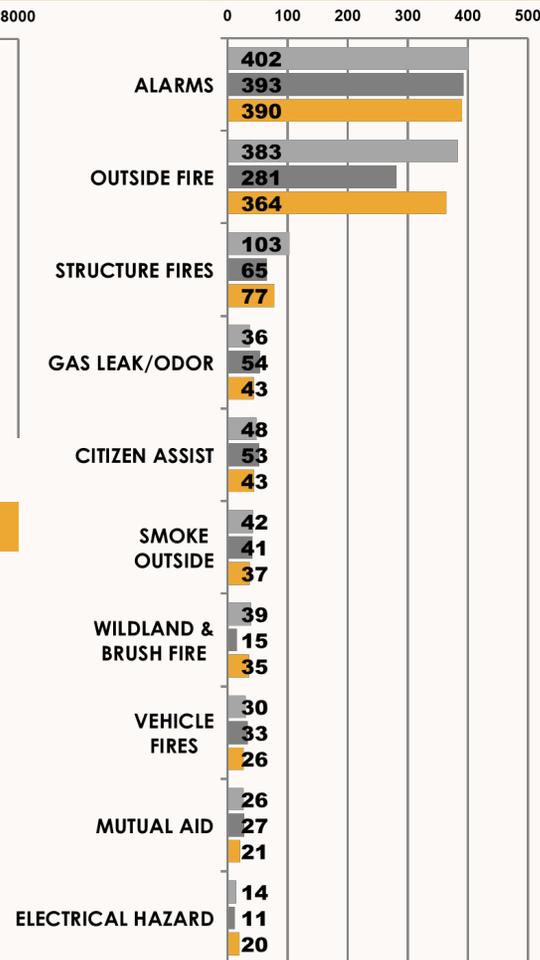
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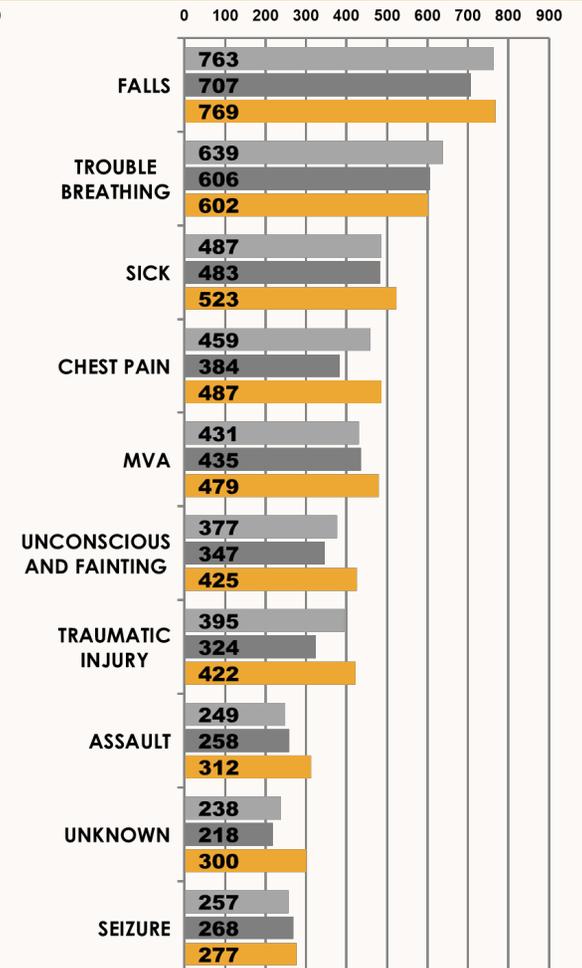
FEBRUARY CALLS



TOP 10 NON-MEDICAL CALLS



TOP 10 MEDICAL CALLS



EMS STATISTICS		MEDICAL RESPONSE BY CODE	
CARDIAC ARREST W/CPR	63	ECHO	106
ROSC PRIOR TO TRANSPORT	13	DELTA	1,383
LUCAS DEVICE USED	54	CHARLIE	1,517
I/O ACCESS	51	BRAVO	1,542
CPAP ADMINISTERED	10	ALPHA	1,728
<u>AFR TRANSPORTS</u>	<u>22</u>	OMEGA	142
BARIATRIC	0	TOTAL	6,418
ON DUTY COA EMP/FAMILY	1		
AFR RETIREE/RETIREE SPOUSE	2		
DELAY OF AAS UNIT	30		
PED PSYCH TRANSPORT	6		
AAS RIDE-IN ASSISTS	188		



STRUCTURE FIRE RESPONSES

	JAN	FEB	MAR	AVG
Alarm Answering Time	0:05	0:05	0:06	0:05
Alarm Process Times	2:12	2:00	2:06	2:06
Turnout Time (Day)	1:05	0:53	1:05	1:01
Turnout Time (Night)	1:44	1:50	1:46	1:46
Travel Time (1st Engine arrives)	3:55	3:43	3:59	3:52
Travel Time (Balance of assignment arrive	8:42	8:20	8:27	8:29

ALS INCIDENT RESPONSES

	JAN	FEB	MAR	AVG
Alarm Answering Time	0:05	0:05	0:06	0:05
Alarm Process Times	2:23	2:09	1:59	2:10
Turnout Time (Day)	1:24	1:22	1:18	1:21
Turnout Time (Night)	2:12	2:14	2:09	2:11
Travel Time (1st BLS unit arrives)	4:35	4:39	4:34	4:36
Travel Time (1st ALS unit arrives)	5:13	5:14	5:20	5:15

BRAVO INCIDENT RESPONSES

	JAN	FEB	MAR	AVG
Alarm Answering Time	0:05	0:05	0:06	0:05
Alarm Process Times	2:05	1:56	1:52	1:57
Turnout Time (Day)	1:21	1:20	1:16	1:19
Turnout Time (Night)	2:02	2:04	2:04	2:03
Travel Time (1st BLS unit arrives)	5:32	5:19	5:35	5:28

ALPHA INCIDENT RESPONSES

	JAN	FEB	MAR	AVG
Alarm Answering Time	0:05	0:05	0:06	0:05
Alarm Process Times	2:17	2:09	2:00	2:08
Turnout Time (Day)	1:24	1:23	1:23	1:23
Turnout Time (Night)	2:11	2:11	2:03	2:08
Travel Time (1st unit arrives)	6:10	6:15	6:14	6:13



ALARM PROCESS TIMES

The time from when a 911 call is received until the information is gathered and the call is dispatched.

