

# Jim Ned VFD Annual Newsletter

JIM NED VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

738 BUFFALO GAP ROAD | TUSCOLA TX 79562

Dear JNVFD Supporters,

The Jim Ned Volunteer Fire Department is dedicated to serving and protecting Tuscola and the surrounding areas. Every day our brave volunteers stand ready to respond to fires, medical emergencies, and other calls for assistance. As a 100% volunteer-based organization, we rely heavily on the community's support to maintain our operational readiness. Therefore, without your support, we are unable to maintain the high-quality emergency services we provide. That's why we're reaching out to you – to ask for your help to ensure we continue to be there when you need us. Below are some ways you can help support us and truly make a difference.

- 1) Donate: Every contribution helps, no matter how big or small. Your generosity will directly support the work of your volunteer firefighters and help keep our community safe.
- 2) Spread the word: Share our newsletter with your friends, family, and colleagues. Together, we can raise awareness about the important work of your Jim Ned Volunteer Fire Department.
- 3) Get involved: Consider volunteering - your time and support are invaluable to us. We have both operations and support roles.

There are 3 convenient ways for you to donate:

- Send a donation in the enclosed envelope.
- Log onto [jimnedfire.com](http://jimnedfire.com) and click the donate link.
- Scan the QR code below to donate to our PayPal or Venmo accounts.

Your contributions allow us to maintain the necessary training and equipment to respond to your emergency effectively and efficiently; Helps us recruit and retain our volunteer firefighters; Funds our capital improvement plans, such as our new fire truck and fire station expansion project; And supports our Community Outreach and Education programs.

The Jim Ned Volunteer Fire Department is dedicated to assisting others in their time of need. However, we cannot do it alone, it truly takes all of us to "Protect the Tribe".

Regards,

John Brunett, Fire Chief

## GET YOUR ADDRESS SIGNAGE



When you call for help, we need to be able to find you. Your address must be visible from the road/street in front of your property. A reflective, highly visible day or night JNVFD address sign will assist our volunteers in finding your home. We suggest at least one for every residence. Again, this signage is critical to help our volunteers find you when you need us. With a minimum donation of \$35 you can have one.

- Email your name, address and phone to [president@jimnedfire.com](mailto:president@jimnedfire.com) if you make a minimum donation of \$35.
- You may also send your donation to Jim Ned VFD 738 Buffalo Gap Road, Tuscola, Texas 79562. Please be sure to include your name, address and phone with your check.



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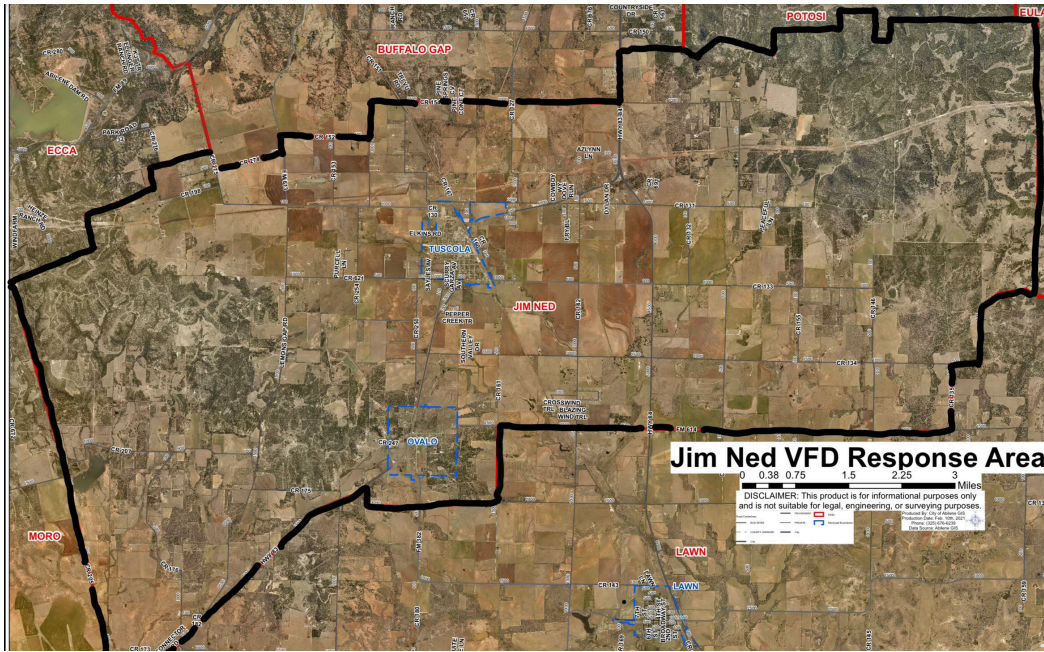
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# JIM NED VFD RESPONSE AREA



If you receive our Jim Ned VFD Newsletter but live outside our response area, please know you are not expected to donate. Your support and interest mean a lot, but we want to be sure our local donors understand that their contributions directly fund the service we provide within our coverage area.

## JNVFD 4th of July Celebration and Annual Car Show

Our biggest fundraising event of the year is coming up fast! Please join us for our 4th of July Celebration with a great classic car show, BBQ and hot dog meals. Car registration starts at 8am, with food trucks on hand to serve breakfast and specialty drinks. Brisket and hot dogs will be served from 11am to 3pm by your Jim Ned Volunteer Fire Department Members. Late afternoon, food trucks will serve meals, snacks and drinks before the City of Tuscola Fireworks Show beginning at dusk. Please join us at the Tuscola Community Park on July 4th. We can't wait to see you there!!! For more information visit us at [tuscolacarshow.com](http://tuscolacarshow.com)

Thanks to the dedication of our volunteers and the spirit of our community, the Jim Ned VFD has secured a brand-new fire engine that will serve our area for years to come. Now, we're reaching out to our neighbors for help in covering the remaining cost. Your donation is more than a gift, it's an investment in safety, readiness, and well-being of every family in our district. We are deeply grateful for any support you can offer.



## Community Involvement

If you would like us to be part of an event like a party, sporting event, or educational opportunity, please reach out to Assistant Fire Chief Benjamin Young at [byoung@jimnedfire.com](mailto:byoung@jimnedfire.com). Donations are greatly appreciated.

## Memorial Donations

We have recently received several donations in memory of loved family members or friends. We appreciate our community naming us as a charitable recipient of these donations in times of loss. If you would like more information, please email [treasurer@jimnedfire.com](mailto:treasurer@jimnedfire.com).



Congratulations to the 2025 "Bob Eisenberg" Firefighter of the Year Troy McCullough



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