



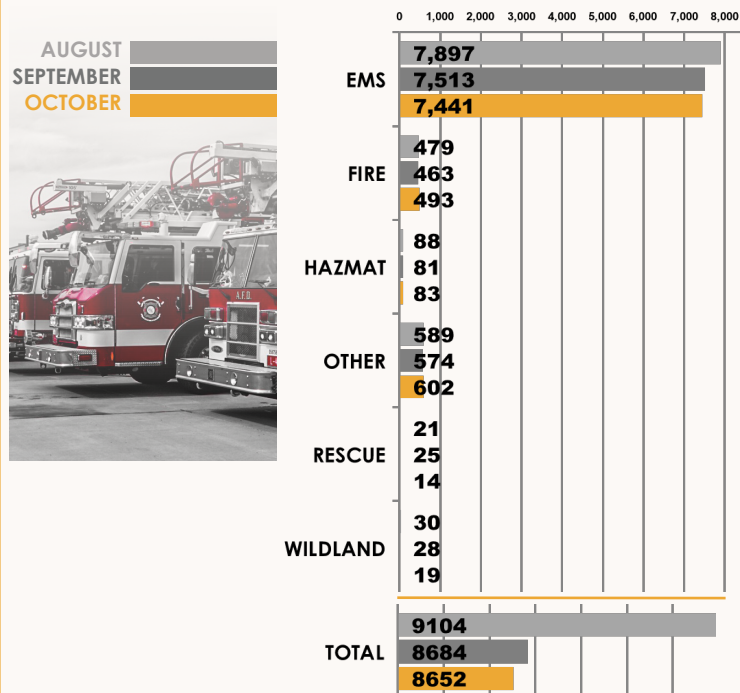
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MONTHLY INFORMATIONAL REPORT

OCTOBER 2021

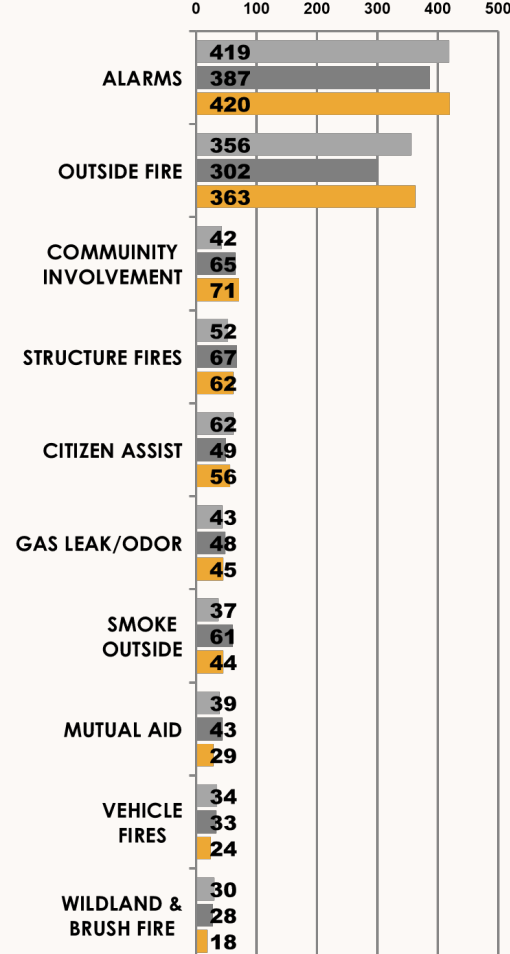
OCTOBER CALLS



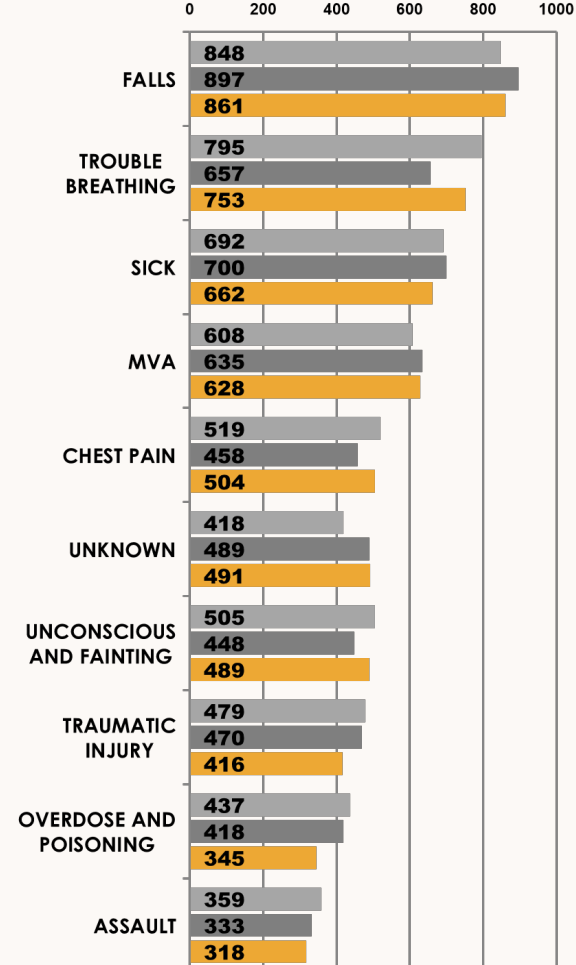
YEAR TO DATE CALLS

EMS	70,334
FIRE	4,906
HAZMAT	735
OTHER	5,687
RESCUE	191
WILDLAND	343
TOTAL	82,196

TOP 10 NON-MEDICAL CALLS



TOP 10 MEDICAL CALLS



AFR TRANSPORTS 2021



REASON FOR TRANSPORT SEPT YTD

AAS DELAYED	134	837
COA ON DUTY	2	50
COA OFF DUTY	1	3
PED BEHAVIORAL HEALTH	8	75
SPOUSE/CHILD OF AFR MEMBER	1	14
AFR RETIREE/SPOUSE	1	7
BARIATRIC	0	5
TOTAL	147	991

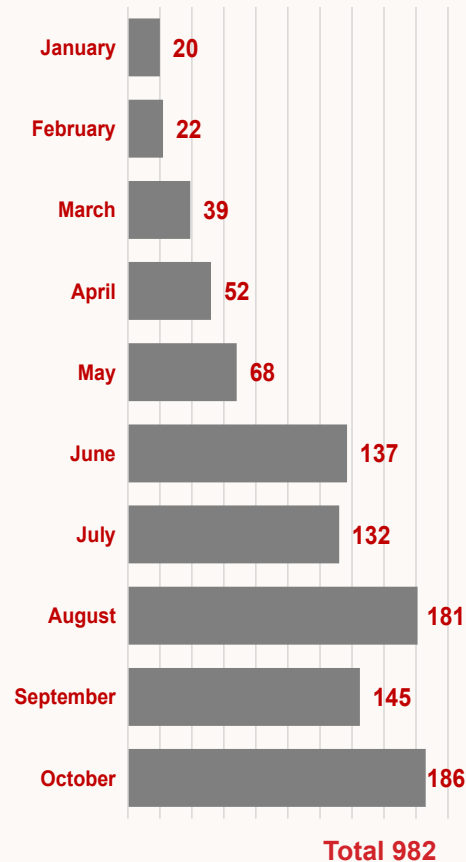


OCTOBER UNIT TRANSPORTS

YTD

YTD BY MONTH

R5	18	R11	92
R9	15	R5	89
R4	13	R16	68
R16	12	R4	62
R3	11	R9	61
R12	11	R12	59
R13	10	R13	57
R8	10	R7	55
R11	10	R14	48
R15	9	R22	43
R1	9	R8	39
R7	8	R3	38
R19	8	R21	38
R21	7	R1	38
R17	7	R2	38
R6	7	R19	37
R14	6	R15	32
R2	6	R17	27
R18	4	R18	23
R20	3	R20	21
R22	2	R6	19
Total	186	Total	982

