



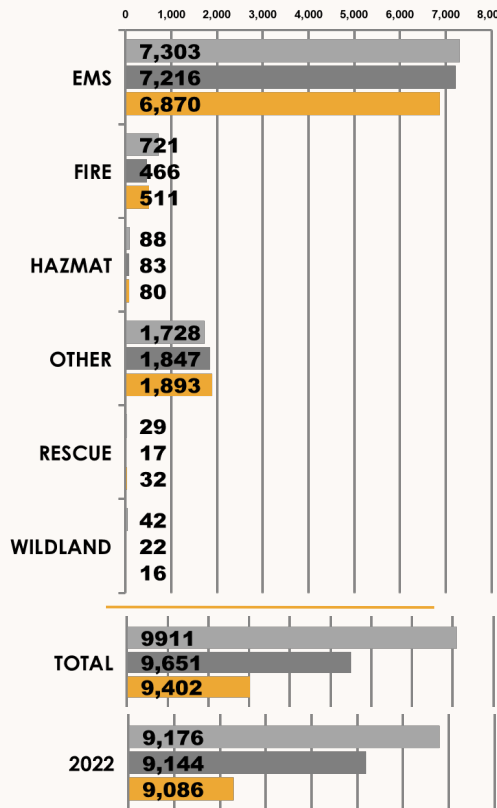
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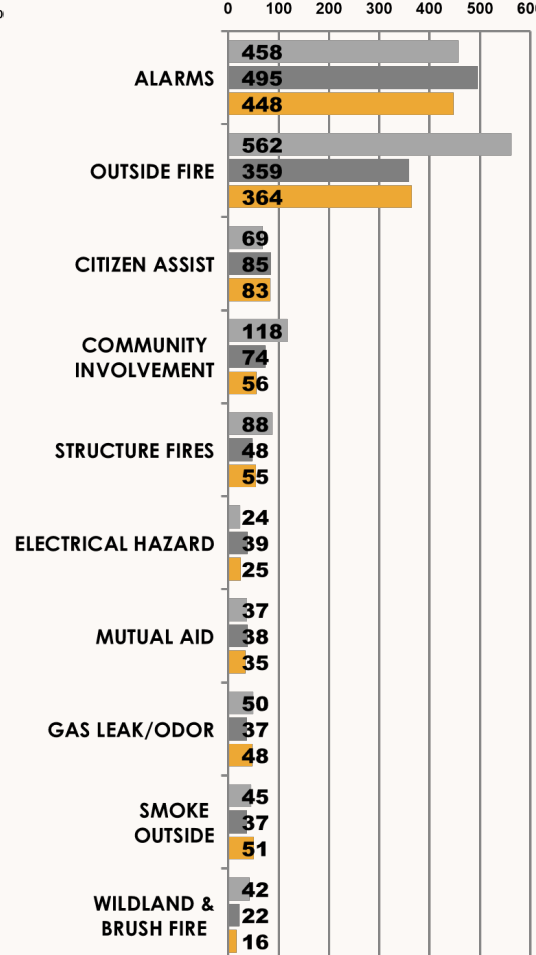
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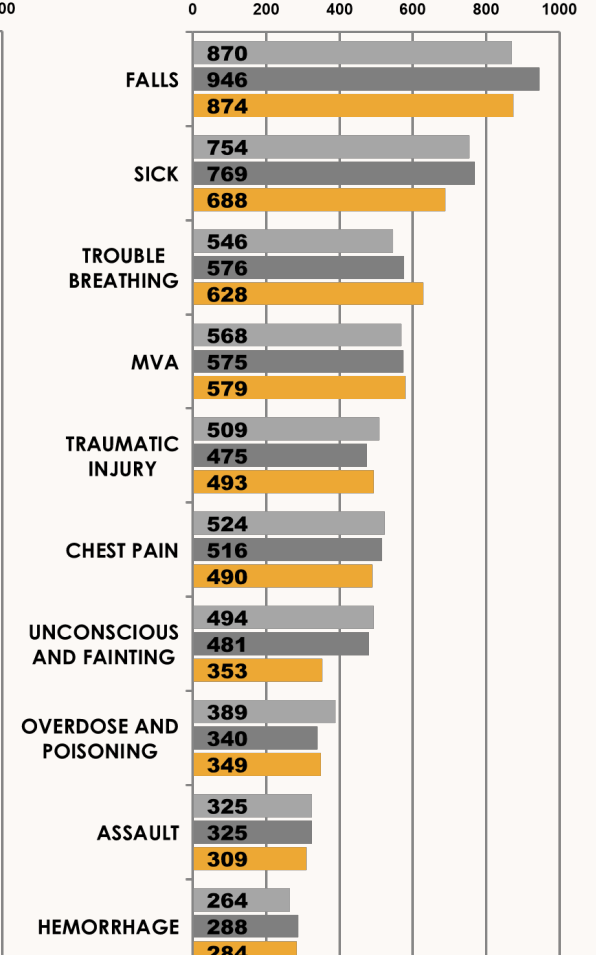
## CALL CATEGORIES



