



**DISTRICT 2 EMERGENCY SERVICES, INC.  
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**Monthly Command Report**

**For January 2021**

**Emergency Response:**

For the month of January, there were a total of **41** fire calls. Average response time for the month was **5** minutes and **49** seconds. This is a door-to-door time. An increased response time was experienced due to mechanical issues. Additional information can be viewed in the all in one report for the month.

For the month of January, there were total of **39** EMS calls with **29** Transports and **10** non- transports. Of the transports, there were **25** ALS and **04** BLS calls. 2 of the BLS transports were interfacility transfers completed by the transfer medic unit.

ALS- Advanced Life Support

BLS- Basic Life Support

**Emergency Vehicles:**

**B-21(91)**- Apparatus is being checked daily without any major issues to report.

**5-TON/B92**: Apparatus is out of service due to a blown head gasket, but still runs and drive. The apparatus will be decommissioned and sold. Funds from sale will cover repairs to a light brush truck. Bids are currently being accepted for this apparatus.

**2 ½ Ton/B 21(93)**: Apparatus is being checked daily without any major issues to report. Apparatus will be coming up for new tires and some suspension repairs.

**E-22(90)**: Apparatus is still out of service. Annual PM is currently on hold.

**E-21(91)**: Apparatus is being checked daily without any major issues to report.

**T-21(90)**: Apparatus is being checked daily without any major issues to report.

**M-23(90)**: The medic unit is being checked daily and is in good working order. The medic unit is now in service as a transfer unit and is housed at Station 1.

**M-22(91)**: The medic unit is being checked daily without any major issues to report. This unit has been moved to station 2.

**M-21 (New Medic Unit):** Unit has been delivered by Siddons. The unit is housed at Station 1 and is in service. Unit is being checked daily without any issues to report.

**Command:** The unit is being checked daily without any major issues to report. We have been working to update some of the on-board equipment in house. Unit is scheduled to have the rear chevron repaired by Siddons. Transmission will be looked at due to possible slipping.

**Rescue 21 (90):** Apparatus is being checked daily without any major issues to report.

**MISC:**

All front-line apparatus including base station radios have been updated.

**Personnel:**

We are still working to increase our number of local volunteers.

During the months of December and January, inactive personnel were removed from the department's roster.

**Administration:**

\*\*\*Command staff has been working closely with local and state agencies to ensure that our department is professionally trained and prepared for anything that may come from the COVID-19 Pandemic. We are starting to look into commercial disinfection/infection control units for the Medic units.

The agreements for the employee retirement have been completed and are under review by our attorney.

District 2 Health, Dental & Vision are up for renewal. District 2 personnel are working with meeting with our representative through open enrollment.

The District currently pays a \$250.00 flat rate towards plan fees, for personnel who are enrolled. We do not currently have a life insurance program that we as a department offer to our staff. All life insurance plans are set up, paid, and maintained by the individual employee.

Since we broker with the same agent for all department policies, we are able to offer a Department life insurance policy of \$25,000 for \$25.00 a month that covers all District 2 personnel. I am asking the District to please consider covering this cost. The \$25.00 a month covers for all District 2 personnel to have a \$25,000 guaranteed life insurance policy.

A regular Officer meeting is scheduled for Friday February 11<sup>th</sup>.

## **Training:**

### EMS

Crews reviewed and trained on the following:

- Mega Code
- Proper ECG placement
- NREMT Skills evaluations for new EMT's
- Equipment & apparatus familiarization for new EMT's

### Fire

Crews reviewed and trained on the following:

- Master streams
- Pump familiarization
- Pump operations
- Hydrant operations
- Equipment & apparatus familiarization for new firefighters

## **Station:**

Any public walk ups to the department are being redirected to the front doors instead on leaving the apparatus bays open. This is to ensure health safety for both the public and the personnel.

The alerting system at Station 2 has been installed by Industrial Communications and is working properly.

## **Grants/Donations:**

Crews will continue working on the new Heavy brush truck in house, this must be in service by May per the Forestry service.

The apparatus will need to be painted and have department logo placed. We can do this in house but will need to buy supplies.

We will also need to fabricate a bed for the skid unit (eater pump, tank, hose reels) to be mounted to. We can build this in house but will need to purchase the materials to do so. We will be asking for approval for a to not exceed amount to purchase these supplies.

We are currently working on compiling information needed to submit our application for the current FEMA Assistance to Firefighters grant

## **Public Relations:**

The department is beginning to sit back down to discuss and plan how we can safely begin to be more involved in the community with public relation events.

**Fire:** Our biggest obstacle remains to be the age and condition of apparatus and equipment. The new Edraulic rescue tools have started to come in. All should be received by the end of February.

**EMS:**

The Standard Medical Operating Protocols are currently under annual review by Doctor Ogden and Chief Marconi. All protocols are being converted to flow chart format.

**Misc.:** A major focus point of the department has been to create a strong professional working relationship with surrounding departments.

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