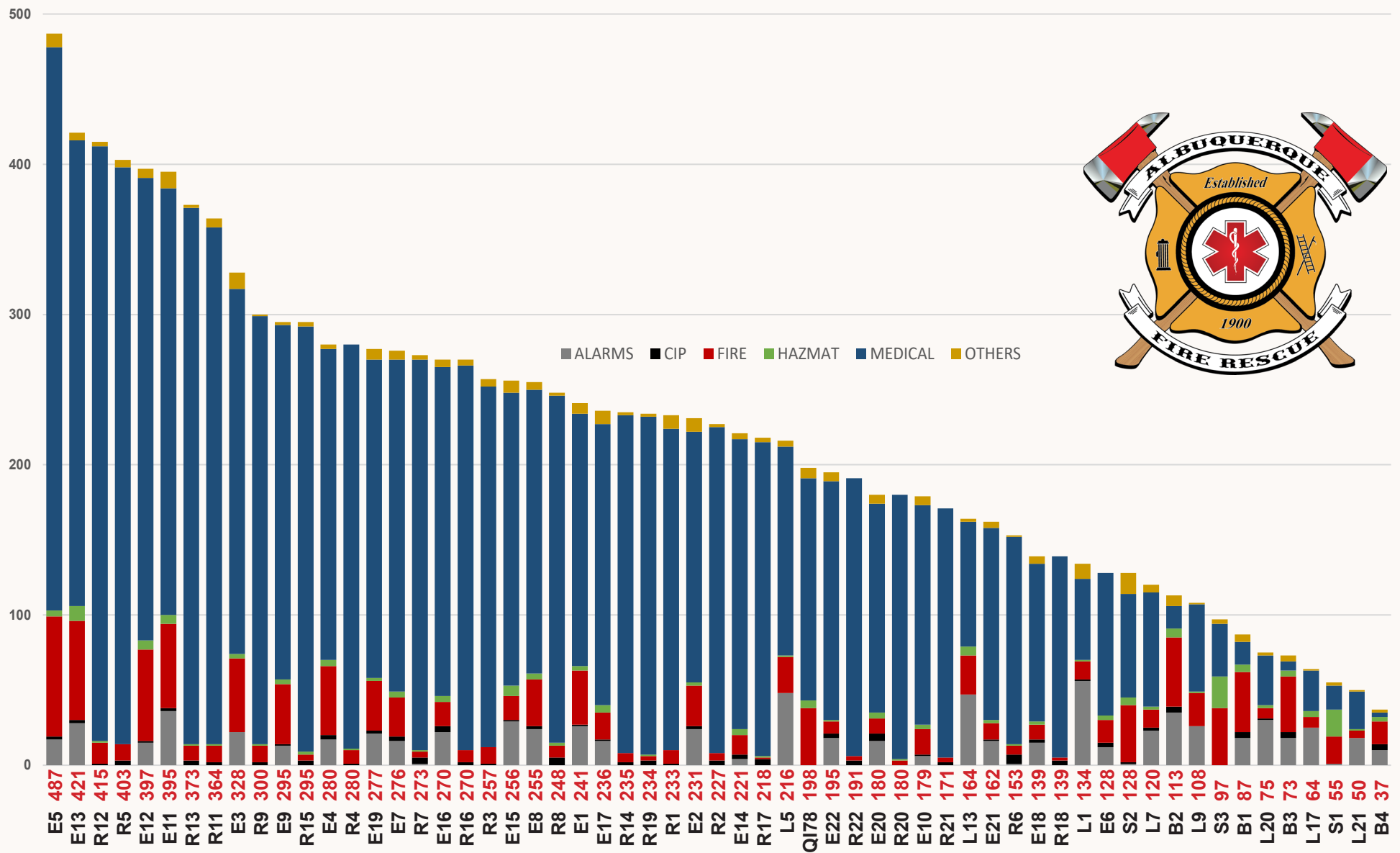


EMS STATISTICS

MEDICAL RESPONSE BY CODE

CARDIAC ARREST WITH CPR	61	ECHO	126
ROSC PRIOR TO TRANSPORT	10	DELTA	1,497
LUCAS DEVICE USED	50	CHARLIE	1,717
IO ACCESS	60	BRAVO	1,926
LMA	56	ALPHA	2,000
INTUBATIONS	8	OMEGA	134
CPAP ADMINISTERED	17	TOTAL	7,400
IV	582		





AFR UNIT RESPONSES

ALBUQUERQUE FIRE RESCUE UNIT RESPONSES

OCTOBER 2021

OCTOBER

	ALARMS	CIP	FIRE	HAZMAT	MEDICAL	OTHERS	TOTAL
E5	17	2	80	4	375	9	487
E13	28	2	66	10	310	5	421
R12	0	1	14	1	396	3	415
R5	0	3	11	0	384	5	403
E12	15	1	61	6	308	6	397
E11	36	2	56	6	284	11	395
R13	0	3	10	1	357	2	373
R11	0	2	11	1	344	6	364
E3	22	0	49	3	243	11	328
R9	0	2	11	1	285	1	300
E9	13	1	40	3	236	2	295
R15	0	3	4	2	283	3	295
E4	17	3	46	4	207	3	280
R4	0	1	9	1	269	0	280
E19	21	2	33	2	212	7	277
E7	16	3	26	4	221	6	276
R7	1	4	4	1	260	3	273
E16	22	4	16	4	219	5	270
R16	0	2	8	0	256	4	270
R3	0	1	11	0	240	5	257
E15	29	1	16	7	195	8	256
E8	24	2	31	4	189	5	255
R8	0	5	8	2	231	2	248
E1	26	1	36	3	168	7	241
E17	16	1	18	5	187	9	236
R14	0	2	6	0	225	2	235
R19	0	3	3	1	225	2	234
R1	0	1	9	0	214	9	233
E2	24	2	27	2	167	9	231
R2	0	3	5	0	217	2	227
E14	4	3	13	4	193	4	221
R17	0	4	1	1	209	3	218

	ALARMS	CIP	FIRE	HAZMAT	MEDICAL	OTHERS	TOTAL
L5	48	0	24	1	139	4	216
QI78	0	0	38	5	148	7	198
E22	18	3	8	1	159	6	195
R22	0	3	3	0	185	0	191
E20	16	5	10	4	139	6	180
R20	0	0	3	1	176	0	180
E10	6	1	17	3	146	6	179
R21	0	2	3	0	166	0	171
L13	47	0	26	6	83	2	164
E21	16	1	11	2	128	4	162
R6	1	6	6	1	138	1	153
E18	15	2	10	2	105	5	139
R18	0	3	2	0	134	0	139
L1	56	1	12	1	54	10	134
E6	12	3	15	3	95	0	128
S2	1	1	38	5	69	14	128
L7	23	2	12	2	76	5	120
B2	35	4	46	6	15	7	113
L9	26	0	22	1	58	1	108
S3	0	0	38	21	35	3	97
B1	18	4	40	5	15	5	87
L20	30	1	7	2	33	2	75
B3	18	4	37	4	6	4	73
L17	25	0	7	4	27	1	64
S1	1	0	18	18	16	2	55
L21	18	0	5	1	25	1	50
B4	10	4	15	3	3	2	37
Total	772	120	1,212	189	10,544	259	13,096