## TOP 10 NON-MEDICAL CALLS



## TOP 10 MEDICAL CALLS

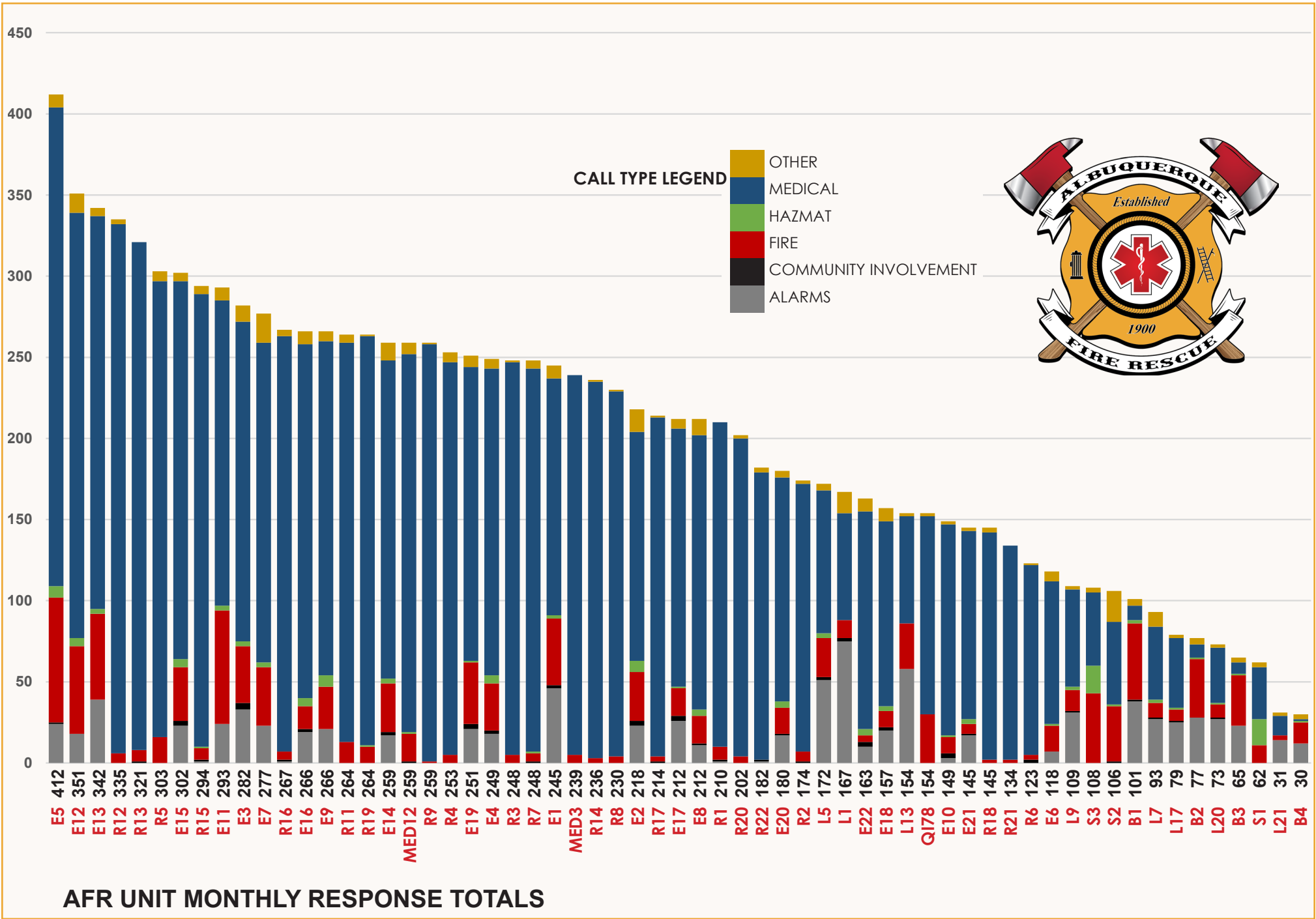


SEPT TRANSPORTS		YTD BY UNIT		TRANSPORTS BY MONTH		EMS STATISTICS		MEDICAL RESPONSE BY CODE	
R9	15	R5	122		ALL ARRESTS WITH CPR	37 ; 10 ROSC (27%)	ECHO	87	
MED12	12	R9	109		LUCAS DEVICE USED	28 ; 7 ROSC (25%)	DELTA	1,610	
R3	12	R12	92		OVERDOSES/NARCAN ADMINISTRATION	142/63	CHARLIE	1,632	
R4	12	MED12	89		CEREBRAL OXIMETRY USE	3	BRAVO	1,970	
R5	12	R16	86		PRE-HOSPITAL CHILDBIRTHS	0	ALPHA	1,753	
R12	10	R22	83		CRITICAL TRAUMAS	42	OMEGA	124	
R13	10	R13	79						
R22	10	R19	70						
R16	10	R11	68						
R15	9	R8	66						
MED3	9	R4	65						
R19	8	R15	65						
R14	8	R1	65						
R17	7	R17	64						
R8	6	R7	63						
R18	6	R3	62						
R1	5	R14	57						
R7	4	R20	51						
R21	3	R18	44						
R11	3	R2	44						
R2	3	R21	37						
R20	2	R6	34						
R6	1	MED3	22						
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,537</b>						

REASON FOR AFR TRANSPORT	SEPT	YTD
AAS CRITICAL STATUS	82	676
AAS LEVEL ZERO	50	405
AAS DELAYED	25	303
PED BEHAVIORAL HEALTH	8	75
COA ON DUTY EMP/AFR	8	42
AFR RETIREE OR RETIREE SPOUSE	1	21
SPOUSE/CHILD OF AFR MEMBER	0	6
BARIATRIC PATIENT	3	5
OFF DUTY AFR MEMBER	0	3
ECMO	0	1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>1,537</b>

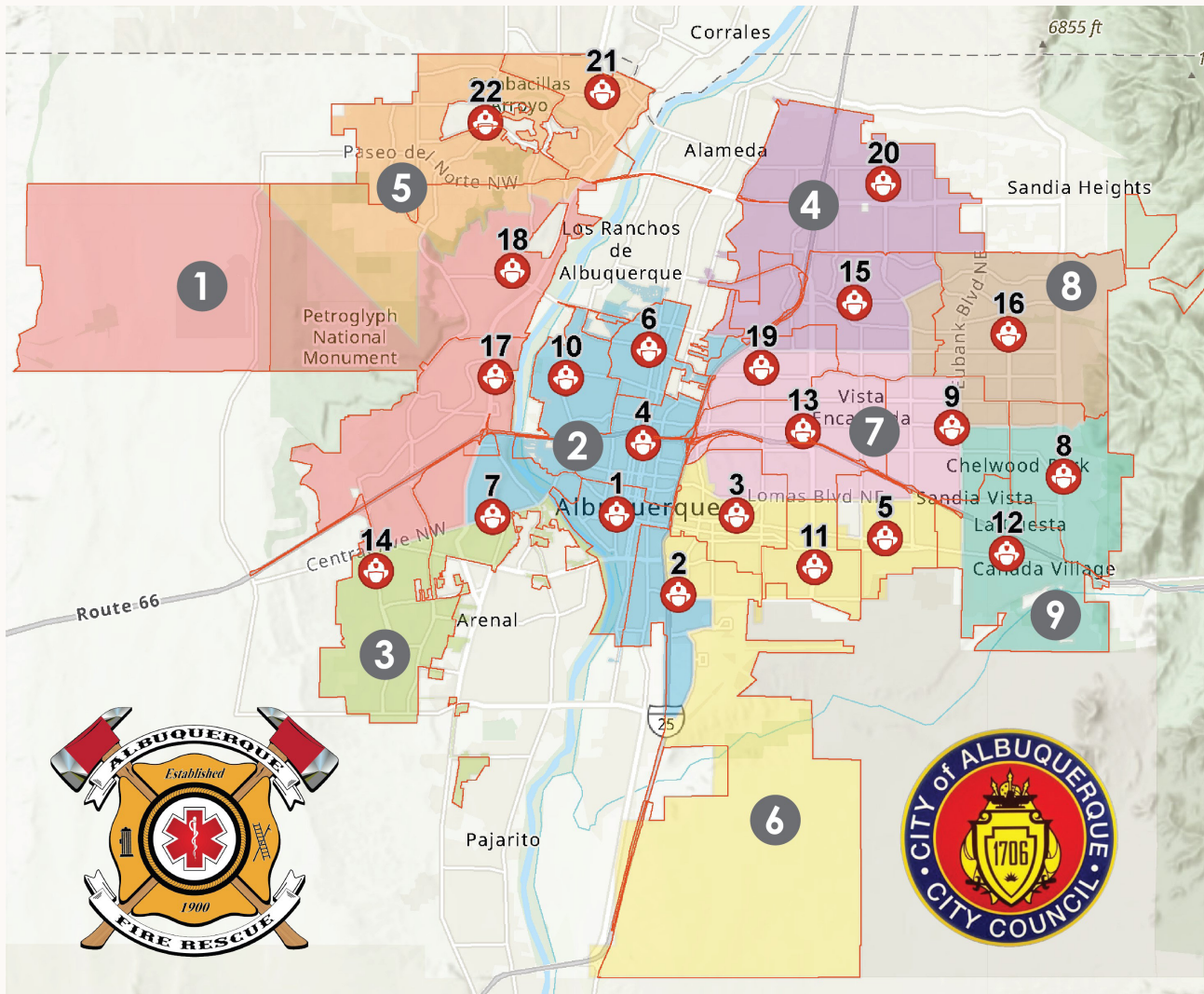
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LEVEL OF EMERGENCY