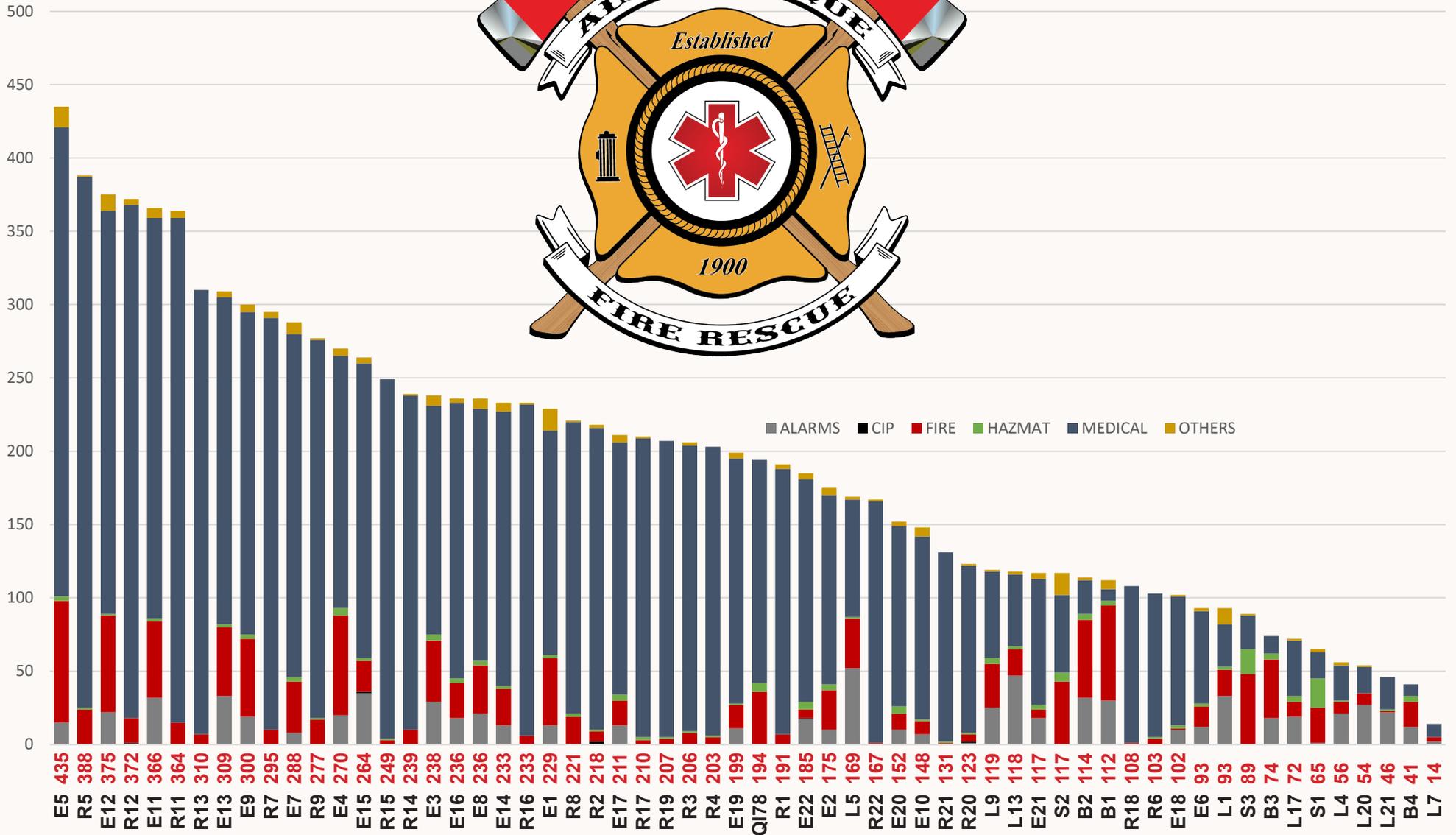
TURNOUT TIME

The time a station is alerted until the apparatus is en route.

TRAVEL TIME

The time from apparatus en route to arrival at the incident.