ALBUQUERQUE FIRE RESCUE UNIT RESPONSES

OCTOBER 2021

YEAR TO DATE UNIT RESPONSES

E5	4,609	R1	2,095
R5	4,185	QI78	2,011
E12	3,974	L5	1,997
E11	3,816	R22	1,851
R12	3,802	E22	1,776
R11	3,704	E20	1,689
E13	3,663	E10	1,603
R13	3,463	R20	1,583
R9	2,888	L13	1,507
E9	2,825	R21	1,450
E7	2,805	R18	1,424
R7	2,779	E21	1,414
E3	2,771	E18	1,399
E4	2,740	L1	1,279
R15	2,650	R6	1,256
E15	2,625	S2	1,236
E1	2,545	E6	1,157
R3	2,538	L9	1,143
R4	2,535	B1	1,085
E19	2,494	B2	1,055
E16	2,466	S3	1,014
R16	2,413	L17	757
E8	2,387	L7	741
R14	2,372	B3	657
R8	2,349	L20	637
R19	2,340	S1	540
E14	2,259	L21	491
E17	2,259	B4	434
E2	2,231	L4	198
R17	2,181	Total	124,606
R2	2,178		

PARTNERING DEPARTMENT/AGENCY RESPONSES

911 calls that do not require AFR services are dispatched to the following agencies in an effort to send the appropriate resources to each call for better patient care and ensure AFR crews are available for true emergency responses.

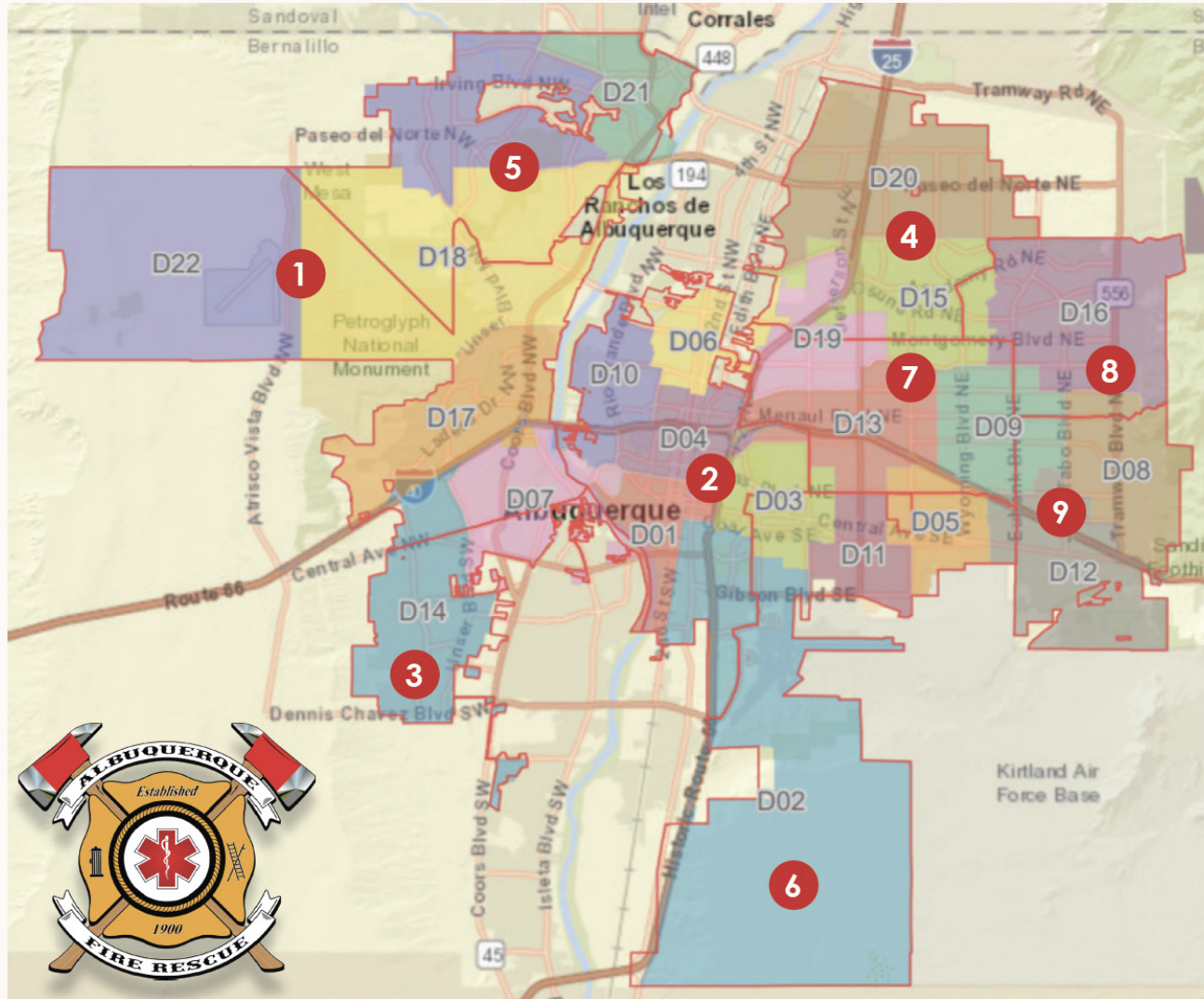
AGENCY	OCT	YTD
CABQ COMMUNITY SAFETY	313	526
CABQ CITY SECURITY	95	1,656
ABQ AMBULANCE SERVICE	1,126	11,432
TOTAL	1,534	13,614

The Commission on Fire Accreditation International (CFAI) identifies 3,850 annual calls for a single fire apparatus as the 110% threshold value and indicates immediate need for additional resource support.

AFR UNITS ABOVE 110% CFAI THRESHOLD

	2020		2021 YTD
E5	5,089	E5	4,609
E11	4,620	R5	4,185
R5	4,546	E12	3,974
E12	4,378		
R11	4,253		
R12	4,096		





AFR RESPONSES BY COUNCILOR DISTRICT

CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT	OCT	YTD
FIRE STATION DISTRICTS		
1. LAN SENA STATIONS 7,14,17,18,22	658	7,678
2. ISAAC BENTON STATIONS 1,2,3,4,6,7,10,13	1,173	13,440
3. KLARISSA J PEÑA STATIONS 7,14	305	3,646
4. BROOK BASSAN STATIONS 6,15,19,20	612	6,126
5. CYNTHIA D BORREGO PRESIDENT STATIONS 18,21,22	413	4,596
6. PAT DAVIS STATIONS 2,3,5,11,12	1,271	14,096
7. DIANE G GIBSON VICE-PRESIDENT STATIONS 5,6,9,13,15,16,19	1,046	11,391
8. TRUDY E JONES STATIONS 8,9,15,16	432	5,011
9. DON HARRIS STATIONS 8,9,12	761	8,538
TOTAL	6,631	74,522

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

10/2 - Commercial Fire: At approximately 9:40 a.m., AFR was dispatched to a single story commercial structure fire at 6416 Central Ave SE in fire district 5. Rescue 11 and Engine 11 arrived first to find smoke coming out of the ceiling vents of the structure. Crews used an offensive strategy with a quick attack through the charlie side of the building for extinguishment and overhaul. The structure was abandoned at the time.