PARTNERING DEPARTMENT/AGENCY RESPONSES			BCFD AUTOMATIC AID CALLS IN AFR DISTRICTS		AFR AUTOMATIC AID CALLS IN BCFD DISTRICTS	
AGENCY	SEPT	YTD	SEPT	345	SEPT	160
ABQ COMMUNITY SAFETY	3,637	N/A	YTD	3,114	YTD	N/A
ABQ AMBULANCE SERVICE	1,023	N/A				
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4,640</b>	<b>N/A</b>				



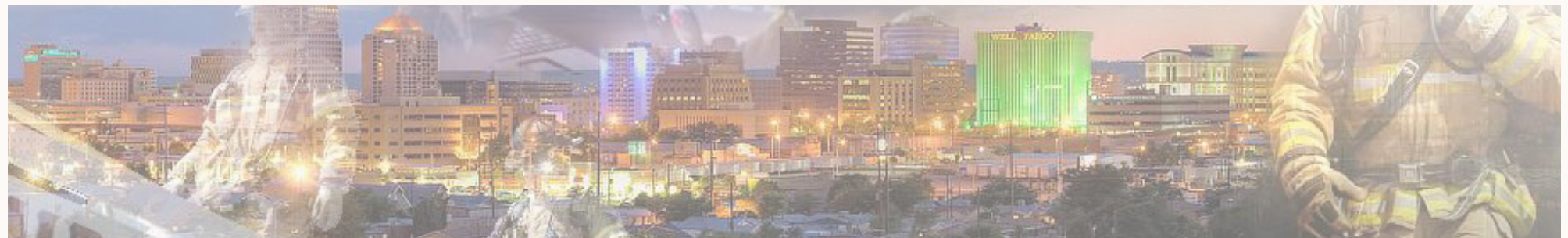
	ALARMS	CIP	FIRE	HAZMAT	MEDICAL	OTHERS	TOTAL
E5	24	1	77	7	295	8	412
E12	18	0	54	5	262	12	351
E13	39	0	53	3	242	5	342
R12	0	0	6	0	326	3	335
R13	0	1	7	0	313	0	321
R5	0	0	16	0	281	6	303
E15	23	3	33	5	233	5	302
R15	1	1	7	1	279	5	294
E11	24	0	70	3	188	8	293
E3	33	4	35	3	197	10	282
E7	23	0	36	3	197	18	277
R16	1	1	5	0	256	4	267
E16	19	2	14	5	218	8	266
E9	21	0	26	7	206	6	266
R11	0	0	13	0	246	5	264
R19	0	0	10	1	252	1	264
E14	17	2	30	3	196	11	259
MED12	0	1	17	1	233	7	259
R9	0	0	1	0	257	1	259
R4	0	0	5	0	242	6	253
E19	21	3	38	1	181	7	251
E4	18	2	29	5	189	6	249
R3	0	0	5	0	242	1	248
R7	0	1	5	1	236	5	248
E1	46	2	41	2	146	8	245
MED3	0	0	5	0	234	0	239
R14	0	0	3	0	232	1	236
R8	0	0	4	0	225	1	230
E2	23	3	30	7	141	14	218
R17	0	1	3	0	209	1	214
E17	26	3	17	1	159	6	212

	ALARMS	CIP	FIRE	HAZMAT	MEDICAL	OTHERS	TOTAL
E8	11	1	17	4	169	10	212
R1	1	1	8	0	200	0	210
R20	0	0	4	0	196	2	202
R22	1	1	0	0	177	3	182
E20	17	1	16	4	138	4	180
R2	0	1	6	0	165	2	174
L5	51	2	24	3	88	4	172
L1	75	2	11	0	66	13	167
E22	10	3	4	4	134	8	163
E18	20	2	10	3	114	8	157
L13	58	0	28	0	66	2	154
QI78	0	0	30	0	122	2	154
E10	3	3	10	1	130	2	149
E21	17	1	6	3	116	2	145
R18	0	0	2	0	140	3	145
R21	0	0	2	0	132	0	134
R6	0	2	3	0	117	1	123
E6	7	0	16	1	88	6	118
L9	31	1	13	2	60	2	109
S3	0	0	43	17	45	3	108
S2	0	1	34	1	51	19	106
B1	38	1	47	2	9	4	101
L7	27	1	9	2	45	9	93
L17	25	1	7	1	43	2	79
B2	28	0	36	1	8	4	77
L20	27	1	8	1	34	2	73
B3	23	0	31	1	7	3	65
S1	0	0	11	16	32	3	62
L21	14	0	3	0	12	2	31
B4	12	0	13	1	1	3	30
Total	874	57	1,151	132	10,055	1,616	13,885



## AFR STATIONS BY COUNCILOR DISTRICT

CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT	SEPT	YTD
<b>1. LOUIE SANCHEZ</b> <b>STATIONS 7,14,17,18</b>	977	8,191
<b>2. ISAAC BENTON</b> <b>STATIONS 1,2,3,4,6,7,10,19</b>	1,776	15,511
<b>3. KLARISSA J PEÑA</b> <b>STATIONS 1,7,14</b>	385	3,383
<b>4. BROOK BASSAN</b> <b>STATIONS 15,19,20</b>	767	7,032
<b>5. DAN LEWIS</b> <b>STATIONS 18,21,22</b>	852	7,522
<b>6. PAT DAVIS</b> <b>PRESIDENT</b> <b>STATIONS 2,3,5,11,12</b>	2,439	19,930
<b>7. TAMMY FIEZBELKORN</b> <b>STATIONS 5,9,13,15,16,19</b>	1,828	15,597
<b>8. TRUDY E JONES</b> <b>STATIONS 8,9,15,16</b>	528	4,278
<b>9. RENEE GROUT</b> <b>VICE PRESIDENT</b> <b>STATIONS 8,9,12</b>	1,136	9,779
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>10,688</b>	<b>91,223</b>



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.

