# Town of Riverview FIRE DEPARTMENT MONTHLY REPORT

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## **Section 1: Operational Dashboard**

Metric	Current Period	Previous Period	Annual Result	March 2017
Structure Fires	0	2	6	1
Fires (Other - Chimney, Electrical)	0	0	2	1
False Alarms (Malicious	0	0	0	0
Alarms (No Fire - Residential or Commercial)	5	10	31	8
Vehicle Accidents, Water/Special Rescue	7	3	18	7
Public Hazards(spills, gas leaks etc)	4	2	9	2
Public Assistance Miscellaneous	2	0	4	3
Vehicle Fires	0	0	0	1
Grass/Brush Fires.	0	0	1	1
Mutual Aid Provided	0	0	1	0
Medical First Responder incidents	64	78	210	69
TOTAL	82	95	282	93

### Section 2: Status of Department's Operational Priorities for 2018

Priority	Status
Operations	<ul> <li>The tender for the roof shingles replacement has been written and posted.</li> </ul>
	The new truck for the Deputy Chief of Training has been ordered.  Expecting delivery late June – early July.
	One new Career Fire Fighter (Ben LeBlanc) started with the Fire Department (19 March 18).

- As a result of the recent Swift Water training program, 3 fighters have re-certified in Swift Water Rescue and 7 additional fire fighters have obtain swift water rescue certification. Riverview Fire and Rescue now has 15 Level II or above Swift Water Rescue Technicians.
- A committee has been formed to select possible a new model Self Contained Breathing Apparatus for future purchase.
- A committee has been formed to select possible new style firefighting gear for future purchase.

### Training

### Regular in-house volunteer training sessions, topics covered:

- Level 1 fire fighter Skill Stations
- Responding to Hybrid/Electric Vehicles

### Total of 85 hrs of personnel training

### Optional volunteer training sessions, topics covered:

- One Volunteer fire fighter completed an ice rescue recertification course.
- Six Volunteer fire fighters commenced recertification as First Responders / Emergency Medical Responders.
- Eight Volunteer fire fighters participated in Swift Water Rescue skill assessments.

### Total of 66 hrs of personnel training

# Regular In-house training sessions with career firefighting crews, topics covered:

- Off-Road Rescue Equipment Review (Rescue Mule)
- Vent, Enter, Isolate, Search (Fire Tactics)

- Orientation training sessions with new career firefighter Ben LeBlanc
- Ice Rescue Re-certifications
- Two Career fire fighters participated in Swift Water Rescue skill assessments

### Total of 173.5hrs of personnel training

### **Certifications:**

• Eleven fire fighters recertified in Ice Rescue by Deputy True

### **Additional Notes:**

 Approximately 30% of Orientation Training completed with new career Firefighter Ben LeBlanc.

# Fire Prevention & Education Report

### Fire Inspections

 There were eleven fire safety inspections conducted in March; three daycares, three apartment buildings, two care facilities, one business, one fuel dispensing business, and one assembly occupancy.

#### Fire Prevention & Education

- Social Media Report: The fire department Twitter feed had 2 K views in March, and the Facebook page had 12 K views.
- There was one in-station tour with a Youth Hockey Team, 22 people.

#### **Fire Investigation**

There were no fires in March requiring a detailed investigation