10/7 - Commercial Fire: AFR crews responded to 10022 Coors Blvd NW in fire district 21 at the Pelicans restaurant for reports of a fire. E21 arrived on scene to find smoke showing. AFR crews made an aggressive interior attack and extinguished the fire before it spread to the rest of the restaurant and the Outback Steakhouse which is a connected business.

10/9 - Commercial Fire: At approximately 2:30 pm, 13 AFR units responded to 6418 central Ave NE in fire district 5 for reports of a fire. Units arrived on scene to a boarded up structure that had been illegally accessed. The structure was substandard and AFR units aggressively stopped fire from spreading without incident.

10/10 - Residential Fire: AFR responded to the address of 6604 Baker Ave NE in fire district 15 for reports of smoke. AFR units arrived on scene to a working fire with heavy smoke showing from the back side of the structure. AFR command made a strategic decision and went defensive from the outside of the structure. No civilians were injured, however there was a minor injury to a firefighter.

10/13 - Residential Fire: AFR units responded to a fully involved shed fire on 7903 Prospect NE in fire district 9. Upon arrival Engine 13 found a detached garage on fire and began a quick attack. Additional units assisted to complete suppression. A total of 6 apparatus responded and no injuries were reported.

10/17 - Apartment Fire: AFR crews responded to a structure fire at 1024 Alvarado SE in fire district 11. AFR crews quickly jumped into action and extinguished a fully involved apartment. AFR crews rescued 1 civilian and 2 dogs. The civilian was transported to the local hospital.

10/23 - Apartment Fire: AFR crews were dispatched to a fire located at 508 Texas St. NE in fire district 5. First arriving units were Rescue 12 and Engine 13. Upon arrival they found smoke and flames coming from the front of the triplex. All occupants had already self evacuated. Crews had the fire under control and extinguished not long after arrival. The Red Cross offered their services however the two families that were displaced found their own temporary housing.

10/25 - Apartment Fire: AFR crews were dispatched to 3200 Wyoming Blvd NE in fire district 9 with reports of an apartment fire. Rescue 9 and Engine 13 arrived to find smoke and flames coming from an apartment. The fire was confined to one apartment and was quickly extinguished. Up to six families are going to be displaced however and the management company provided other apartments for the families. Unfortunately two canines were found deceased.

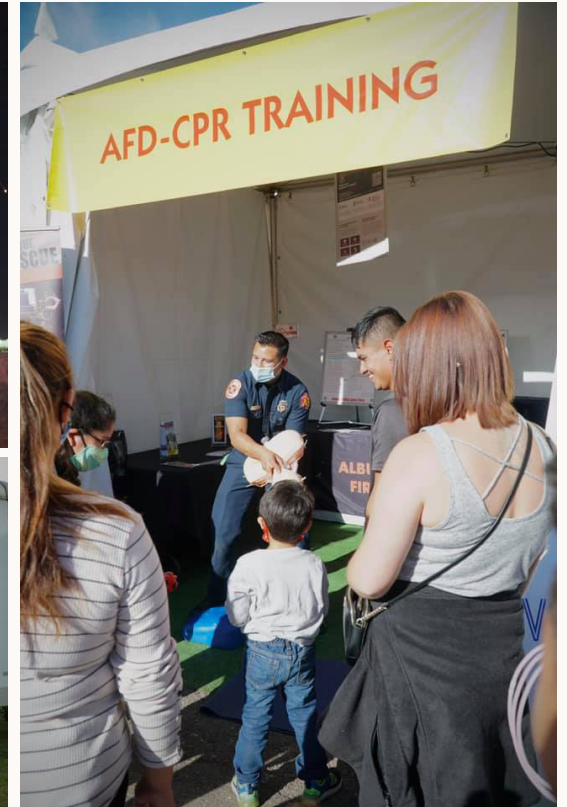
10/27 - Residential Fire: At approximately 4 pm, Engine 5 was returning to the fire station when the crew was flagged down by a member of the public who directed them to a burning abandon structure located at 141 Wyoming NE in fire district 5. Engine 5 arrived on scene to find smoke and flames coming from the commercial structure. Firefighters quickly went into action and called for a full dispatch of additional resources. Swift efforts of the firefighters had the flames under control within minutes. A search was conducted and there were no occupants in the abandon structure at the time of the fire. The building was built with block construction so it is unknown if it was a total loss, however it did spread through the majority of the structure. There were no injuries reported.

10/31 - Residential Fire: Shortly before 9 pm AFR crews responded to a single story residential home located at 6337 Harper Dr. NE in fire district 15. Engine 15 was first on scene to find smoke coming from the attic area of the home. The occupants had evacuated when the crews got on scene. The occupants also had a dog which they were able to get out of the home safely. Swift efforts of firefighters quickly gained access to the home and realized the homeowners had a fire in the fireplace and it traveled into the attic space where it caught it on fire. Firefighters had the fire under control and extinguished within about 10 minutes after entering the home. There were no injuries to firefighters or civilians.

1. AFR, APD, and Albuquerque Area Firefighters IAFF Local 244 concluded our successful Childhood Cancer Awareness campaign with a check presentation to the UNM Pediatric Hematology and Oncology Program for over \$3600 with funds raised during the month of September! Thank you to everyone who supported this campaign!
2. Running one man short, the Albuquerque Fire Rescue Combat Team secured a gold medal finish in their category at the 30th Nationals of the Scott Firefighter Combat Challenge. They ran a 1:25 relay in the final to secure the victory and advance to Worlds early November in Florida. The team would like to thank all the supporters and sponsors, particularly Interim Fire Chief Gene Gallegos and Retired Fire Chief Paul Dow who were instrumental in forming the team, as well as IAFF Local 244, for their generosity.
3. All of Station 20 personnel joined APD and BCFD to help cheer on children from Dennis Chavez Elementary for their annual Jog-A-Thon that helps raise money for the school.
4. PAO Captain Martin Salazar participated in an event to help kick off the 2021 United Way campaign along with other City of Albuquerque departments at City Hall and set up a table with prizes and information about AFR.
5. AFR took delivery of Rescue 15, Rescue 20 and Ladder 9 (2021 Pierce Velocity 105 HD) this month and conducted traditional push-in ceremonies at each of the stations.



The 2021 Albuquerque International Balloon Fiesta was back and a big success! AFR members worked diligently day and night to do our part with public safety including tent/fire inspections, EMS and fire suppression standby in Propane Alley as well as the fireworks displays. This event gives our department an opportunity to showcase our professionalism and expertise to visitors from all over the world. Thank you to everyone that had a part in this and for demonstrating what a first class fire department looks like!





AFR would like to congratulate **Paramedic Driver Matt Quintana** on his retirement after proudly serving the community for 23 years. Matt began his AFR career in 2005 as a member of the 70th Cadet Class. Prior to joining AFR Matt served with the Los Alamos Fire Department for 7 years. While with LAFD Matt was a key contributor to the Swift Water Rescue Team, Urban Search and Rescue and Vehicle Extrication. During the Cerro Grande Fire in 2000 Matt played a crucial role in protecting the community during and after the fire. Matt has a Bachelors Degree of Wildlife Biology and minor in Fishery Sciences from NM State University. Early in his AFR career Matt was assigned to Station 6. After floating for 3 years, Matt was promoted to the rank of Driver in 2007. Matt was then assigned to Rescue 9 and served the NE Heights for 7 years. Matt was then assigned to Rescue 6 in Albuquerque's North Valley where he will complete his career with 23 years of dedication to the fire service and the community. Known for his outstanding paramedic skills, uplifting personality at the firehouse and fantastic cooking, Matt will be truly missed by his peers. Thank you Paramedic Driver Matt Quintana for your dedication to the community and the department. Congratulations on your retirement and good luck with your future endeavors.