**9/7 - Building Collapse:** AFR was dispatched to 4100 Ridgely Ave NE for reports of a possible explosion and collapse at a single-story, single-family residence with people trapped. Engine 11 arrived on scene and reported a partially collapsed residential structure. No fire suppression efforts had to be initiated and Engine 11 determined that the two occupants who were home at the time of the explosion, were able to exit the rear of the structure. They were both treated on scene and transported to the hospital with non-life-threatening injuries. There was major damage and collapse to the front of the residence. The homeowner and occupants have been displaced as the home is not structurally safe to occupy. The neighboring home to the east was also damaged from the blast but is still structurally sound. Crews reported smelling and detecting natural gas and NM Gas was called to the scene. NM Gas detected a high concentration of gas in the ground in the areas surrounding the involved home. The homes adjacent to the structure and to the east were evacuated due to levels detected. NM Gas had to bring in heavy equipment to dig up the street and locate the source of the gas leak. NM Gas crews were able to locate and mitigate the leak.

**9/11 - Commercial Fire:** AFR was dispatched to the intersection of Juan Tabo and Central in fire district 12 for reports of a large strip mall with signs of a possible structure fire, a 69D3. The first arriving AFR unit reported a large commercial building, strip mall, with light smoke on the Charlie side and a working fire upon further investigation coming from the back side of the building. The fire was brought under control within 7 minutes of their arrival. Damage to the structure was mostly contained to the fire location. There were no reports of injuries to any civilians or firefighters. AFR Fire Investigators were requested to the scene to determine the cause and origin of the fire. A cause has not been determined at this time.

**9/12 - Residential Fire:** AFR crews were dispatched to 433 Tennessee SE in fire district 5 for a structure fire at an abandoned single-story single-family dwelling that AFR Engine 5 had discovered while returning to the station from an EMS call. As AFR units were in route to the fire, Engine 5 reported a working fire concentrated in the rear of the structure. Because of a partial roof collapse during interior firefighting operations, Engine 5 immediately called crews to exit the structure and made a declaration to change to defensive firefighting tactics from the exterior of the structure. The fire was brought under control within 20 minutes of AFR arrival. Damage to the structure was significant as the building was already in disrepair. Once the structure was deemed safe for interior operations, crews were able to complete a search resulting in no persons found within. No firefighters or civilians were injured during these operations. The cause of the fire was determined to be accidental with no further investigation required. Due to the abandoned nature of the building, Code Enforcement was called to the scene to secure the structure.

**9/19 - Residential Fire:** AFR was dispatched to 6401 Montes Serrano NE in fire district 16 for reports of a possible structure fire at a single-family dwelling. Rescue 16 arrived on scene and reported a working fire with smoke and flame showing from the garage. The fire was brought under control within 15 minutes of their arrival. Damage to the structure was mostly contained to the garage. No injuries of civilians or firefighters was reported.

**9/22 - Aircraft Emergency:** AFR was dispatched to the Double Eagle Airport located at 7401 Atrisco Vista BL NW in fire district 22 for reports of an aircraft emergency. Battalion 4, Engine 22 and Rescue 22 arrived and initially were informed that a small plane was having trouble with their landing gear. AFR was further advised by Aviation Officials that the aircraft had lost all communications with the tower and was circling for an emergency landing. The aircraft was reported as a two-engine aircraft with possibly 6 souls on board. Battalion 4 established unified command with aviation officials and a full AFR dispatch was requested. A total of 14 units responded to the scene. Aviation officials closed the runways upon the aircrafts final approach and emergency landing. AFR units quickly followed the aircraft and deployed attack lines to extinguish any possible fire. Rescue 22 arrived and confirmed only one person on-board and no medical care or transport was requested. AFR confirmed there was no fire using thermal imaging cameras. All AFR units cleared the scene without incident and the scene was turned over to aviation officials.

**9/28 - Apartment Fire:** AFR was dispatched to 219 Dallas St. NE in fire district 5 for reports of a possible structure fire in a residential single-story apartment building. Rescue 5 arrived on scene first and reported a working structure fire with smoke and flames coming from a window on the south side of apartment #1. The fire was brought under control within about five minutes of their arrival. Damage to the structure was contained to the apartment of origin and that apartment is no longer habitable due to fire and smoke damage. No injuries to civilians or firefighters were reported and nobody was displaced as a result of the fire. AFR Fire Investigators were called to try and determine the cause.

**9/30 - Apartment Fire:** AFR and BCFD fire crews were dispatched to a possible structure fire at a senior living center located at 7107 Eubank NE in BCFD district 35. Fire crews arrived to find a light smell of smoke in the building but no visual evidence of smoke or fire. Residents were able to safely shelter in place with the help of the staff while fire crews searched for the possible source of the smoke. After a complete and thorough search of the facility with thermal imaging cameras, fire crews were able to locate high heat readings in an area in the attic space. After exposing the area fire crews found a small area of charred wood and burnt blown in insulation started by electrical wiring. Fire crews were able to quickly control the fire and mitigate the hazard. The cause of the fire was determined to be accidental due to an electrical issue. Minimal damaged was done to the building but the power had to be shut off to the entire area involved.

**9/30 - Residential Fire:** AFR was dispatched to 1606 Del Monte Trail SW in fire district 14 for reports of a possible fire in the ceiling of a single-story, single-family dwelling. E14 arrived on scene and reported smoke showing, a working fire coming from the eaves of the house. The fire was brought under control within 15 minutes of their arrival. Damage to the structure was contained to the kitchen. Fire was in the ceiling over the kitchen. No injuries of civilians or firefighters was reported. The fire appears to have been electrical and it is fortunate that it occurred while the occupants were present. The Red Cross was contacted to assist the family while they are temporarily displaced.

**9/30 - Residential Fire:** AFR was dispatched to a four-plex located at 620 Desert Dr SW in fire district 7 for reports of a possible structure fire. L7 arrived on scene and reported a single-story multifamily dwelling with a working fire coming from the front door. The fire was brought under control within 10 minutes of their arrival. Damage to the structure was mostly contained to the utility room. No injuries of civilians or firefighters was reported. The fire appeared to have started in or around the gas dryer.