UNITS AND TOTAL CALLS

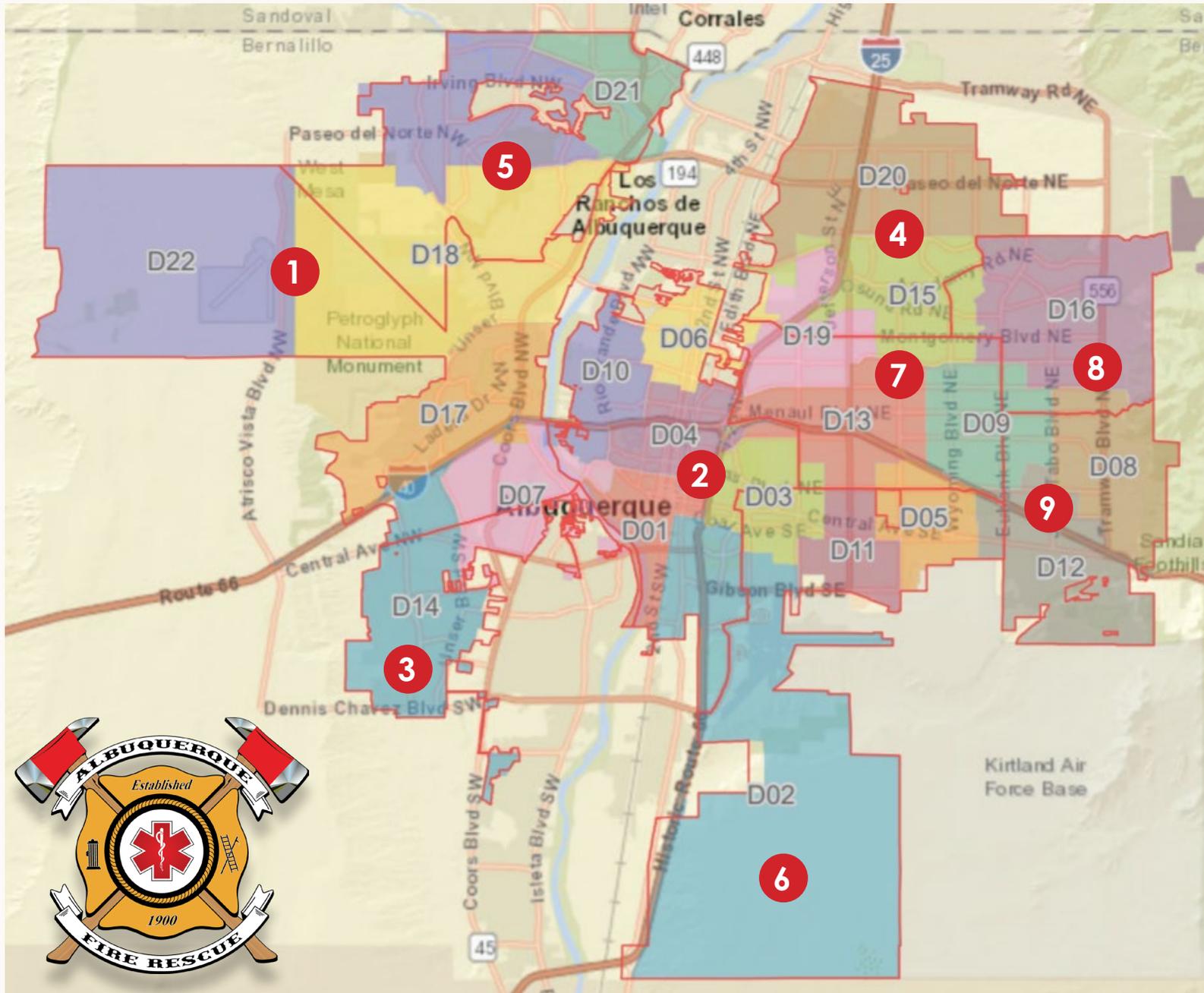
ALBUQUERQUE FIRE RESCUE UNIT RESPONSES

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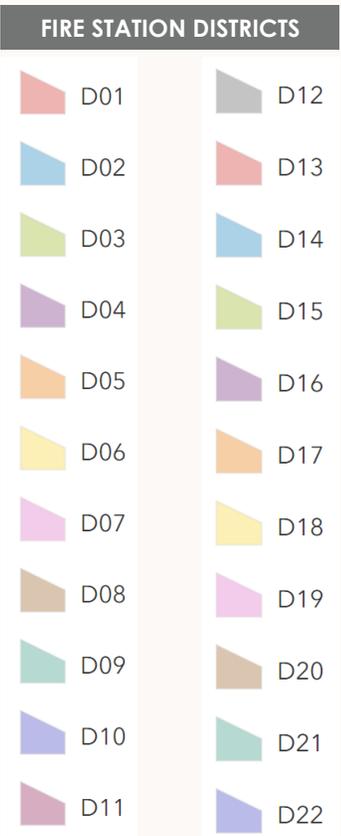
	ALARMS	CIP	FIRE	HAZMAT	MEDICAL	OTHERS	TOTAL
E5	15	0	83	3	320	14	435
R5	0	0	24	1	362	1	388
E12	22	0	66	1	275	11	375
R12	0	1	17	0	350	4	372
E11	32	0	52	2	273	7	366
R11	0	0	15	0	344	5	364
R13	0	0	7	0	303	0	310
E13	33	0	47	2	223	4	309
E9	19	0	53	3	220	5	300
R7	0	0	10	0	281	4	295
E7	8	0	35	3	234	8	288
R9	0	0	17	1	258	1	277
E4	20	0	68	5	172	5	270
E15	35	1	21	2	201	4	264
R15	0	0	3	1	245	0	249
R14	0	0	10	0	228	1	239
E3	29	0	42	4	156	7	238
E16	18	0	24	3	188	3	236
E8	21	0	33	3	172	7	236
E14	13	0	25	2	187	6	233
R16	0	0	6	0	226	1	233
E1	13	0	46	2	153	15	229
R8	0	0	19	2	199	1	221
R2	0	2	7	1	206	2	218
E17	13	0	17	4	172	5	211
R17	0	0	3	2	204	1	210
R19	0	0	4	1	202	0	207
R3	0	0	8	1	195	2	206
R4	0	0	5	1	197	0	203
E19	11	0	16	1	167	4	199
QI78	0	0	36	6	152	0	194
R1	0	0	7	0	181	3	191
E22	17	1	6	5	152	4	185
E2	10	0	27	4	129	5	175
L5	52	0	34	1	80	2	169
R22	0	0	1	0	165	1	167
E20	10	0	11	5	123	3	152
E10	7	0	9	1	125	6	148
R21	0	0	1	1	129	0	131
R20	1	1	5	1	114	1	123

L9	25	0	30	4	59	1	119
L13	47	0	18	2	49	2	118
E21	18	0	6	3	86	4	117
S2	0	0	43	6	53	15	117
B2	32	0	53	4	23	2	114
B1	30	0	65	3	8	6	112
R18	0	0	1	0	107	0	108
R6	0	0	4	1	98	0	103
E18	10	0	1	2	88	1	102
E6	12	0	14	2	63	2	93
L1	33	0	18	2	29	11	93
S3	0	0	48	17	23	1	89
B3	18	0	40	4	12	0	74
L17	19	0	10	4	38	1	72
S1	1	0	24	20	18	2	65
L4	21	0	8	1	24	2	56
L20	27	0	8	0	18	1	54
L21	22	0	1	1	22	0	46
B4	12	0	17	4	8	0	41
L7	2	0	3	0	9	0	14
Total	728	6	1,377	155	9,448	226	11,940





- ### CITY COUNCIL DISTRICTS
1. LAN SENA
 2. ISAAC BENTON
 3. KLARISSA J PEÑA
 4. BROOK BASSAN
 5. CYNTHIA D BORREGO
PRESIDENT
 6. PAT DAVIS
 7. DIANE G GIBSON
VICE-PRESIDENT
 8. TRUDY E JONES
 9. DON HARRIS



These events are activated by the AFR Dispatch Center as a “Significant Event” and emailed to media and specific AFR members but does not include all responses by AFR to emergency calls.

3/4 - Apartment Fire: AFR responded to a structure fire in a two story apartment complex on the 10900 block of Towner NE in fire district 9. Engine 9 arrived on scene to find a fire in a 2nd story apartment at the complex and performed a quick attack to extinguish the fire. No firefighters were injured. One occupant was injured and transported to a hospital by ambulance.

3/5 - Residential Fire: AFR responded to reports of a fire on the 10500 block of Aspen St. NE in fire district 9. Fire crews arrived to observe heavy flames and smoke coming from a vacant single story residence. Firefighters quickly performed defensive operations to bring the fire under control and extinguish the fire. One home suffered slight fire exposure damage. There were no injuries reported.

3/7 - Bosque Fire: A Bosque fire was reported by residents on Riverview Dr and Crescent NW in fire district 7 at approximately 8 am. Upon arrival crews noted limited access and had to hike to the fire location. There was a 10 by 10 heavy timber and brush fire reported by fire personnel. Wind and atmospheric conditions were helpful in containing fire. The fire was engaged with hand tools and a floating pump from the river to provide water. A fire line was cut surrounding the area and crews successfully extinguished the fire.

3/8 - Residential Fire: AFR was dispatched to the 1200 block of 3rd St SW in fire district 1 for a residential structure fire. Engine 1 arrived on scene of a single story residential structure and reported light smoke showing from the eaves of the home. As additional fire units arrived on scene, Engine 1 made entry into the home and reported that there was a small fire in the attic space caused by a faulty wood burning stove. Fire crews were able to successfully extinguish the fire quickly and all residents of the home were able to self evacuate. A total of 9 fire apparatus were on scene to assist in the fire. There were no injuries reported to civilians or firefighters.

3/9 - Residential Fire: AFR crews along with Bernalillo County FD were dispatched to the 7800 block of Desert Canyon Place SW in BCFD fire district 33. Upon arrival, Engine 14 saw heavy smoke and flames coming from the back of the residence. Crews achieved control of the fire approximately 30 minutes after arrival. Residents were not inside at the time of the fire and there were no injuries to civilians or firefighters. The fire is under investigation and there are no further details available at this time.

3/15 - Residential Fire: AFR was dispatched to the 400 block of Indiana St SE in fire district 11 for reports of an outside fire that was impinging on a structure. Engine 11 arrived on scene and reported a working fire of a single story residential duplex with smoke showing from multiple sides. Engine 11 proceeded to make entry into the home for fire control as Rescue 11 entered the home to perform a simultaneous search. Additional fire units arrived on scene to assist with operational efforts. Ladder 5 was assigned to ventilation as Engine 12 was assigned to stretch a back-up line for fire attack. One patient was transported by Rescue 3 to UNMH for smoke inhalation. A total of 16 fire units were on scene to assist with operations. The cause of the fire is unknown and the home owner will be displaced as a result of the fire. There were no injuries to firefighters.

3/16 - Commercial Fire: AFR crews assisted BCFD crews with an outdoor fire at the recycling plant on the 5000 block of Edith NE in fire district 6. One of the open air conveyor belts caught on fire along with some recycling materials and after a short time crews were able to extinguish the fire. There were no injuries reported.

3/16 - Commercial Fire: AFR was dispatched to the 6000 block of Kathryn Ave SE in fire district 11 for a single story commercial structure fire. Engine 11 arrived on scene and reported smoke coming from the eaves of a vacant single story restaurant. Fire crews were able to gain access into the building, quickly locate the source and extinguish the fire. Rescue 11 performed a primary search of the building to ensure that there were no occupants inside as Engine 5 was able to access a good water supply for interior crews. No injuries were reported.



E1 crew extinguish a car fire near Central and Sunset SW.



AFR crews mop up after extinguishing a fire in the Bosque.



Squad 2 FF Truong Pham helps remove a dog from a roll over MVA.