AFR would like to congratulate **Battalion Chief Justin Staley** on his retirement after proudly serving the department and his community for 21 years. Justin began his career in August of 2000 as a member of the 61st Cadet Class and has an Associates Degree of Fire Science from CNM. Early in his career Justin was assigned at Engine 3. After being promoted to the rank of Driver in 2004 Justin was assigned to Drive Engine 3 and later at Squad 2 for 2 years. In 2007 Justin was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant and was assigned to the Training Academy as a Cadet Instructor. Justin then was assigned to Engine 19 for 3 years then over to Engine 2 for one year. In December of 2011 Justin was promoted to the rank of Captain and spent the next 6 years as the Captain of Station 2. In 2018 Justin was promoted to the rank Battalion Chief and has been assigned as the Special Operations Chief. In his assigned position BC, Staley oversaw the HTR, Haz-Mat and Wildland Divisions. He managed the Field Operations Center, served as the Emergency Management Liaison, and the Special Event Coordinator which oversees the Balloon Fiesta and Summer Fest events. Justin has been a proud member of the AFR Color Guard for several years as well as a contributing member of the IAFF Local 244 Union Executive Board. Justin was instrumental in the Professional Development Program of AFR as well as an instructor of the "Blue Card" Certification for Incident Command. Throughout his career Justin has been completely committed to helping our department grow and was key in the success of what is now one of the best Fire Departments in the country. Justin's integrity, commitment and duty to serve will be missed by all that had the honor and privilege of working with him. Thank you Battalion Chief Justin Staley for your commitment to the community and the department. Congratulations on your retirement, good luck in your future endeavors.



FIRE MARSHAL'S OFFICE

FIRE INSPECTIONS

- The many months, weeks, and days of preparation leading up to the 49th Albuquerque International Balloon Fiesta ended with a super successful event. The Fire Marshal's Office had personnel assigned to every session to help ensure a safe event. This year's addition of 9 gas mines, steel tubes filled with gasoline which were ignited at each fireworks display, were a huge success. There have been multiple meetings following the event to brainstorm and make sure next years 50th is even better.
- With the ever-growing movie industry and the need to have Fire Safety Officers (FSO) on set during all special effects and pyrotechnics, FMO has been busy. We recently assigned 12 personnel in two shifts to cover a 25+ hour stand-by for a bar scene that had multiple Molotov cocktails igniting walls in different areas throughout the set. Another special effect requiring FSO's was in North Albuquerque Acres where a vehicle was blown up during a movie shoot. In addition to all the special effects within the city, our office is also being utilized to cover most of the movie shoots throughout the county to assist BCFD.
- FMO conducted a few full-scale evacuations including Bernalillo County's new building and City Hall. These evacuations were the culmination of Fire Warden training which include wardens for each floor, division, and the entire building.

FMO STATISTICS	OCT	YTD
INSPECTIONS	585	5,574
TENT PERMITS	9	170
SPECIAL EVENTS APPROVED	9	48
SPECIAL DISPENSARY PERMITS	29	199
TANK PULLS	1	N/A
BLASTING STANDBY	4	N/A
MOVIE PYRO STANDBY	6	N/A
FOOD TRUCK INSPECTIONS	22	N/A
FIRST DUE PRE-INCIDENT PLANS	43	313
ADULT FIRE SAFETY CLASSES	6	N/A
FIRE EXTINGUISHER TRAINING	25	21
FALSE ALARM EDUCATION CLASS	26	N/A
# PEOPLE TRAINED IN FIRE EVACUATION	750	1,000
BALLOON FIESTA TENTS	120	N/A



ADAPT

- ADAPT has 76 properties that have been formally brought into the program, 41 have been cleared from the program and 35 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 162 properties on the Unsafe Buildings list, 9 new properties were added to the list. The properties are labeled on the First Due application with a white "X" on a red background.
- The APD Crime Prevention Specialists inspected 10 properties.
- 18 properties cleared ADAPT with an average of 59% reduction in crime.
 - * 6300 Central Ave SE was cleared with a 21% reduction in crime
 - * 1401 Coors Blvd NW was cleared with a 14% reduction in crime
 - * 10315 Central Ave NE was cleared with a 17% reduction in crime
 - * 13401 Lomas Blvd NE was cleared with a 100% reduction in crime
 - * 5311 Quail Rd NW was cleared with a 51% reduction in crime
 - * 5501 Alameda Blvd NE was cleared with an 81% reduction in crime
 - * 10000 De Vargas Rd SW was cleared with a 100% reduction in crime
 - * 6951 San Antonio Dr NE was cleared with a 33% reduction in crime
 - * 2019 Carlisle Blvd NE was cleared with a 100% reduction in crime
 - * 2120 Menaul Blvd NE was cleared with a 31% reduction in crime
 - * 5915 Gibson Blvd SE was cleared with a 100% reduction in crime

ADAPT STAGES	OCT
PRELIMINARY INSPECTIONS	55
IDENTIFICATION	73
NOTIFICATION	2
COMPLIANCE	1
LITIGATION	3
REFERRED	156
MONITORING	19
CLEARED	191
TOTAL	490

ADAPT PROPERTIES	OCT
PROPERTIES IN ADAPT	35
PROPERTIES ADDED 2021	18
PROPERTIES COMPLETING PROGRAM 2021	18
TOTAL # PROPERTIES COMPLETING PROGRAM	41

PLANS CHECKING

- The Albuquerque Fire Rescue Plans Checking Division is currently working alongside the Design Team of the Albuquerque Studios (Netflix). The Netflix Expansion Project will add 170 acres to its existing footprint, and increased capacity, for both local and film production services. The plans include 10 new sound stages, post production services, offices, training facilities and a commissary.
- This month The Plans Checking Division worked closely with multiple small businesses to get them operational post Covid-19. These businesses include Starbucks, McDonalds, Marble brewing and 50/50 Coffee.

PLANS CHECKING STATISTICS	OCT	YTD
TOTAL INSPECTIONS	124	1,028
TOTAL PLANS REVIEWED	238	2,052

**FIRE INVESTIGATIONS DIVISION**

- The Fire Investigations Division attended MOE which is APD's equivalent of refresher. The training that was covered included vehicle pursuits, mental illness, and missing children.
- Investigator Gunderson and Wheezy were requested to assist with the investigation of a mobile home fire in Cuba, NM. During the course of the investigation Wheezy alerted 6 times to accelerants being used. The State's Fire Marshal's Office will be conducting the remainder of the investigation.
- The Fire Investigations Division was recently assigned 3 new SCBA's. Two for the response vehicles and one for the K9 vehicle.

