Town of Riverview FIRE DEPARTMENT MONTHLY REPORT

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Month & Year: October 2018



Section 1: Operational Dashboard

Metric	Current Period	Previous Period	Annual Result	2017
Structure Fires	2	3	20	2
Fires (Other - Chimney, Electrical)	2	2	13	0
False Alarms (Malicious	0	0	0	0
Alarms (No Fire - Residential or Commercial)	10	4	83	8
Vehicle Accidents, Water/Special Rescue	8	10	79	15
Public Hazards(spills, gas leaks etc)	3	4	44	4
Public Assistance Miscellaneous	1	1	15	1
Vehicle Fires	0	0	5	1
Grass/Brush Fires.	0	3	19	4
Mutual Aid Provided	0	0	5	0
Medical First Responder incidents	70	66	531	55
TOTAL	96	93	914	90

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

Priority	Status
Operations	 GIS Contract has been received and signed by the Mayor and Clerk. We are awaiting signatures from the Moncton Mayor and Clerk. Riverview Fire and Rescue 2019 Budget has been submitted for review. Two new defibrillators have arrived. Once all personnel have received their training on these units they will be put in service.

<u>In-house Volunteer Firefighter training sessions, topics covered:</u>

Training

- GPS Training
- Smoke Detector Campaign
- Level 1 Firefighter Skill Stations
- Total of 119 hrs of personnel training

Optional volunteer training sessions, topics covered:

- Rope Rescue Operations and Technician Course
- Total of 251 hrs of personnel training

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

- Rope Rescue Operations Course
- Liefepak 15 Defibrillator Orientation
- Total of 252 hrs of personnel training

Optional Career firefighter training

- Rope Rescue Technician Course
- Total of 39 hrs of personnel training

Certifications:

 Nine volunteer firefighters and three career firefighters completed a Rope Rescue Technician Course.

Additional Notes:

• Work started on developing a complete inventory of equipment in the technical rescue trailer.

Fire Prevention & Education Report

Fire Inspections

 There were eighteen fire safety inspections conducted in October; four daycares, four apartments, two care facilities, two assembly occupancies, two commercial properties, two businesses, one restaurant, and one liquor license.

Fire Prevention & Education

- Social Media Report: The fire department Twitter feed had 3 K views in October, and the Facebook page had 35 K views.
- During our annual Smoke Alarm Campaign during fire prevention week, 160 homes were visited. Of these homes, 11% did not

have a working smoke alarm prior to our visit.

- Fire Prevention Open House was held on October 13, with approximately 1000 people attending. Over 500 fire prevention colouring books and helmets were given out to kids attending.
- Fire Prevention Week visits to schools in Riverview had Home Escape Plan presentations given to 350 kindergarten and grade 1 children and 435 Fire Safety handbooks were given to grade 3 and 4 students.

Fire Investigation

• There were two fires in October requiring investigation; an arson fire, and a small kitchen fire in an apartment due to food being left on a stove during a power outage.