3/18 - Residential Fire: AFR was dispatched to the 10700 block of Fairbanks Ave NE in fire district 9 for a residential structure fire. Engine 9 arrived on scene and reported light smoke showing from the side of the single story home. Engine 9 was able to quickly enter the home and extinguish the fire. The cause of the fire is unknown. One patient was transported to the hospital for minor injuries. No firefighters were injured.

3/20 - Residential Fire: AFR responded to a single family home on the 200 block of Garcia Street NE in fire district 5. Crews arrived within minutes to find smoke and flames coming from the home. The home appeared to be an abandoned. Firefighters quickly extinguished the fire within minutes before it spread into the roof. There were no injuries reported to civilians or firefighters.

3/20 - Residential Fire: AFR received a call for an outside fire located at on the 5900 block of Unitas Ln NW in fire district 22. Upon arrival crews discovered it was actually a structure fire of a single family home. The arriving fire truck immediately called for a full dispatch which consists of 13 units. Swift efforts of firefighters had the fire under control within about 15 minutes. The homeowners were burning weeds and the fire got away from them. It caught a shed on fire and it quickly caught the house on fire. There was damage in 2 rooms of the home and a portion of the attic. It's unknown if the occupant of the home called the burn hot-line. Fortunately, there were no injuries to civilians or firefighters.

3/20 - Apartment Fire: AFR crews were dispatched to the 500 block of Tramway NE in fire district 12 for reports of an apartment fire. Units arrived to find smoke and flames coming from a second story apartment. Firefighters quickly extinguished fire within minutes of arrival. The fire was isolated to one apartment. Due to the amount of smoke from the fire, surrounding units will be displaced for the night. AFR is worked with apartment personnel to help relocate them. There were no injuries to civilians or firefighters.

3/21 - Residential Fire: AFR was dispatched to a single family home located at 11104 San Jacinto NE in fire district 12. When units arrived on scene they found a house which appeared to be fully involved in smoke and flames. Firefighters made entry into the home and extinguished the fire within about 15 minutes. 2 male occupants were at the home, one self evacuated the other was found in the back bedroom. Firefighters quickly got the male subject out but unfortunately he had perished. The fire was mainly confined to the attic. There was major smoke damage throughout the home. There were no other injuries to civilians or firefighters. The cause of the fire is unknown.

3/21 - Residential Fire: AFR was dispatched to single family home located on the 9000 block of Port Rd SW in fire district 14. When units arrived, they encountered smoke and flames coming from the front of the house. Within seconds of arriving, a Rescue crew performed a primary search and removed a male from the home to safety. They also rescued a cat and a dog. Swift efforts by fire crews had the fire under control and extinguished within 5 minutes. Fortunately, the fire was contained to one room in the house. The patient was transported to UNMH for smoke inhalation. The cat and dog are doing fine. There were no injuries to firefighters.

3/22 - Apartment Fire: AFR was dispatched to the 8900 block of Northeastern NE in fire district 9 for reports of an apartment fire. Upon arrival fire crews encountered smoke and flames coming from a boarded up apartment on the first floor. Firefighters quickly made entry and extinguished the fire located in the front living room of the apartment within minutes. The fire was contained to the vacant apartment. Fortunately, the other tenants were not displaced. There were no injuries to civilians or firefighters.



Station 5 respond with AAS and removed a trapped patient from the overturned vehicle.



AFR Lt. Spain assisted APD Open Space officers with a two person mountain rescue where a hiker slid off the trail and was found clinging to a tree to keep from falling off of the cliff side.

3/23 - Apartment Fire: AFR was dispatched to the 12800 block of Copper Ave NE in fire district 8 for a structure fire involving a 3 story apartment building. Engine 12 arrived on scene and reported a working fire with heavy smoke and flames coming from the roof. As fire crews made access into the building to conduct fire control and search, they were met with heavy fire conditions including high heat and limited visibility. Due to the advanced fire conditions and potential for collapse, Incident command called for a change in tactics switching from offensive to defensive fire operations. A second alarm was dispatched and fire crews began flowing water from two ladder apparatus that were on scene as well as using ground monitors to gain control of the fire. A total of 18 fire apparatus were on scene to assist in fire operations, one firefighter was injured and is expected to make a full recovery. No civilians were injured in the fire, the cause is under investigation.

3/23 - Residential Fire: AFR was dispatched to a single story residential structure on the 9800 block of Hannette PI NE in fire district 9. Engine 9 arrived on scene and reported a working fire with smoke coming from the roof of the home. Fire crews were able to gain access into the home to begin fire control and completed a primary search to confirm that all residents were out and safe. The fire began near the garage as a result of a faulty dryer and fire crews were able to quickly gain control of the fire preventing it from spreading to the rest of the home. Due to smoke damage inside of the home, the residents will be displaced and are being assisted by Red Cross. A total of 9 fire apparatus were on scene. There were no injuries to civilians or firefighters.

3/30 - Apartment Fire: AFR was dispatched to a high occupancy fire on the 2100 block of Menaul Ave NE in fire district 13. AFR crews encountered smoke and flames coming from the second story apartment and quickly extinguished the fire containing it to just the one room. The room below sustained some water damage. Crews reported it was a mattress that had caught on fire. Two tenants were displaced. No injuries were reported.

3/30 - Residential Fire: AFR was dispatched to the 1300 block of Ortiz Dr SE in fire district 11 for reports of a dumpster that was on fire. Engine 11 arrived on scene and reported that there was a dumpster on fire as well as a single story four-plex apartment building. Engine 11 stretched hose-lines to begin an interior attack as additional units began to arrive on scene to assist in fire control and search. At that time several explosions were heard and the adjacent four-plex was also on fire as a result. Fire crews at that time concentrated their fire efforts from a defensive standpoint due to the unpredictable fire conditions. All residents were safely evacuated and accounted for and as conditions improved inside of the structures, firefighters were able to successfully re-enter and gain fire control. This was an extremely labor intensive and complicated fire and AFR was able to successfully contain the fire and ensure that all occupants were safe. There were a total of 3 buildings affected and 12 individual apartments that had to be evacuated. Red Cross will be assisting the residents as they will be displaced for a significant period of time. AFR had 18 fire units on scene to help in the operations and the cause of the fire is under investigation by AFR Fire Investigators. There were no injuries to civilian or firefighters.



AFR crews go defensive on a three story apartment building fire on Copper Ave NE.



Firefighters fight a single story apartment complex fire on Ortiz Dr SE that involved exploding oxygen and propane tanks.



1. Fire Chief Paul Dow and the AFR Executive Staff presented challenge coins to the crew from Station 11C for their rescue last month during a structure fire. The successful outcome of a once in a lifetime save was the result of hard work, training, and leadership throughout our department. Great work Station 11 C-Shift!
2. AFR celebrated International Women's Day 2021. The hardworking female firefighters and civilians make up approximately 6% of our employees. AFR expects this number will increase with the community taking notice of these positive role models and creating awareness to young women that a career in firefighting does not favor a particular gender.
3. AFR's Health and Wellness Lieutenant Miguel Tittmann discusses FF Mental Health with AFR's Captain Certification Class at the Training Academy.
4. Fire Chief Paul Dow, Deputy Chief Gene Gallegos and Arson Captain Ramon Martinez attended the graduation of Driver David Auge from the Albuquerque Police Department Cadet Class #123. Driver Auge will join AFR's Fire Investigations Division.
5. Steve Delgado with AFR Logistics division constructed a wheelchair accessible ramp for a citizen enrolled in the AFR HEART program. Interventions like this ramp help create safer environments for these individuals that are more at risk for falls and injuries.
6. Public Affairs Office Captain Martin Salazar dropped off much needed PPE (masks, hand sanitizer, surface disinfectant) to the Albuquerque Sign Language Academy. Dozens of small businesses benefited from these packages that were made possible by the Albuquerque City Council.





