

Callery VFC Report

June 2024

Brigade

- Incident Stats
 1. Volume
 - 65 (63 Fire/2 QRS) calls for May
 - 250 (215 Fire/35 QRS) calls for 2024.
 2. Staffing
 - Staffing levels for May were at 5 firefighters per call.
 - We set staffing level goals for 2024. Goal is a minimum of 3 FF per call 90% of the time
 - Currently we are at 3 FF per call 95.2% of the time. 9% increase over last year
 - Top 3 Responders for May
 - Josh Neugebauer – 52 calls
 - Randy Hoffman – 48 Calls
 - Robert Samarin – 45 Calls
 3. Times
 - Average enroute time – 2:25
 - Response time compliance in primary district (Dispatch to on scene within 12 minutes)
 - Our primary district is considered rural due to less than 500 ppl per square mile.
 - NFPA 1720 – Rural VFDs, 6 members within 14 minutes 80% of the time
 - May – 92.3%
 - 2024 – 94.44%
 - 2023 – 97.87%
- Incident Reports
 1. Working Incidents
 - 5/25/2024 – MacFadden Dr – Structure Fire (Wexford district)
 - Engine 19 was alerted as part of a first alarm structure fire response into Pine Twp, Allegheny county. First arriving units advised a header from a distance and a working fire on arrival. Engine 19(W6) arrived and assumed the 2nd due engine responsibility. Laying in 1,000ft of supply line, crews stretched a 300ft line from Engine 228 to the second floor. Engine 19s crew located fire in a bedroom closet and a crawl space. Crews from 42 Adams Area Fire District, 241 Richland Township VFD opened up and extinguished all visible fire before being replaced by additional manpower. Crews operated on scene for almost 3 hours. Squad also responded with additional manpower and Engine 2 was staffed in station for additional calls in Adams Township, surrounding area.
 - 5/26/2024 – Spithaler School Rd – MVC w/Fire (Evans City District)
 - Around 22:30 on 5/26, Engine 19 was alerted to assist 20 with a vehicle accident. Vehicle off the road and on fire- unknown if occupied. Engine 19 was on the road quickly with 5. While enroute, units received multiple updates from dispatch- FF on scene advising the vehicle was well involved and not occupied. Chief 20 arrived just after updates, confirming the info. Engine 19 and Rescue 20 arrived simultaneously with Engine 19 placing a 1 3/4 in service for extinguishment.
- Operational notes
 1. Will be presenting a proposal for NFIRS and station reporting software to Board of Directors
 - Proposed cost is around \$11,000 a year
- Fleet Report
 1. Mini pumper update
 - Currently in limited service. Will be going to get lettering done.
 2. No new offers for Brush Truck
 3. Will be replacing tires on Engine.

- Equipment
 1. QRS license is the process to renew license.
 2. Looking to purchase intake valve and suction hose for E19-2
- Misc
 1. Reminder that Kline Ave is closed now due to bridge replacement
 2. Raffles are currently being held. We have completed four raffles so far
 3. PR committee have completed multiple events for the public