**9/30 - Commercial Fire:** AFR was dispatched to the Appliance Liquidation store located at 5951 Central NE in fire district 5 for reports of a possible Structure Fire. Rescue 5 arrived on scene and reported a medium commercial building with working fire coming from the front/Alpha side. The fire was brought under control within 12 minutes of their arrival. Damage to the structure was mostly contained to the front. No injuries of civilians or firefighters was reported. No civilian/firefighters injured. AFR Fire Investigators were called to determine the cause and origin of the fire.



1. **AFR Fire Chief Emily Jaramillo and the AFD Retirees Association Honor Guard** were invited to participate in the 2023 Blue Mass, an event to honor and celebrate all of New Mexico's first responders lead by John C. Wester, Archbishop of Santa Fe.
2. **AFR PIO Lt. Jason Fejer** was recognized by the CABQ Mayor's Comms Team with the Mavin Award for outstanding performance in his role. The CABQ Comms Team works closely with PIO's from every City department and recognizes individuals going above and beyond with this traveling award.
3. In support of Albuquerque Fire Rescue's first responders, the team at Tempur Production USA in Albuquerque have donated 100 Tempur Twin XL mattresses. Sleep deprivation, stress and fatigue are all chronic issues that firefighters face. High quality mattresses are important to help firefighters get some rest when their busy schedule allows for it.
4. **AFR hosted the 2023 9/11 Memorial Stair Climb and Memorial Ceremony.** Climbing the 22 story WaFd Bank building five times is one way our firefighters honor those lives lost on 9/11/2001. The Memorial Ceremony was held once again at Civic Plaza with help from APD and City leaders attending.
5. **AFR's B-Shift HTR Task Force** participated in the 26th Annual Corrales Ditch Run in support of Dave Gives Back. This charity raises awareness for the incredibly important heroes of Search and Rescue in honor of David Cook who perished while attempting to summit his 47th 14er in 2016.
6. **AFR, along with Sparky and his friends,** celebrated Childhood Cancer Awareness Month by visiting several UNMH pediatric clinics. Special thanks to the Fire Marshal's Office members for everything they contribute to this every year! Also thank you to UNMH Child Life for the opportunity to visit.





**FIRE MARSHAL'S OFFICE**

**INSPECTIONS DIVISION**

- September was the National Children's Cancer Awareness month. FMO visited the UNMH's Children's Unit with Sparky, his fire truck, and Hydro. Sparky, who is always the fan favorite, interacted with all the children and staff. He talked with everyone and put a smile on every face. Hydro, our remote-controlled fire hydrant and the Sparky driven fire truck were also big hits with the children. With his lit-up eyes and his siren, Hydro was literally spinning circles around the children and staff. The Sparky driven fire truck drove in and out of each room and put a smile on every child's face.
- In preparation for the Downtown Live concert featuring GZA, members of APD, AFR Operations, and FMO collaborated and attended multiple meetings to ensure a safe event. The Fire Marshal's Office reviewed several site plans that kept changing to come up with an event all City departments felt was safe and organized. The event was a success with no reported issues to the Fire Marshal's Office.

FMO STATISTICS	SEPT	YTD
INSPECTIONS	470	4,099
TENT PERMITS	27	127
SPECIAL EVENTS APPROVED	42	181
SPECIAL DISPENSARY PERMITS	108	454
BLASTING STANDBY	0	32
FIREWORKS STANDBY	7	26
MOVIE STANDBY	0	7
FOOD TRUCK INSPECTIONS	11	179
FIRST DUE PRE-INCIDENT PLANS	195	1,555
# PEOPLE TRAINED IN FIRE EVACUATIONS	75	841
# PEOPLE TRAINED IN FIRE EXTINGUISHER	175	279
2+ FALSE ALARM EDUCATION CLASSES	2	7
# PEOPLE TRAINED IN FIRE SAFETY	175	2,237
TANK PULL	1	12
SMOKE DETECTORS INSTALLED	3	15

**ADAPT**

- ADAPT currently has 45 properties that are in the program at different stages. ADAPT continuously monitors the properties to track their compliance with the Nuisance Abatement Agreement.
- There are 103 properties on the Unsafe Buildings list. 2 new properties were added to the list this month. The properties are labeled on the First Due application with a white "X" on a red background. In the field these properties are marked with a red spray painted "X" and the letters "AFR" under it.
- The following property was cleared from the ADAPT program with an average of 94% reduction in criminal activity:
  - \* 13317 Central Ave NE, The Desert Sands Inn and Suites

PROPERTY TYPE	ADAPT		COP		TLC	
	SEPT	YTD	SEPT	YTD	SEPT	YTD
PROPERTIES IN ADAPT	41	47	7	7	3	7
PROPERTIES ADDED	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
PROPERTIES COMPLETING PROGRAM	1	12	N/A	N/A	N/A	4
AVERAGE % OF CRIME REDUCTION FOR PROPERTIES COMPLETING THE PROGRAM	94%	73%	N/A	100%	100%	100%



David Baca gets pinned at his promotional ceremony. He is the new Captain of ADAPT taking over for retired Captain Stephany Perea. Congrats Captain Perea and good luck with your future endeavors.

**FIRE INVESTIGATIONS DIVISION**

- From September 6-8, 2023, the AFR Accelerant Detection Canine Team assisted with a multi-agency fire investigation response in Clovis, NM. A fire caused significant damage to the Clovis Walmart. The team spent several days at the scene collecting evidence and sifting through debris. The suspect has since been caught and charged accordingly.
- On September 10, 2023, at 1258 hours, Albuquerque Fire Rescue (AFR) Fire Investigations Division was contacted by AFR Alarm dispatch, about a structure fire at 3200 Central Ave. SE (Hiway House Motel). The Fire investigations division was dispatched to conduct an origin and cause investigation. Fire Investigators arrived on the scene at 1325 hours. I met with Battalion 1. Battalion Chief 1 stated that there were multiple ignition points and two units in the structure were affected. One on the west side of the structure, and one on the southeast corner of the structure. Engine 3 was first on the scene and conducted fire suppression activities at unit 225. Engine 11 was second on the scene and assisted Engine 3. Which was on the southeast side of the structure. Engine 13 was on scene on the west side of the structure and they conducted fire suppression activities from the exterior of the structure where carpet padding was on fire under some bushes that spread inside the structure to unit 105. The fire entered the structure through a broken window that was boarded up and caused fire damage inside that unit. Fire investigators completed a 360 examination of the structure, there were only two areas that had fire damage. Fire investigators examined unit 105 first. The majority of the fire damage was on the exterior of the structure. Fire entered the structure through a broken window and burned the window frame, curtain, and a small portion of the roof near the window. The other unit the fire investigators examined was unit 225. There was fire damage near the window on the south side of the unit. The unit was boarded up the boards on the window's exterior were started on fire and flames entered the structure's interior. Damage was contained to the area around the window and the roof directly over the window. There were no ignition devices found on the scene at either location. No signs of accelerants were used. There were no witnesses to either fire. The structure is a boarded-up motel that is not in operation. There are about 10 individuals living in different units of this former motel. The owner of the motel was on the scene. He wanted to have the individuals kicked out of the motel. AFR did not remove any tenants after the fire. They have pending court eviction hearings this following week. The owner signed a property release and had people waiting to secure the structure. This fire will be classified as incendiary with no suspects at this time.
- On September 11, 2023, at approximately 1130 hours, AFR Fire Investigation personnel responded to 124 Juan Tabo Blvd NE Albuquerque NM 87123. Battalion 3 requested to determine the origin and cause, of a fire incident involving a large abandoned/boarded-up structure. Rescue 8 arrived to find a large strip mall with light smoke coming from one of the middle-boarded-up businesses. E5 arrived on the Charlie side and noticed smoke coming out of a metal door that was propped open by a shopping cart. E5 made entry and found a small pile of rubbish on fire and they were able to extinguish it with a crosslay and tank water. No hydrate was needed. Fire Investigators contacted B3, to conduct our investigation. The structure was boarded up and abandoned, with signs of squatters using the