Faces of AFR is proud to introduce **Battalion Chief Santos Garcia**. Santos joined AFR in 2002 as a member of the 65th Cadet Class, has an Associates Degree from Eastern NM University in Emergency Medicine and is expected to complete his Bachelor's Degree in Emergency Management in July of 2021. Early in his career Santos was assigned to Engine 9 and Engine 12 as a rookie firefighter. In 2007 Santos was promoted to the rank of Driver, scoring 1st on his promotional exam and as a Paramedic was assigned to Rescue 9, and then to Rescue 12. In July of 2010 Santos was promoted to the rank Lieutenant, once again scoring 1st on his promotional exam, and was assigned to Rescue 5 then to Rescue 12. In June of 2013 scoring 2nd on the Captain promotional exam, he was promoted and assigned to Station 7 for six months, then was assigned as the Quality Assurance Officer on C-Shift for 5 years. In 2018 Santos scored 3rd on the Battalion Chief's exam and was promoted to Battalion 2 C-Shift where he is currently assigned. Battalion Chief Garcia has received several awards and accommodations throughout his years of service including Fridays Heroes Award in 2015 for his life saving measures rendered to an APD officer that was shot in the line of duty, Division of the Year Award in 2015, and the IAFF Local 244 Leadership Award in 2017. He has served and continues to serve on several department committees including Community EMS Committee, the Policy Review Committee, and the Uniform Policy Committee. He is a Subject Matter Expert for promotional exams and is also a Department Hiring Process Oral Interview Member. Battalion Chief Santos Garcia continues to be one of our departments most valued assets and has had an incredibly positive impact on the success of AFR. Santos and his unbelievably unselfish approach to all things on and off duty continues to be an example for all of our members. Thank you Battalion Chief Santos Garcia for your commitment to AFR and the community.



Faces of AFR is proud to introduce **Paramedic Captain Martin Salazar**. A United States Marine Corps Veteran, Martin joined AFR in August of 2000 and graduated in December of 2000 as a member of the 61st Cadet Class. Early in his career Martin was assigned to Station 3 for approximately 4 years. After being promoted to Driver, he was assigned to the Alarm Room as a dispatcher for 3 years. He returned back to Station 3 and he was assigned to drive on Squad 2 as part of the departments Heavy Technical Rescue program. After being promoted to Lieutenant, Martin was assigned for a short period of time as an Instructor at the Training Academy. Martin was then assigned to Ladder 13 for 2 years as a member of the Hazardous Materials Division as a Haz-Mat Tech. After a short assignment on Engine 10, he was assigned as the Paramedic Lieutenant on Rescue 3 for 1 year then at Rescue 22. In 2016 Martin was promoted to the rank of Captain and was assigned to Engine 11 then to Engine 18. In 2018 he was assigned to the Training Academy as the Paramedic Captain for a year and then to his current position as the Community Risk Reduction Captain. The first ever to hold this position, Captain Salazar oversees programs that enhance fire education, EMS training and certification, risk reduction and disaster preparedness, and public affairs information and education. Helping Albuquerque become better prepared and educated through these programs have made for a more resilient and safer community. Captain Salazar is an incredible asset to the Department and he continues to serve with a tireless positive attitude, always wanting the best for his peers and the community he serves. Thank you Captain Martin Salazar for your commitment to AFR and the community.



Albuquerque Fire Rescue would like to congratulate **Battalion Chief James Blea** on his retirement. James completed his last shift at Station 5 serving as Battalion Chief 2 surrounded by his family and Station 5 crew. James has successfully completed 20 years and 7 months of dedicated service with the department and has a Bachelors Degree from Columbia College of Missouri. A 20 year Veteran of The U.S. Army Reserves, James joined the department in 2000 as a member of the 61st Cadet Class. Early in his career James was assigned as a probationary firefighter to Station 11 where he served for 3 years then was assigned to Station 17 for 6 months. In 2004 he promoted to the rank of Driver and was assigned to Engine 13 for 2 years. In 2006 James was promoted to Lieutenant and was assigned to Engine 13, Ladder 4, Engine 2 and back to Ladder 4. In 2014 James was promoted to the rank of Captain and served at Squad 1, Engine 14, and Engine 18. In 2018 James was promoted to the rank of Battalion Chief and was initially assigned as the Battalion 4 BC before taking his current position at Battalion 2- A Shift. During his career Battalion Chief Blea has continued to serve his fellow firefighters with dignity and respect, always willing to go the extra mile to take care of his crew. A member of the AFR Color Guard for 4 years, Battalion Chief Blea embodied what it meant to be serve with honor and pride. Thank you Battalion Chief James Blea for your dedication and commitment to AFR and the community, congratulations on your retirement and good luck with your future endeavors.

FIRE MARSHAL'S OFFICE

FIRE INSPECTIONS

- Inspections- 641
- COVID Education- 99
- Tank Pulls- 1
- Blasting Stand by- 5
- Food Truck Inspections- 23
- Evacuation Training- 250 people
- Fire Safety Training- 100 people
- Extinguisher Training- 45 people
- Businesses With 2+ False Alarms Educated- 15
- We are proud to announce that Inspector/Driver David Meyers has begun serving as AFR's newest Chaplain. The professionalism and integrity that he brings on a daily basis are the same qualities that make him the perfect choice for this position.
- Lieutenant Carlos Aragon has taken the lead for inspections and approvals of tents and special events in FMO. Utilizing E-Proval, he has reviewed and approved plans for the upcoming grower's markets and a drive-in movie event.
- Inspector Kurt Widerkehr will be transitioning to the ADAPT office over the next couple of weeks. Kurt's hard work ethic and his friendly personality have made him a valuable asset to our office. These qualities will serve him well and we know he will be successful in his new position.

PLANS CHECKING

- Total Inspection – 123
- Total Plans Reviewed – 112
- The Plans Checking division has reviewed and approved the foundation package for the 2.9 million square-foot Orion project. Last month the Plans Checking division approved the site plan which included fire department access and hydrant locations. This month the foundation layout was approved and it included standpipe locations, fire department sprinkler connection locations and other access points in the facility. Due to the nature and size of this facility we have been receiving plans in phases.
- Plans Checking's new e-plan software for all plan submittals has gone live. The new plan submittal process is working better than expected making the process work seamlessly for both the contractors and P/C division inspectors.
- The new Albuquerque Water Authority Dewatering Facility at 6000 Alexander BLVD NE passed their fire final inspection.

ADAPT

- ADAPT has had 69 properties that have been formally brought into the program, 25 have been cleared from the program and 44 are still in the program at different stages. ADAPT continuously monitors the properties that are in the program to track their compliance with the Nuisance Abatement Agreement.
- There are 211 properties on the Unsafe Buildings list, 7 new properties were added to the list. The list is in Target Solutions file center, under the FMO > ADAPT > Unsafe Buildings tab. The properties are labeled on the First Due application with a white "X" on a red background.
- The Crime Only Property Program scheduled 8 property inspections. Six inspections have been completed, and the Nuisance Abatement Agreements are being drafted.

