

Fire Chief's Report
(April 18 2024)

A. Operations

a. Incidents

- i. **Incidents for the month** Med (9) Assist (1) MVA (1) Grass fires (6) WBC (0) Structure fires (0) Fire alarms (0) Investigations (1) Car fires (0) Mutal aid (0) life flight (0) total calls 18
- ii. **Incidents year-to-date**, Med (18) Assist (1) MVA (2) Grass fires (11) WBC (0) Structure fires (4) Fire alarms (1) Investigations (0) Car fires (0) Mutal aid (1) life flight (0) total calls 38
- iii. **Incidents year-to-date compared to last year-to-date**, 2023 calls total was (117) this year so far, we have had (38)

b. Training

- i. 4 gas meter training (gx-2012) on 4-9-24 all but 2 firefighters was present for the traing.
- ii.

c. Changes

- i. We changed all the firefighter radio numbers

d. Vehicle/Equipment Maintenance (including radios)

- i.
- ii.

e. Purchases made by chief for operations

- i. Ordered two Cardiac child life-cpr-d padz one piece defibrillation and CPR system with compression, depth and rate sensors, 5yr shelf life, our was going out of date and we had them send us a new one.
- ii. We order new adult and child pulse meters, new blood pressure cuffs, new thermometers, glucose kits, resuscitor bag kits, we now have 4 medical bags put together in med 1, pumper 2, brush 1, and a floating bag between brush 2 and recue 10.
- iii. Epson printer for the tightwad station
- iv.

f. Accidents/Work Compensation Insurance Claims/Near Misses

- i. Work comp. (0) near misses (0)

B. Major Activities

a. Community/Public Relations

- i. None

b. Media Relations

- i. Facebook last 28 days: Reach 1.1k down 15% Post Engagements 447 up 7% New followers 4 and 2 Unfollows.

c. Special Projects

- i.

d. Inter-governmental

- i. Henry county Emergency management sent an email out about updating our id cards, they even want the board members to have them. He sent this out to all the other departments in Henry County. I need to get pictures and the forms back so I can get them sent in and have made.
- ii. Henry county Emergency Management got a grant for 4 gas monitors and we received one and they also gave us Narcan to have on hand.

e. Strategic Planning

i.

C. Administration

a. Building and Grounds (including radio towers)

i. We are looking into trash service at the tightwad station.

ii. MFA checked out the propane tank float and said it was working properly and the put 200 gallons of propane in the tank.

b. Computer and Telephone Systems

i. Did buy printer for Tightwad fire station.

D. For Consideration by the Board

a. Proposed policy changes-none

b. Purchases/Contracts

c. Personnel recommendations

i. Employment-none

ii. Promotion/Demotion/Other Changes requiring Board approval -none

iii. Discipline-None

iv. Resignations/Terminations-None