- structure for shelter. Fire crews removed the plywood securing the front door to gain access. Owner and insurance information is unknown at this time. The fire was contained to one unit within the strip mall and was approximately 5'x'5 in size near the alpha side entrance. Fire did not spread to any part of the structure leaving only smoke staining to an adjacent wall. The fire was interior only and the surrounding businesses did not have cameras, there were no witnesses or potential suspects. Code enforcement was on the scene to re-secure the structure.
- On September 13, 2023, at approximately 0200 hours, Albuquerque Fire Rescue investigations personnel were contacted by Battalion 1 to conduct an origin and cause for a structure fire at 504 Trumbull AVE, SE. Fire Investigators were advised by AFR Alarm that the suspect was detained by APD at Presbyterian Main. Fire Investigators arrived at Presbyterian ED and contacted APD Officers who were already on the scene. Fire Investigators found the suspect, Mr. Alex Terrazas, lying in a hospital gown bed with multiple lacerations to his arms and legs. Fire Investigators did mirandize Mr. Terrazas before interviewing him. After understanding and waiving his Miranda rights, Mr. Terrazas stated he was at Roosevelt Park conducting a drug deal, and during the transaction, he decided to flee, and he was chased by the second party involved. He arrived at 504 Trumbull Ave SE and decided to break in to hide. Mr. Terrazas stated he broke into a window on the south side of the home. While in the home, it appears he attempted to barricade himself from the people giving chase. Upon Engine 2 arrival, they stated the stairwell had a fridge and other furniture blocking access to division two, and a couple of the windows on division two had mattresses propped on them. According to Mr. Terrazas's testimony, he then decided at that point to light the home on fire. Mr. Terrazas stated he used a lighter directly applied to a curtain until it ignited. Mr. Terrazas also stated he attempted to light a mattress on fire also using a lighter. When FI asked why he decided to burn the home, he stated he was paranoid and wasn't sure why he decided to light the fire. Mr. Terrazas did state that he is diagnosed with schizophrenia/bipolar, and was on crack and bath salts at the time of this fire event. Mr. Terrazas was arrested and is being charged with breaking and entering, criminal damage to property, and arson.
  - On September 14, 2023, the Fire Investigations Division was recognized at the AFR Promotional and Recognition Ceremony for a job well done throughout the year. Thank you to the Executive Staff for your continued support.
  - The 3 Drivers in the Law Enforcement Academy are performing well and are approaching the halfway point. The 3 members are expected to graduate in December.
  - On September 30, 2023, at approximately 0844 hours, AFR Fire Investigation personnel responded to 5915 Central Ave NE Albuquerque NM. Battalion Chief One requested fire investigators to investigate the origin and cause of a fire incident involving a commercial business. The property was leased to Appliance Liquidations and is in the process of moving to a new location. Upon arrival E5 noticed smoke coming out of the roof. After speaking with Battalion 2 (D. Castillo), he stated that E5 noticed a window in the front south side of the building was broken with smoke and flame active at that location. E5 crew noticed that behind all the windows were some rollup pro-panel security doors. E5 made entry through the glass front door, on entry crew noticed heavy smoke and flames in

the southwest corner of the building that traveled into the void space between the roof and ceiling. E5 was able to extinguish the fire and contain the fire to the southwest corner of the building. The damage noted was a broken window, charring to the window frame, charring to the ceiling and a couple of trusses, and light smoke staining within 15' of the broken window and suspected area of origin. Photos were taken, with no evidence or workable footage found at this time. Except for any witnesses interviewed, there were no other interested parties present or suspects at the time of the examination.

- The Fire Investigations Division has a total of 87 responses YTD (43 fire investigations, 32 consult cases, and 12 ATF/Canine cases).

FIRE INVESTIGATIONS	SEPT	YTD
COMPLETED INVESTIGATIONS	4	43
NATURAL	0	0
ACCIDENTAL	0	2
UNDETERMINED	2	15
INCENDIARY	2	18
Exceptionally Cleared (CLE)	1 (54%)	N/A
Youth Fire Set	0	0
Bosque	0	0
Vacant/Abandoned property	2	7
Injuries	0	0
Fatalities	0	3

**PLANS CHECKING**

- The Plans Checking Division has been working closely with Kairos Power in the review and permitting process of a new one-of-a-kind building in Mesa Del Sol. The 30,000-sf building is one of multiple buildings Kairos Power is proposing in Mesa del Sol for non-nuclear energy. The Plans Checking Office had multiple in-person and video-call meetings with representatives from Kairos Power as well as architects and fire protection engineers to ensure public safety in the development of this advanced reactor.
- The Building Safety department has purchased a new software from Tyler Technologies. The new software will improve the Building Safety plan submittal, review, and permitting process. Plans Checking has started meetings to see what avenues this new software could support and streamline the Plans Checking Division’s Plan submittal and inspection process.