ADAPT STAGES MARCH 2021

PRELIMINARY INSPECTIONS	47
IDENTIFICATION	51
NOTIFICATION	1
COMPLIANCE	3
REFERRED	154
MONITORING	18
CLEARED	175
TOTAL	449

ADAPT PROPERTIES MARCH 2021

PROPERTIES IN ADAPT	44
PROPERTIES ADDED 2021	6
PROPERTIES COMPLETING PROGRAM 2021	2
TOTAL # PROPERTIES COMPLETING PROGRAM	25

FIRE INVESTIGATIONS DIVISION

- Total investigated – 14 fires
 - * Natural- 0
 - * Accidental – 3
 - * Undetermined - 4
 - * Incendiary – 7
 - Exceptionally Cleared 1 (CLE 14.2%)
- After a 4-year hiatus, the Fire Investigation Division obtained access to the National Crime Information Center (NCIC) database. This database is utilized during investigations for crime related information such as a Triple I, warrants and validations and firearms. An MOU was drafted and completed between AFR and APD to allow Fire Investigators to request NCIC database searches to be queried by APD dispatchers. Access was granted after all investigators passed the NCIC test with 100% and were then certified to request and receive information from the APD Emergency Communications Center.
- The Fire Investigations Division would like to extend a warm welcome to our new investigator, Driver David Auge. At the graduation ceremony, the APD academy staff spoke very highly about Driver Auge and congratulated us on always sending such strong candidates. Driver Auge will spend the next month working OJT in the Fire Investigations Division and begin to learn his new craft.

HUMAN RESOURCES

HEALTH AND WELLNESS

- The office continued to lay the foundation in March to provide collaborated and functional resources for the members of AFR. These resources include anything that has to do with Health and Wellness.
- The Behavioral Health Director was hired. Maia Theodore-Dalton will be moving from Virginia to Albuquerque and in her new office on April 12th.
- The Peer Support team continues to develop and define roles and structure. The reporting system has been defined so that data from the team may be collected through Target Solutions over time.
- The Peer Support team was deployed 2 times in March following critical calls identified through the dispatch and identification system
- The AFR Chaplaincy has been re-established with the appointment of our newest chaplain, David Meyers. He has surrounded himself with other AFR FFs that have committed to the chaplaincy. They include Athena Valero-Hirchfeld, Jonathan Hanna, Kyle Stephenson and Ryan Cheshire.
- Continued to network with surrounding agencies to optimize the delivery of our support systems.

FIREFIGHTER INJURY REPORT

YTD Nature	#	Non-Emergency	Emergency Response	Fire Scene	Training
Cut/Laceration	1	1	0	0	0
Burn	5	2	0	3	0
Fracture/Break	1	1	0	0	0
Illness- Other (COVID)	19	19	0	0	0
Injury - Other	2	0	1	1	0
Particle in Eye	1	0	0	1	0
Strain/Sprain	5	3	0	0	2
Total	34	26	1	5	2

March Nature	#	Non-Emergency	Emergency Response	Fire Scene	Training
Cut/Laceration	1	1	0	0	0
Burn	1	1	0	0	0
Fracture/Break	1	1	0	0	0
Illness- Other (COVID)	3	3	0	0	0
Injury- Other	1	0	0	1	0
Strain/Sprain	3	1	0	0	2
Total	10	7	0	1	2

PUBLIC AFFAIRS OFFICE

Social Media

- Instagram Posts - 28
- Facebook Posts - 27
- Twitter Posts - 8
- Scene Responses - 8

Digital Media

- Work with Academy on Media room
- Drone Program

Meetings

- Public Safety Communications
- NFPA CRR
- GoSafe QR Code
- CNM Interns for Fleet
- Mental Health Committee
- American Lung Fight for Air Climb

Color Guard 2

- Funeral for Retired Hobbs FF
- Funeral for NASA FF

News Events

- Public Health Order Press conference
- Mayor Fire Prevention Videos
- Division of the year

Recruitment

- Hand Shake virtual college postings
- Written and Pack test for 97th Cadet Class
- CEC EMT B Visits
- Glendale Community College in person Presentation.

COVID -19

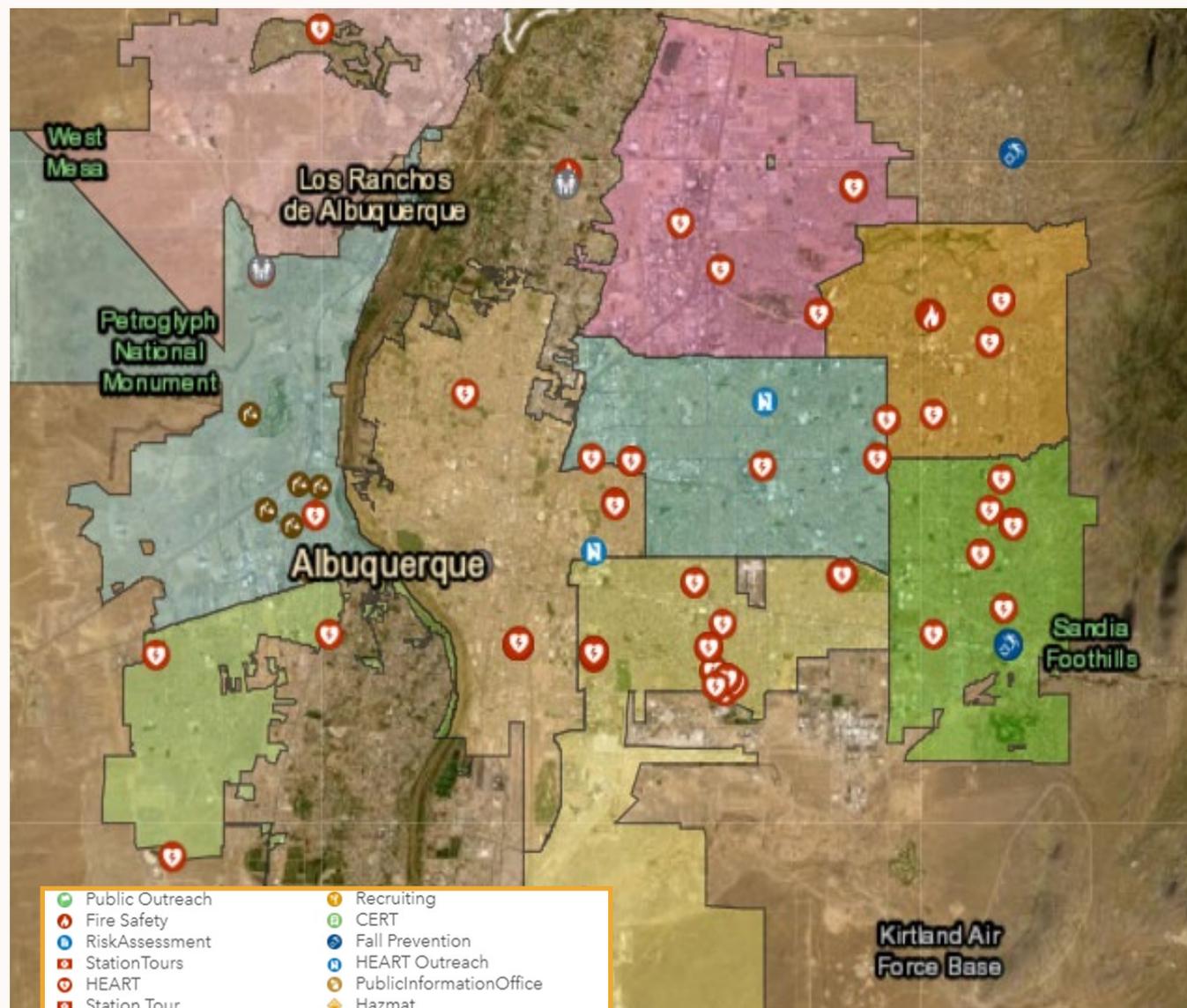
- Provided PPE to local small businesses
- Assisted with Vaccine
- Contact Tracing QR Form