FIRE INVESTIGATIONS	OCT	YTD
COMPLETED INVESTIGATIONS	13	124
NATURAL	0	0
ACCIDENTAL	3	14
UNDETERMINED	4	41
INCENDIARY	6	69
Exceptionally Cleared (CLE)	2 (22.2%)	22 (31.88%)
Youth fire set	0	2
Bosque	0	9
Vacant/Abandoned property	0	5
Injuries	3	7
Fatalities	0	8

HUMAN RESOURCES**SAFETY OFFICE**

- Fire hose, ground ladder and aerial testing was performed at the fire academy. 11 Aerial apparatus tested. 37 Engine apparatus tested - 97,544 ft of hose tested and 4587 ft of ground ladders tested.



SAFETY OFFICE STATS	OCT	YTD
BLOOD DRAWS	0	681
PHYSICALS COMPLETE	12	667
PHYSICAL RESCHEDULES	1	77
NO-SHOWS	0	25
VEHICLE ACCIDENTS	5	49

FIRE FIGHTER INJURIES

YTD NATURE	#	NON-EMERGENCY	EMERGENCY RESPONSE	FIRE SCENE	TRAINING
Bruise/Contusion	5	2	2	0	1
Burn	10	2	1	7	0
Cut/Laceration	7	5	1	1	0
Emotional/Stress	1	1	0	0	0
Fracture/Break	1	1	0	0	0
Hearing Loss	1	1	0	0	0
Illness- Other (COVID)	92	92	0	0	0
Inhalation	1	0	0	0	1
Injury - Other	7	1	4	2	0
Over Exertion	1	0	0	1	0
Particle in Eye	1	0	0	1	0
Sting/Bite	4	0	3	1	0
Strain/Sprain	29	12	9	4	4
Total	160	117	20	17	6

OCTOBER NATURE	#	NON-EMERGENCY	EMERGENCY RESPONSE	FIRE SCENE	TRAINING
Burn	1	0	0	1	0
Illness- Other (COVID)	15	15			
Strain/Sprain	3	2	1	0	0
Total	19	17	1	1	0

HEALTH AND WELLNESS OFFICE

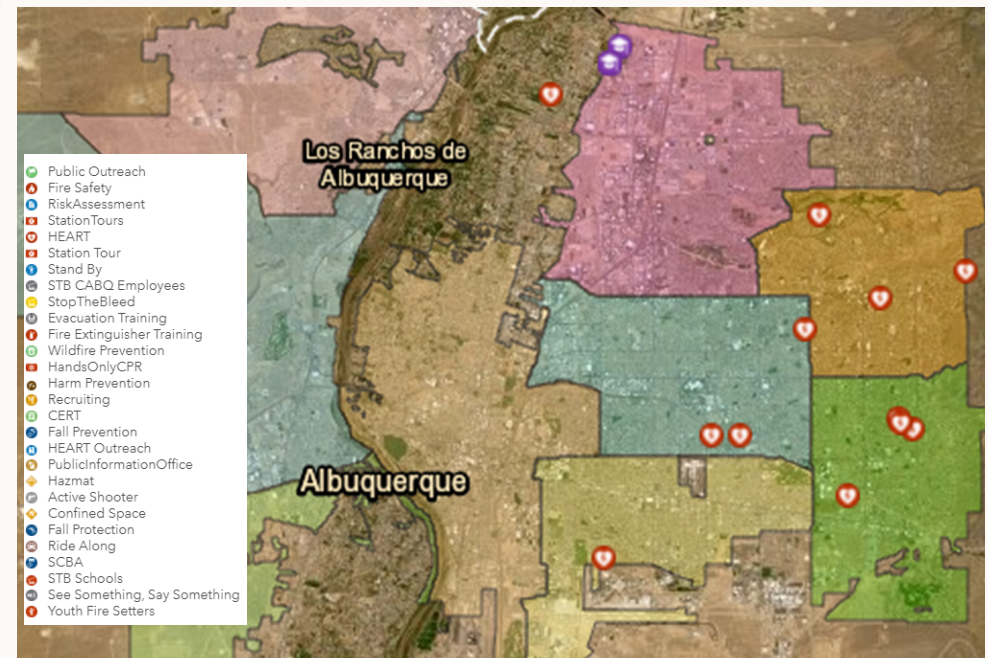
The H&W Office continues its mission to ensure Albuquerque Fire Fighters have valuable and accessible resources to address the health and wellness challenges that present themselves through out a career.

- The Peer Support 4th Quarterly meeting was conducted on October 27th at AFR Administration building, and via zoom. This meeting included an educational component on grief taught by the AFR Behavioral Health Director, Maia Dalton-Theodore. The meeting is to ensure the mission and direction of the team is unified and consistent.
- An educational video was recorded on October 22nd. AFR hosted financial expert Jocelyn Black to discuss financial literacy and wellness topics to benefit AFR members. The video will be edited and distributed through Target Solutions in December.
- A clinical location for the Behavioral Health Director and office was secured at the John Marshall Building located on the first floor at 1500 Walter St SE. This location is off site from the administration building making it more assessable and amenable to the mission of clinical support for the members of AFR. Moving into this office will in November.
- The BH Director and H & W Officer continues to visit stations to introduce the BH director and overview the program to crews. The goal is to visit 2 stations/ divisions a week till the entire membership has had a chance to be introduced and is aware of the benefits available to them.
- Continued to network with surrounding agencies to optimize the delivery of our support systems. Met with Clinical group, and Membership Assistance Program (MAP) contributor, Guardian Wellness and their CEO, Andrea Watts to introduce AFR BH Director and discuss collaboration of future services.

PUBLIC AFFAIRS OFFICE

- Support Fill in - 6
- Digital Media
 - * Ladder 9 Push In
- Meetings
 - * Fight for Air Climb
 - * Public Safety Communications
 - * ARF/APD KRQE Recruitment Presentation
 - * Point Blank Protective Vests
 - * 97th Cadet Graduation
 - * Mental Health Committee
 - * Promotional Process Committee
 - * United Way Department Leaders
 - * SHSGP Grant
 - * CPSE site Visit Interview
- Color Guard- 4
 - * NM United

- News Events
 - * Childhood Cancer Awareness campaign check presentation
 - * Socktober
 - * AFR Combat Challenge Team
 - * Ladder 9 Push In
- Recruitment
 - * Albuquerque International Balloon Fiesta
 - * AZ Public Safety Campus Visits
 - * NM United
 - * Virtual college postings
 - * Weekly Cadet program Videos to SM
 - * CEC EMT B Biweekly Visits
- COVID -19
 - * Provided PPE to local small businesses
- Community Risk Reduction
 - * Hands Only CPR AIBF 1325 Trained
 - * Risk Assessment debriefs
 - * Risk Assessment program updates
 - * First Due contributions
 - * CPSE contributions
- CORA Outreach
 - * Planning



TRAINING & COMMUNICATIONS

ALARM ROOM

- Mach alerting continues to progress and install is beginning
- ACS has been operating for two months and call volume increasing
- 8th dispatcher position slated to begin January 1st 2022.
- Driver Mike Tobin is completing his training and will be manpower within the month of November.
- Completed relicensing of all dispatchers that needed their EMD/EFD licenses.
- 4 new dispatchers in the process of being trained in EMD/EFD
- 911 calls answered in average of 6 seconds

INCOMING CALL CATEGORY	OCT	YTD
EMERGENCY	9,415	91,841
NON-EMERGENCY (INCOMING & OUTGOING)	7,854	75,812
TOTAL PHONE CALLS PROCESSED	17,269	167,653
DISPATCHED CALLS	10,077	94,345

