

Town of Riverview
FIRE DEPARTMENT MONTHLY REPORT



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Month & Year: NOVEMBER & DECEMBER 2023

Section 1: Operational Dashboard

Metric	NOV 2023	OCT 2023	Annual Result	NOV 2022
Structure Fires	0	0	7	1
Fires (Other - Chimney, Electrical)	3	1	16	1
False Alarms (Malicious)	0	0	0	0
Alarms (No Fire - Residential or Commercial)	11	13	125	4
Vehicle Accidents, Water/Special Rescue	7	3	77	4
Public Hazards (spills, gas leaks etc.)	5	15	54	2
Public Assistance Miscellaneous	3	3	50	2
Vehicle Fires	2	0	8	0
Grass/Brush Fires.	0	1	9	0
Mutual Aid Provided	0	0	2	0
Medical First Responder incidents	105	113	1420	112
TOTAL	136	149	1768	126

Metric	DEC 2023	NOV 2023	Annual Result	DEC 2022
Structure Fires	2	0	9	3
Fires (Other - Chimney, Electrical)	2	3	18	0
False Alarms (Malicious)	0	0	0	0
Alarms (No Fire - Residential or Commercial)	14	11	139	11
Vehicle Accidents, Water/Special Rescue	9	7	86	11
Public Hazards (spills, gas leaks etc.)	11	5	65	3
Public Assistance Miscellaneous	5	3	55	8
Vehicle Fires	0	2	8	1
Grass/Brush Fires.	2	0	11	0
Mutual Aid Provided	0	0	2	1
Medical First Responder incidents	131	105	1551	122
TOTAL	176	136	1944	160

Section 2: Status of Department's Operational Priorities for 2023

Priority	Status
Administration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The draft of the 2024-2028 RFR Strategic Plan is complete. The department will be working with Communications in January to prepare a final document for presentation. A volunteer firefighter recruitment was successfully conducted over November and December, with training of eleven new firefighters to commence in January.
Operations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The annual call volume for Riverview Fire and Rescue increased 37% in comparison to 2022. This was driven by both a higher number of medical calls, and a higher number of residential and commercial fire alarms. Medical calls are expected to stabilize, but in other categories a gradual continued increase is anticipated. Two volunteer firefighters completed Level One Training and have commenced their probationary period.
Training	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A total of 287 total training hours were completed in November, and a total of 106.75 in December. Topics included: Highrise fire operations; Case study related to propane leak response; Medical Director testing; Fire Dynamics presentation. An ICS 200 course was held at Riverview Fire and Rescue, with one TOR staff member receiving certification. Two career firefighters were certified as confined space entry and rescue instructors. Ten volunteer firefighters achieved ICS 100 certifications.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Two Deputy Chiefs completed the Operations Section Chief (ICS) course. • Two volunteer firefighters completed Level 1, Block 5, Hazmat Awareness and Operations.
Fire Prevention & Education Report	<p><u>Fire Inspections</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There was a total of four (4) fire safety inspection conducted in the month of November, with three being in apartments and one being daycare. • There was a total of three (3) fire safety inspection conducted in the month of December, with three being in apartments. <p><u>Fire Prevention and Education</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Two fire safety lectures presented during November (Nursing Home and Youth Centre). • In December, we worked with TOR staff on a Winter Evacuation Plan for the Pat Crossman Pool. <p><u>Fire Investigations</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There were no structural fires in the month of November requiring investigation. • There was one structural fire in the month of December which did require investigation.