Community Risk Reduction

- 1 Risk Assessment -Taylor Ranch Library
- 5 Assessment debriefs completed
- First Due Contributions
- Risk Assessment information template submitted for review
- Emergency Preparedness Annex proposal submitted for review
- U.S Secret Service presentation – Averting targeted school violence
- Safe Haven demonstration - riot and ballistic resistant materials

CORA Outreach

- NE- 1 , SE- 1



TRAINING & COMMUNICATIONS**TECH SERVICES DIVISION**

- After 1.5 years of work, Tech Services along with DTI, have completed the VOIP Phone Project at all stations. The numbers to each station will now be 767-5401 through 767-5422. A memo will be sent out in April along with an updated phone list.
- Tech Services refreshed the PCs at Logistics and set up 3 new work stations for new employees.
- Tech Services assisted with the set-up of 2021 Station Bids and served as an administrator for the bid process.
- Tech Services will be wrapping up the refresh of station computers. Station 7, 15, and 20 will be upgraded in April.
- Tech Services made Zetron and CAD changes for the relocation of several units as well as the relocation and set-up of all computer and phone equipment.
- Tech Services picked-up all of the new Motorola portable radios. We will be getting them ready to distribute in the first couple of weeks of April.

ALARM ROOM

- 8,866 priority responses created March 1, 2021 – March 31, 2021
- 16,210 total incoming calls process by Alarm for the month
- 8709 emergency calls received
- 7501 non-emergency calls
- 911 calls answered in average of 5 seconds.
- AFR Dispatch Center has been pre-screening 911 calls for Coronavirus since March 2020.
- Captain Marrufo posting Daily COVID-19 Flagged Addresses in Target Solutions.
- Portable radio training produced and waiting for radio distribution.
- Worked on EMD state re-licensure for a few individuals.

TRAINING & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- Cadet and Probationary Programs – Currently 47 FF 2/C assigned to the Field
 - * 95th Cadet Class
 - 30 members currently on probation
 - Began 11th month process late march
 - * 96th Cadet
 - 17 FF 2/C's currently assigned to the field on probation
 - * 97th Cadet Class
 - 114 in town individuals passed written exam. 81% pass rate
 - 110 passed Pack Test and moving on to interviews
 - 24 out of town individuals will take written test early April
 - Cadet Orientation June 8, 2021
 - Start Date August 2, 2021
 - EMT students graduate December 3rd
 - Non-EMT to graduate late January 2022
- Suppression Refresher

- * Began March 1, 2021
- * Positive feedback
- * Finishes mid-April
- Professional Development/Facility Usage
 - * Driver Certification March 8-19
 - * Instructor I March 8-12
 - * Cadet written exam March 15-19
 - * Captain Certification March 22-26
 - * EMS
- EMS
 - * CE's/Re-licensure
 - Completed new CE schedule
 - Recorded Sepsis for EMS Providers with Dr. Jon Femling
 - Recorded Rattle Snake Bites and Antivenom with Dr. Danielle Mascarenas
 - Recorded COVID Lecture with Dr. Meghan Brett
 - Recognized Peggy Ann with NM Health for her continued assistance with licensing
 - Lt. John McGee recognized as inaugural Firefighter of the Year by American Lung Association and AT&T
 - * Paramedic School
 - All three UNM students are doing well and nearing home stretch for classroom
 - Six CNM Students are doing well
 - * EMT-B School
 - All students completed licensing and are utilizing their skills

OPERATIONS

All AFR members assigned to field operations participated in the annual shift bid. The shift bid is an opportunity for members to choose station assignments. The bid also gives the Operations Division the opportunity to ensure all of the specialty stations; HazMat, Wildland, and HTR are fully staffed with trained individuals.

The following changes have recently been implemented:

- HazMat has moved from Station 4 to 17.
- Wildland has moved from Station 17 to Station 7.
- Battalion Chief 4 has moved from Station 17 to Station 18.
- Ladder 4 has moved from Station 4 to Station 7.

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WILDLAND

The Wildland Division has been working diligently to get ready for the 2021 fire season. The 2021 NMSF RMP agreements have been approved with an 18% increase to equipment rates. For those individuals that will be deploying on wildfire assignments this year, New Mexico State Fire is in the process of standardizing their billing documentation, the templates will be uploaded to SharePoint once the documents are made available. AFR and the surrounding agencies are finalizing the 2021 Open Space Patrol Plan, it will be available in SharePoint when completed.



The fire forecast for this season is anticipated to be extremely busy due to a very dry winter and minimal snow pack. AFR has already responded to multiple wildfires within our jurisdiction this year.

For those individuals that are currently assigned to a wildland station but need further training, the WLD division will be issuing assignments via Target Solutions. We will also be conducting some “in the seat” training in the near future, so please keep up-to-date on SharePoint and your emails.

The AFR Wildland Division would like to congratulate the following individuals on their successful completions of S-230 Crew Boss, and S-231 Engine Boss courses: **Lieutenant Juan Carrillo, Lieutenant Sihu Suhr, Driver Justin Moore, Driver Tyler Adams**

HAZMAT

All AFR members have been assigned their first block of Hazardous Materials Operations level quarterly training. AFR members are required to complete eight hours of continuing education specific to hazardous materials response each year.

The AFR HazMat Coordinator attended an Interoperability meeting with NM State DOH and BCFD Commander Mark McConnell. Commander McConnell will be managing the Bernalillo County Fire Department HazMat program. AFR looks forward to future interoperability training and response with our mutual aid partners.

The AFR HazMat program received a new HazSim Pro monitor. The HazSim is a

state-of-the-art training tool that simulates chemical and radioactive environments. This tool can be used for HazMat, Urban Search and Rescue, and Confined Space Training and will be a great asset to the HazMat program.

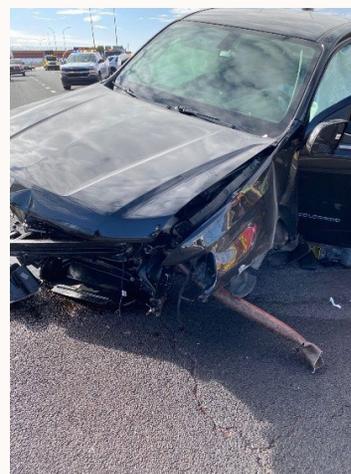
HTR

AFR crews have responded to several vehicle collisions that resulted in occupant extrications. AFR crews have been able to apply recent training techniques to safely and effectively conduct the extrications. Keep up the good work AFR!

AFR, APD, and New Mexico Search and Rescue rescued two fallen hikers in the Sandias near the top of the Tram. The Sandia Peak Tramway supported the rapid response which allowed AFR and APD to access the hikers. Once at the top, rescuers rappelled down to the patients in order to secure them before they fell any further. Rescuers located one patient who was precariously hanging from a backpack that was stuck on a tree, his backpack was the only thing that kept him from falling off of a 400' cliff. Additional rescue resources from Albuquerque Mountain Rescue and NMSAR assisted with the 170' extraction. Both hikers were assessed for injuries and hypothermia, fortunately, they both walked away uninjured.