PLANS CHECKING STATISTICS	SEPT	YTD
TOTAL INSPECTIONS	93	860
TOTAL PLANS REVIEWED	398	3,887

**HUMAN RESOURCES AND TRAINING**

**PUBLIC AFFAIRS OFFICE**

- Push-ins: 4
- Station Tours: 10
- Flag Display: 2
- Ride along: 2
- Community Outreach Events: 26

**COMMUNITY RISK REDUCTION**

- Fire Suppression Standby: 7
- EMS Standby: 19
- UNM BIO Safety Lab Drill: 1

**RECRUITMENT**

- APS/Charter school College and Career Recruitment events: 11

**HEALTH AND WELLNESS**

- 7 member referral.
- 5 Chaplain Call outs.
- 2 Chaplain invocations.
- Coordination Meeting w/ Peer support coordinator Gary Chavez of County.
- Hosted Chaplain Laura Kuster from VA.
- Hosted Paws & Stripes QPR Suicide awareness class.
- Debrief at World College with County Fire.
- Behavioral Health Committee Meeting.
- Imagine, ABQ Meeting..
- Imagine, ABQ EVENT.
- 8 Meetings with Behavioral Health Director.
- Continued planning for AFR’s Rescue & Recovery Conference.

BEHAVIORAL HEALTH ACTIVITIES	SEPT	YTD
PEER CONTACTS	27	N/A
CHAPLAIN CONTACTS	9	N/A
INTERNAL MEETINGS	17	N/A
EXTERNAL MEETINGS	5	N/A
SESSIONS	12	N/A
CONSULTS	18	N/A
STATION VISITS	3	N/A
PRESENTATIONS	8	N/A
SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS	4	N/A
DEBRIEFS	4	N/A

**SAFETY OFFICE**

SAFETY OFFICE STATS	SEPT	YTD
BLOOD DRAWS	8	704
PHYSICALS COMPLETE	18	697
PHYSICAL RESCHEDULES	1	162
NO-SHOWS	2	58
INJURIES REPORTED	12	86
VEHICLE ACCIDENTS	3	51

SEPT FIREFIGHTER INJURY NATURE	#	NON EMERGENCY	EMERGENCY RESPONSE	FIRE SCENE	TRAINING
CUT/LACERATION	1	1			
DERMATITIS/SKIN	1	1			
INJURY- OTHER	2		2		
STRAIN/SPRAIN	8	3	2	1	2
TOTAL	12	5	4	1	2

YTD FIREFIGHTER INJURY NATURE	#	NON EMERGENCY	EMERGENCY RESPONSE	FIRE SCENE	TRAINING
BRUISE/CONTUSION	4	1		1	2
BURN	1			1	
CUT/LACERATION	6	4		1	1
DERMATITIS/SKIN	2	1	1		
EMOTIONAL REACTION	1			1	
FRACTURE/BREAK	1	1			
HEAT EXHAUSTION	1			1	
HERNIA	2	1		1	
ILLNESS- OTHER (COVID)	10	10			
ILLNESS- OTHER	6	2	2		2
INJURY-OTHER	6	1	4		1
PARTICLE IN EYE	2	2			
PUNCTURE	3	2		1	
STING/BITE	1	1			
STRAIN/SPRAIN	40	15	12	4	13
TOTAL	86	41	19	11	19

**EMERGENCY SERVICES**

**RECORDS MANAGEMENT**

- Updated the collection processes and analysis of the Cerebral Oximetry case study AFR's is participating in.
- Updated all EMS and Fire documentation Standard Operating Guidelines.
- Provided data to the DEA Intelligence Group revolving around AFR's Naloxone administrations and Overdose responses.
- Assisted with data revolving around AFR's calls for service and response times.
- Assisted with data revolving around AFR's emergency responses, residential and non-residential structure fire engagements
- Continued to track and analyze data revolving around assaults on EMS personnel during emergency response. This data is being used to further understand this current issue.
- Continued update and streamline the department's collection processes for billing for to AFR's Medicare/Medicaid EMS transports.
- Continued assisting the Abandoned and Dilapidated Abatement Property Team (ADAPT) identify and track activity around abandoned and nuisance structures to assist the City in mitigation efforts.
  - \* Continued to assist ADAPT in coming up with data points and creative ways to use data to increase efficiency and demonstrated division productivity and needs.
- Continued to compile all necessary data and documentation for the Medicaid Ground Ambulance Data Collection System to insure AFR is able to collect payments from Medicaid/Medicare patient transports.
- Continuing the process of moving AFR's EMS documentation to the new version of the National EMS Information System (NEMSIS). This is the national system used to collect store and share EMS data from across the country. NEMSIS develops and maintains a national standard for how patient care information is documented. This system is designed to improve patient care through standardization and point of care data aggregation.
- Provided support fill in for in for frontline units.

**QUALITY ASSURANCE**

- The EMS Division has credentialed two new paramedics who are now regularly being used for paramedic staffing.
- The EMS Division has addressed several issues utilizing the Quality Assurance & Improvement process regarding patient care, medication errors and interagency interactions.
- ECMO 1 was dispatched and utilized for AFR's first successful ECMO cannulation of 2023. AFR continues to be one of the only EMS systems in the Western hemisphere to utilize and pilot this advanced technology.

**PHARMACY**

- Updated all thermometers at the Pharmacy to keep daily track of drug temps.

**HEART**

- HEART provided 125 rides with its “Rides with HEART” rideshare service.
- The HEART Home Modification Program provided 44 home modification installation services. These home installations included grab bar installations and ramp building in order to prevent falls.
- HEART received and processed 60 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.
- Fentanyl Strips to frontline units has been completed and supply will be ongoing.
- Buprenorphine Program- Inserting information for suboxone treatment in the LBN kits. Individuals will receive access to an app with counseling, cognitive behavioral therapy and contingency mgmt. Plus, monetary rewards for compliance. Will be an ongoing push.
- To date, the HEART BEATS stroke discharge program has received over 380 referrals for service. HEART is currently working with 44 patients in the program.
- Pediatric Assessment Program is live. AFR HEART division partnered with UNM Hospital for pediatric bronchiolitis assessments. The mission is to provide a patient visit with assessment 24-48 hours post discharge for sick children who were discharged from the hospital with oxygen.
- Applied for a grant with Kellogg Foundation for funds to purchase.
- HEART Carpenter partnering with Department of Senior Affairs to assist with home mods for our elderly in the community.
- Met with Adult Protective Service to discuss referred patients.
- Continue to build and foster a partnership with New Mexico Cancer Center with Wrigley’s help.
- Partnered with ACS on several patients.
- Working closely with UNM Center for Development and Disability (CDD) for specific clients who require specific treatment plans and instructions.
- Assisted with a few Motu sessions.
- EMS Cohort mentorship meetings.
- Assisted in tutoring for Fast-Track basic students.
- Assisted with assembling 2,500 “Vidal of Life” kits.
- One member was trained on Medical Aid in Dying.
- Attended a CHW Reimbursement Discussion.
- Several members renewed their CHW licenses and background checks.
- Attended a Career Path and Retention committee.
- Participated in 9-11 Memorial Stair climb.
- Attended and Age Friendly Summit hosted by Department of Senior Affairs. The summit is geared to collect wisdom and insight to assist on a white paper for DSA.
- Fall Prevent program started the process of a Lift Assist “trial” to evaluate devices that help crews lift patients safely and effectively.
- One person was completed the professional development process.
- Provided support fill for frontline units.