AFR EMERGENCY RESPONSE TOTALS YTD

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2020-2021
Jan	7917	8629	9011	9100	8706	8,390	-316
Feb	15567	16485	17312	17269	16863	16,138	-725
Mar	24084	25290	26240	26464	25075	25,004	-71
Apr	32303	33793	35265	35667	32428	34,321	+1893
May	40997	42681	44749	44805	40660	44,095	+3435
Jun	50132	51648	53769	53997	49200	53,955	+4755
July	61839	62389	64617	63257	58336	64,131	+5795
Aug	71074	71529	73994	72044	67261	74,338	+7,077
Sept	79756	80353	83117	80560	75510	84,268	+8758
Oct	88420	89372	92273	89024	84327	94,345	+10,077
Nov	96536	97862	100894	96958	92827		
Dec	104936	106914	109816	105526	101482		

TECH SERVICES DIVISION

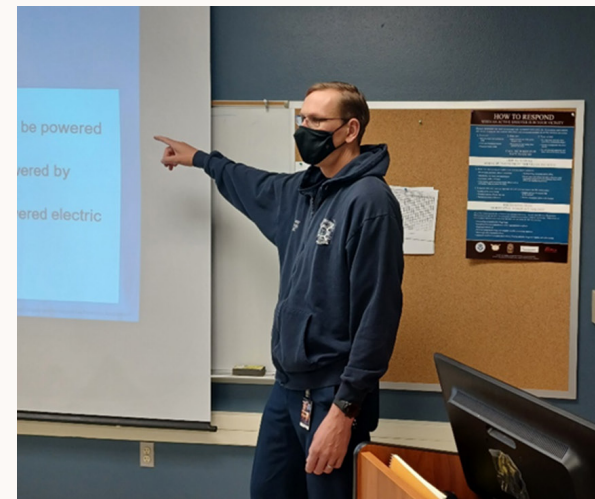
- Mach alerting wiring installations complete in 20 stations
- Traveled to Mach alert to verify the proper operation of the fire station control panels.
- Continued work on the Lexicon text to speech portion of the FSA system.
- New Motorola base station radios have been installed in all 22 stations.
- Premier One/Mach interface continues to progress
- Attended the AIBF Debrief
- Assisting ACS with their MDTs and creation of units within the CAD

TECH SERVICES REQUESTS	OCT	YTD
TICKETS CREATED	50	458
TICKETS CURRENTLY OPEN	6	18
TICKETS CLOSED/RESOLVED	44	440

TRAINING & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT
EMS

Community Training

- Training Division staff has been working with CNM to finalize details of the upcoming EMT-B class. This class will be held at the AFR Academy and will certify 14 members of the 97th cadet class as well as 6 members of the 98th.
- 8 new members of the city's ACS department received American Heart Association CPR certification.
- The training division has started reaching out to community schools to set up lifesaver training for teachers and staff. We will be finalizing the training dates soon, and expect to be giving the training in December.



Lt. Manus teaching CPR to a new group of the City's ACS employees.

AFR Inter-division Involvement

- Assisted with training and instruction of 97th Cadet Class.
- Created and assigned October assignment in Target Solutions.
- Attended AFR QA and MCB meeting to better coordinate training with Dr. Pruett and the EMS division.
- Filmed and edited multiple training and recruitment videos using AFR's studio. Two of which are the new monthly training videos. After a lot of positive feedback from field units, we are continuing to produce the short monthly training videos.

Paramedic School

- The current CNM Fast Track students are in their field internships and are all progressing toward a December graduation date.
- The Training Division worked intensely with CNM staff to get as many AFR members as possible into the upcoming paramedic program.

Suppression Training Division

- 96th Cadet Class currently in the field with 17 probationary Firefighters.
- 96th Cadet Class first group at the Academy for 11-Month Evaluation marking the close of the probationary period.
- 97th Cadet Class currently with 34
 - * Weeks 10-13 with major topics including:
 - * Mid Term Evaluations with a written exam and multiple basic level skills testing.
 - * Search and Rescue week 11 focusing on victim rescue techniques
 - * RIT/Vehicle Ex taking place week 12 marks one of the most mentally challenging weeks of the Cadet Program with several evolutions designed to challenge the Cadet's abilities to remain calm in the face of stress and distraction.
 - * With Live Burns taking place the first week of November, the end of October consists of preparations and multi company drills.

**Professional Development**

- Driver School test-out continues throughout the month as the final step in the certification process for Engines and Ladders.
- Fire Officer I course Oct 18 – Oct 22.
- Kick off of the Fire Service Aid Program (FSA) with 2 FSA being hired. Incoming Cadets assigned to Logistics for various operations and training with Friday assignment at the Training Academy.

EMERGENCY SERVICES**RECORDS MANAGEMENT**

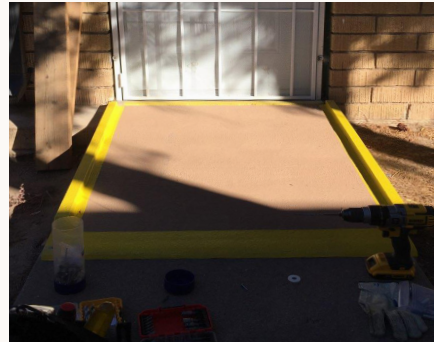
- RMS Monthly Training- Capturing Hospital Drop Times. The training highlights how to appropriately document how long Field Units are waiting to turnover patient care to the hospital staff during medical transports.
- Began tracking data revolving around hospital drop times to assess the impact on the EMS System.
- Provided data revolving around Patient's eligibility to be transported to the CARE Campus. This could potentially provide more appropriate destinations for a specific patient population as well as potentially alleviate some of the burden to area hospitals.
- Updated the ABC EMS Protocol app with more resource numbers for units to be able to have better communication with hospital ED staff to expedite patient care.
- Assisting with tracking and analyzing data revolving around the Cerebral Oximetry research study AFR is participating in.
- Assisted in AFR's walk through for CPSE accreditation.
- Provided Albuquerque Community Safety (ACS) with data revolving around EMS system response to assist in efforts of expanding the Department's role. Also, provided information and training with ImageTrend to the ACS Staff.
- Assisted in providing information for the new Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD) to allow and interface between ImageTrend and the new PremierOne CAD.

PHARMACY

- Still working on Vector Solutions to track our controlled substances.
- Working with Stryker reps to extend the service contract that expired.
- Working with Ferno and Stryker reps to order a supply of batteries and chargers for units in the field that are out of service.

HEART

- In the month of October, HEART provided over 70 rides with its "Rides with HEART" rideshare service.
- The HEART Home Modification Program provided 25 home installation services. These home installations included grab bar installations and ramp building in order to prevent falls. See pics below.
- HEART received and processed 19 referrals for service. The patients were processed and moved into one of our many programs.
- In a partnership with the Office of Substance Abuse Prevention HEART provided all AFR Stations with "Leave Behind Narcan Kits" to provide to community members in need.
- To date, the HEART BEATS stroke discharge program has received over 97 referrals for service.
- The HEART "Be BRAVE" Fall Recovery Class provided a class to the Highland Senior Center.