AFR recently trained with City Transit on their new all-electric fleet. Heavy Technical Rescue members were able to tour the new buses. City Transit maintenance and safety was able to walk crews through the mechanics of lifting and securing these new buses. It is imperative that AFR stays up-to-date on the recent advances in electric vehicles and the dangers associated with these vehicles, particularly during a crash.

The Airboat program recently assisted New Mexico Game and Fish. Several large animals were found deceased in the river, AFR assisted with locating, documenting, and tracking the animals.



EMERGENCY SERVICES**RECORDS MANAGEMENT**

- Assisted with COVID-19 vaccinations and medical monitoring at several different sites.
- Created fields to capture Benchmark Times of structure fire incidents (All Clear, Fire Under control, and Loss Stopped). These new data points will allow us to more accurately demonstrate the efficacy of our crews on fire incidents.
- Created a new panel for providers to document Behavioral Severity Index (BSI) on call requiring chemical restraint. This new assessment tool will help ensure our patients experiencing behavioral health crisis are identified and medically treated in a safe and ethical manner.
- Assisted in Teaching the Capt. Certification Class.
- Continuing to trend data revolving around Naloxone administration, overdoses, and EMS death response.
- Assisting Safety Officer with processing COVID-19 exposures.
- Tracking EMS COVID-19 Data for the EOC.
- Contributed AFR's monthly data to the New Mexico Systems of Care STEMI Program.
- Contributed AFR's monthly NFIRS response data to the State.
- Contributed AFR's monthly response data to NMSTARS.
- Fire Cares- No Issues.

HEART

- HEART has started a partnership with the New Mexico Department of Health for its Harm Reduction Program. This partnership will assist HEART with identifying people struggling with substance use, abuse, and overdose. In the Harm Reduction Program, clients will receive assistance from the HEART Certified Peer Support Workers (CPSW) who are recovery specialists who have made the journey from illness to wellness. The CPSWs create a linkage to treatment and connections to community resources.
- HEART has seen a continued increase in the Uber Health ride-share program, Rides with HEART. The rides are provided cost free through the Older Americans Act Program, and are provided to individuals over the age of 50 years old. In the month of March, the ride usage more than doubled. Using Rides with HEART, HEART has been able to assist multiple people with getting their COVID vaccination.
- The HEART providers continued their work in all other aspects of the division; Repeat Patient Program, Fall Reduction, Home Modification, assisted with COVID Vaccinations, and they are preparing for the start of the new Stoke Discharge Program "HEART BEATS." HEART BEATS will be in operation in April.
- Wrigley, Albuquerque Fire Rescue's Crisis Response Canine, had her first salon appointment, courtesy of Arfin' Annie's Pet Salon.

PHARMACY

- I Gel purchasing is in process for a July role out.
- New EMS bags purchases have started to replenish old bags when damaged.
- Cyano kits on national back order (one in back stock).

QUALITY ASSURANCE

- Provided monthly training for the field
- Assisted with interviews for 2021 QA Cadre. The cadre includes the following:
 - * A Shift
 - QA Captain Robert LaPrise
 - Lt. Charles Dimas
 - Lt. Doug Hearon
 - Lt. Oswald Steward
 - Captain Andrew West
 - * B Shift
 - QA Captain Clinton Anderson
 - Lt. AJ Breen
 - Lt. Ryan Irizarry
 - Captain Donovan Jacks
 - Lt. Christian Mee
 - Lt. Brent Rohrig
 - * C Shift
 - QA Captain Kevin Ferando
 - Captain Dominic Archibeque
 - Captain Kat Basile
 - Captain Max Heyman
 - Lt. Jesse Murphy
 - Captain Ryan Perry
 - Lt. Jeffrey Ruscetti
 - * Support
 - Lt. Mitch Avey
 - Lt. Bryan Breeswine
 - BC Chris Ortiz
 - Captain Stephany Perea
 - Lt. Justin Spain
 - Lt. Sergio Tovar

PLANNING & LOGISTICS**New Apparatus**

- Ladder 9 ordered-Pierce- expected Fall 2021
- HUD E19 and one other Pumper- Ferrara Ordered Expected 5/2021
- HUD R11- Braun- Inspected and will deliver 4/5/21
- R21 Rescue remount- Inspected and will deliver 4/5/21
- Brush 16 Ordered- Ferrara. Expected 6/2021
- Squad 1 Ordered- Ferrara. Expected late summer 2021
- 3 civic sedans placed in service
- 6 fleet/CIP F-250 service trucks ordered 6/2021
- 2 rescue remounts ordered-Braun11/2021
- 2 new rescues ordered- Braun 11/2021
- 2 Additional F-150 Battalions ordered 6/2021

Fleet Maintenance

- Check-It Tickets for March 2021
 - * Open 257
 - * Closed 219
- Work Order Turnaround Report:
 - * 107 (55% being closed within 24 hrs.)
- PM Compliance Report:
 - * 45 PM's Completed
- After Hours Call-Outs:
 - * 3 (1 repaired, 2 spared out)

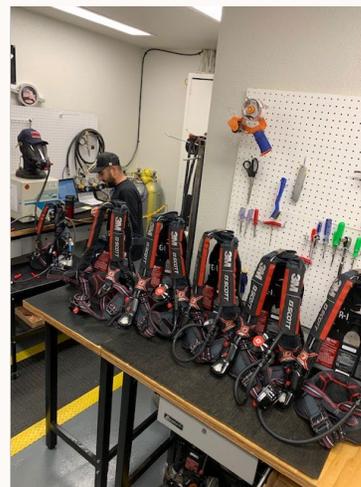
Logistics

- Tickets/Requests Submitted
 - * Total submitted 191
 - * Resolved 175
 - * Pending 16
- Bunker Gear Laundering
 - * Total number of sets laundered and returned 47
 - * Primary sets turned in for laundering 27
 - * Secondary sets laundered and restocked 20
 - * Flash hoods laundered 63
 - * Sets of gear repaired (primary and secondary) and returned 17
 - * Sets of gear still out pending repairs 2
- General Information
 - * Logistics Accounting Assistant hired (civilian), started March 29th.
 - * PPE laundering facility proposal submitted to Fire Chief Dow
 - * New chainsaws, K12's and PPV's ordered for all frontline ladders
 - * Logistics warehouse and office space remodels completed
 - * One staff member on PEM February 1st to April 23rd.
 - * AFR surplus equipment to local fire departments.
 - * Councilors Jones, Bassan, Harris, Gibson and Pena funding \$38,000.00 for three new TIC's and new SCBA parts/tools.

- * SCBA project underway, all frontline units will be issued new SCBA's in April
- * Bunker gear laundering - our goal is to return it laundered by the following cycle, laundered and repaired. Thank you to all BC's for helping coordinate pick-up.
- * 400+ fabric face coverings issued to field personnel.

Capital Improvement Projects – CIP

- Tickets/Request Submitted 62
 - * Reported to DMD/In Process 18
 - * Resolved 42
 - * Reviewed Requests/Reported/Pending 2
- Projects
 - * Completed office and warehouse remodel at Logistics.
 - * Assisted in all of the station moves for the bids. Moved bunker gear racks from Station 4 to Station 17.
 - * Completed Chief's Conference Room to include new flooring, conference table and chairs.
 - * Inspected and turned on outdoor sprinklers at all stations.
 - * Completed renovation of Fire Station 18 Battalion Chief 4's office to include new flooring, paint and office desk.



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