**EMS TRAINING**

- During September the EMS Training Division started delivering our Fall MOTU training, which focuses on specific treatments for our pediatric patients.
- We taught multiple Lifesaver classes for community partners, with approximately fifty people learning hands only CPR, Narcan administration, and bleeding control.
- The AFR studio shot and edited multiple training videos with Dr. Pruetz, Battalion Chief Ortiz, and field providers. Several case studies that highlight individual calls and their respective treatment were released this month. These training topics included preeclampsia, anaphylaxis induced STEMIs, febrile seizures, and needle decompression of trauma patients.
- We started working on the training audits and state background check requirements for the 2024 EMS relicensure process.
- Coordinated, assigned, and tracked monthly department training on Vector Solutions.
- AFR currently has 2 students attending CNM’s paramedic program, and 19 attending UNM’s.

**SPECIAL OPERATIONS****STAFFING**

- September presented itself with standard staffing challenges for personnel in the Field Operations Center. Once again, as the academy continues to produce newly certified members at all ranks, the FOC is able to utilize the members to upgrade and fill vacancies. Accounting for members calling off is still a major variable remaining. As we come out of the summer, less members have scheduled vacation time. But at the same time, as the viral/flu season is ushered in, we have seen a slight uptick in members calling off sick for standard colds and sickness.

**SPECIAL EVENTS**

- The month of September was a relatively busy one for AFR Special Operations. September marks the final meetings in preparation for the Albuquerque International Balloon Fiesta for CABQ Public Safety. New, and improved-upon changes are in place for participant safety with regard to emergency messaging and the public safety response to escalating and intensifying sudden weather events. These new measures are the product of a full year’s worth of after-action review and discussions on this specific topic.
- The City of Albuquerque hosted a free concert on Central Ave downtown on September 16. The AFR Special Operations’ challenge was to manage our contribution in view of two other simultaneous events happening in the city on the same night. The New Mexico State Fair was having its final Saturday night in addition to the UNM vs NMSU football game at Lobo Stadium. AFR contributed assistance in all of these events seamlessly with other public safety partners providing a very good experience for Burquenos experiencing the concert.

**WILDLAND**

- For the month of September, the Wildland Division sent resources to assist with the wildfires in Northern New Mexico, through the New Mexico Resource Mobilization Plan (NMRMP). AFR was able to fill multiple requests with a REMs Team, Type 3 engine and a Division trainee. All three AFR resources received stellar reviews regarding their performance. The REMs team was assigned to Stout Canyon, E317 to El Valle, and Captain Fox to El Valle and Carson National Forest as Division trainee.
- All wildland resources have returned home from their September fire assignments.
- AFR's Wildland Division is still anticipating fire assignments that may be coming from surrounding local areas and out of state.
- The Wildland Division is currently preparing for the International Balloon Fiesta, demo of new Mark 3 pumps, and 101st Cadet Class Wildland Week.



**HAZMAT**

- Station 13 and the Hazardous Materials (HM) Coordinator participated in a United Nations tabletop exercise, which simulated a break-in at the University's Veterinary Laboratory that housed biological materials. This incident resulted in one person being exposed to an unidentified biological substance. The primary focus of this exercise was to enhance our collaborative emergency response capabilities.
- The 101st cadet class received comprehensive training in Hazmat Awareness and Operations (Hazmat A&O). This 40-hour course included an International Fire Service Accreditation Congress (IFSAC) examination, and successful completion led to certification.

**HEAVY TECHNICAL RESCUE**

- HTR program hosted our confined space rescue course for our Rescue members to safely interact with these environments. Confined spaces result in 2 out of 3 would be rescuers become victims in these rescues. This program meets industry standards and NFPA standards to ensure that our members will be safe, and will give any patient a fighting chance.

**COMMUNICATIONS AND TECHNICAL SERVICES**

**ALARM ROOM**

INCOMING CALL CATEGORY	SEPT	YTD
EMERGENCY	8,991	60,421
NON-EMERGENCY (INCOMING & OUTGOING)	7,192	40,081
TOTAL PHONE CALLS PROCESSED	16,183	106,502
DISPATCHED CALLS		
ALBUQUERQUE FIRE RESCUE	8,055	66,552
ALBUQUERQUE AMBULANCE CALLS ONLY	1,023	11,600
ALBUQUERQUE COMMUNITY SAFETY	3,637	29,398
CITY SECURITY	6	52
TOTAL	12,721	107,602

The difference between calls processed and dispatched calls can be attributed to calls assigned to other agencies such as BCFD, Rio Rancho, APD ACS, poison control, etc. or duplicate calls such as; Multiple callers reporting the same incident, calls from APD dispatcher, calls from AAS dispatchers field personnel calling Alarm Room and calls that are redirected to other agencies (County, Rio Rancho, APD, ACS, poison control etc.)

**PLANNING AND LOGISTICS**

**CIP**

- Station 21 had Test and Balance of HVAC System to ensure optimal performance.
- Station 14 Mechanical and controls upgrade completed and working well.
- Station 11 in process of HVAC unit replacement.
- Multiple stations received landscape irrigation repairs.
- All Generators received annual PM, one generator will need additional work.
- Fire Suppression system repaired at the 911 center.

CIP STATS	SEPT	YTD
TICKETS CREATED	75	857
ALL TICKETS CURRENTLY OPEN	29	97
TICKETS CLOSED/RESOLVED	46	787

**LOGISTICS**

- First Round of Donated Tempur-Pedic Mattresses Distributed.
- New Logistics PPE Tech Victor Quintana started this month.

LOGISTICS STATS	SEPT	YTD
TICKETS CREATED	194	3,021
ALL TICKETS CURRENTLY OPEN	25	N/A
TICKETS CLOSED/RESOLVED	169	1,315
FLASH HOODS LAUNDERED	45	605
TURNOUT GEAR LAUNDERED	40	330
WILDLAND GEAR LAUNDERED	3	47
BUNKER GEAR INSPECTED	N/A	N/A

**FLEET**

- 5 new Rescues deployed in the last month.
- 4 new Battalion Chief trucks will be deployed in October.

FLEET CHECK IT	SEPT	YTD
TICKETS CREATED	231	1,621
ALL TICKETS CURRENTLY OPEN	89	486
TICKETS CLOSED/RESOLVED	141	1,164
FLEET ASSET WORKS		
TOTAL WORK ORDERS	164	1,033
WORK ORDERS % CLOSED IN 24 HOURS	51%	51%
CALL-OUTS	17	71
PM's COMPLETED	51	286
SPARED OUT	3	13

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