**QUALITY ASSURANCE**

- Participation in the UNMH EMS Consortium QA on 10/4
- Implementation of Critical Status Pilot Program to help address the national trend in EMS staffing shortages that is also impacting Bernalillo County EMS system. Helped develop new Critical Status Operational planning with Albuquerque Ambulance Service.
- Continued developing our EMS collaborative study with Cerebral Oximetry devices in cardiac arrest
- Pre -Hospital ECMO program with UNMH reestablished
- 78 dispatched to 145 calls, 83 9E's.
- 4 QA/QI issues addressed by the 78 Cadre
- Monthly EMS training for pediatric Fentanyl/Opioid OD in step with issue the community is facing.
- Goal is to increase CPOX usage for the Massimo study.
- To increase awareness through city emails while explaining the importance and investments in the study.
- Develop a 78 checklist to remind us to grab it if it's not placed.
- Increase overall training and create productive discussions and possible study end results.
- My goal is 100% application for 9E calls.

SPECIAL OPERATIONS**2021 Projects:**

- Wrapping up 2021 Hydrant Inspections
- Upcoming events: Holiday Stroll (12/3) and Twinkle Light Parade (12/4)
- ROCO HTR Operations course 11/8-11/19
- Arranging 2022 Special Operations schedule with Academy
- Balloon Fiesta debriefs/after-action – planning underway 1/22

2022 Projects:

- 50th Anniversary Balloon Fiesta planning to begin in January 2022
- Begin discussions for FY23 proposals
- Evaluating haves/needs for specialty qualifications at specialty stations

FIELD OPERATIONS CENTER

- The Field Operations Center (FOC) began FOC training for 2 additional members that will be qualified to maintain operations in the absence of any one of the normal FOC personnel. This training involves acquainting the trainee with the Telestaff system, methods for filling vacancy positions and recently adopted alternatives for filling vacancies when voluntary overtime sign-ups are exhausted. The FOC personnel utilize a position task book to assess the trainee's knowledge and skills in the process which ensures that the candidate can proficiently perform in that capacity.

WILDLAND

- For the month of October, Multiple AFR resources assisted the USFS Sandia Ranger District with a prescribed burn in David Canyon. This event was an excellent opportunity to work and train with our metro area cooperating partners.
- Multiple individuals from the Wildland Division have been working diligently on finalizing our specification for the new Type 3 Wildland Engine. We hope to have the final specification finished by mid-November.
- Fire conditions are still at a critical level, and AFR has responded to multiple fires in the Bosque this month.



HAZMAT

- Sent Memo out to AFR personnel for a challenge of the hazmat A&O test to receive an IFSAC certificate. 8 AFR personnel requested this challenge test. Hazmat coordinator traveled and assisted the 8 personnel in training for the challenge test.

AFR responded to two hazmat emergencies in the month of October:

- In the first emergency AFR was requested by Valencia Fire Department and State police to respond for an acid spill on Highway 6. AFR Hazmat Station 17, Batt 4, and the Hazmat Coordinator responded to the incident. Upon arrival, State police stated the driver was hauling an intermodal 101 full of sulfuric acid. The driver ended up on an unimproved road and attempted to back up on an uneven surface. While working to back up, the truck flipped over onto its side. A tow truck was called out and when they turned the truck upright, the intermodal was leaking at one location. State police and Valencia Fire were called for the leak but had no instrumentation to check whether the leak was sulfuric acid or water. AFR checked the spill with PH papers revealing that it was water. Upon examination of the remainder of the intermodal truck, no other damage was reported.
- The second emergency involved a response from Engine 15, Rescue 19, and Hazmat Station 13 to an anhydrous ammonia leak located at Reddy Ice on the I-25 frontage road. Site location personnel stated that the alarms in the warehouse alerted for a possible anhydrous ammonia leak. When the personnel investigated the area, 80 ppm showed on their monitors while not in close proximity to the spill. Per OSHA, the permissible exposure level (Level A worker can be exposed to in an 8 hour work day) for this product is 50 parts per million. This prompted a call to 911. AFR units set up a decontamination station, had two entry personnel and a back-up team read to go in fully-enclosed level A Hazmat suits. The two personnel entered the building, shut off valves and took readings which reached 400 ppm of anhydrous ammonia. AFR Hazardous Materials teams then ventilated the area and brought the readings down to 25ppm, making it safe for the occupants to return to their building and close it down until their company mitigators could arrive and repair the equipment that malfunctioned.

**HEAVY TECHNICAL RESCUE**

- The AFR cadet class completed their vehicle extrication training this month with all cadets completing the course. Our upcoming firefighters applied their training, skills, and problem-solving ability to untangle multiple vehicles to gain rapid patient access and extraction from the vehicle for immediate transport to hospitals when needed. Modern vehicle construction is increasing the difficulty of access into the passenger compartment after an accident. Cadets were able to learn the limitations of our old tools, and appreciate the few modern vehicle extrication tools we own to overcome these access hurdles. Some on-duty fire companies were able to join the training opportunity and refresh their skill sets and give their feedback on possible newer extrication tools for their units. Thank you to U-Pull and Pay for providing 42 vehicles for this training.
- After completing their vehicle extrication training, the Cadet class learned their next rescue skills in the flood channel system of Albuquerque. These low occurrence-high risk rapid rescue trainings are key to ensure our citizens have the opportunity to be rescued if ever swept away. Cadets were trained in unique flood channel practices of belaying their team to the dangerous water's edge to reach and throw rescue bags to victims in the water. These rescues are practiced every year, however due to the danger they present, prevention is key in keeping yourselves safe from the overwhelming power of the flood channel system.
- Albuquerque Fire Rescue Heavy Technical Rescue would like to congratulate two of our members for obtaining their Technical Rescue Operations level qualifications. FF Holly Huffines and FF Brandon Keryte have pursued and demonstrated proficiency in rope rescue and confined space rescue techniques to earn this qualification. Thank you for always learning and advancing your skills and knowledge within our department.

PLANNING & LOGISTICS**FLEET**

- Ladder 9 in service.
- New QI 78 in service.
- Aerial Certification and Inspections Completed.
- Pump test half way completed.

FLEET CHECK IT	OCT	YTD
TICKETS CREATED	182	1,657
ALL TICKETS CURRENTLY OPEN	104	327
TICKETS CLOSED/RESOLVED	78	1328
FLEET ASSET WORKS		
TOTAL WORK ORDERS	72	N/A
WORK ORDERS % CLOSED IN 24 HOURS	44%	N/A
CALL-OUTS	6	N/A
PM's COMPLETED	33	N/A

LOGISTICS

- Donated 8 PPV fans and 2 K12's to NM State Fire Marshals Office to be given to other Fire Departments around the State of NM.
- Built month long training schedule for FSA's
- 2 – FSA's began working.
- New lost/stolen/damaged reporting rolled out.
- Cascade inspections built for Stations 7, 16 and 22 in Check-It.
- Supported AFR ladder and hose testing.

LOGISTICS STATS	OCT	YTD
TICKETS CREATED	137	1,740
ALL TICKETS CURRENTLY OPEN	34	N/A
TICKETS CLOSED/RESOLVED	189	1,681
FLASH HOODS LAUNDERED	65	510
TURNOUT GEAR LAUNDERED	32	444
WILDLAND GEAR LAUNDERED	6	51

CIP

- Station 4 security lighting installed around the perimeter.
- Station and facility irrigation winterized.
- Station and facility fire sprinkler system inspections complete.
- Station and facility roof inspections completed with repairs being currently addressed by National Roofing.
- Station apparatus bay air filters replaced.

CIP STATS	OCT	YTD
TICKETS CREATED	73	775
ALL TICKETS CURRENTLY OPEN	122	N/A
TICKETS CLOSED/RESOLVED	38	653

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