



OLYMPIC VALLEY PUBLIC SERVICE DISTRICT



EXHIBIT G-1
4 Pages

FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT

DATE: September 26, 2023
TO: District Board Members
FROM: Brad Chisholm, Fire Chief
SUBJECT: Fire Department Report – Information Only

BACKGROUND: The discussion section below provides information from the Fire Department regarding operations and activities that are not the subject of a separate report. This report is prepared to provide new information and recent progress only.

DISCUSSION: Training:

EMS: SSV Policies, Respiratory Emergencies, Infrequent Skills, Adult & Pedi IV/IO, ALS Scenarios for FF Assessment, Pedi Shock/Pain, Capnography, CPR Skills, Medical & Trauma Assessment, Cardiac Monitor, Mega Code
Fire/Rescue: FF Safety/Survival, Radio Training, Forcible Entry, Elevator Rescue, WT-21 Drafting/Port-A-Tank, Ladders, Seasonal FF Task Books, Confidence Course, Backcountry Rescue, Ropes, Confined Space, Trench Rescue

Public Education:

Child Seat install, Defensible Space inquiries, Firewise Community Meeting prep, OV-4 Community Meeting prep

Fire Prevention/Inspections:

Plan Checks (7), Sprinkler Rough (2), Building Final (2), LPG (2), STR Defensible Space (9), Tent (2), Solar (1)
Defensible Space - Commercial (3)
Other: Fire Drill - Creekside Charter; Numerous Calls/Visits per fuels reduction

Equipment:

Brush 21: Replace DEF sending unit; New front seats

Note: Fewer training topics due to FF/Medic Assessment preparation: Logistics, References, Application review, Interview, EMS Assessment

Overtime (OT) & Forced Overtime (FOT) Hours:

Regular OT hours for Current period: 246 hours (Aug. 22 to Sept. 19, 2023)

Forced OT hours for Current period: 0 hours (Aug. 22 to Sept. 19, 2023)

Days, since last report, dropped to 3 on duty (flex min staffing to 3): 0 days

Year to Date OT hours: 1,805.5 hours

Year to Date FOT hours: 226 hours

Emergency Calls:

Please see attached pages.

Total calls for the period: 42 (Aug. 22 to Sept. 19, 2023)

Year to Date 2023 calls: 542 (YTD 2022: 446 Calls)

Notable Items:

Palisades meeting; Fire & law evacuation meeting; FF/Medic Assessment; Liberty Energy meeting; Fire Ball contingency

Pending: OV Firewise Community meeting; OV-4 community meeting; JPA chiefs & Supervisor Gustafson meeting; Fire & Caltrans meeting

Staffing and Employment Opportunities:

- We continue to run two shifts at minimum/flex staffing, plus a Seasonal FF.
- After advertising for over three months on the four leading FF recruitment platforms, we received nine applications. Three didn't qualify, six were invited to test, two showed up, neither made it to the FC/GM interview.

Assessment included:

- 100 pt. multi-choice FF test
- 50 pt. multi-choice ALS test
- ALS Assessment: two scenarios, mannequins, role players, assistants, scorers
- Panel interview

Looking at staffing options. This is a considerable challenge with competition for employees being industry wide.

Funding Strategies Considerations/Proposals:

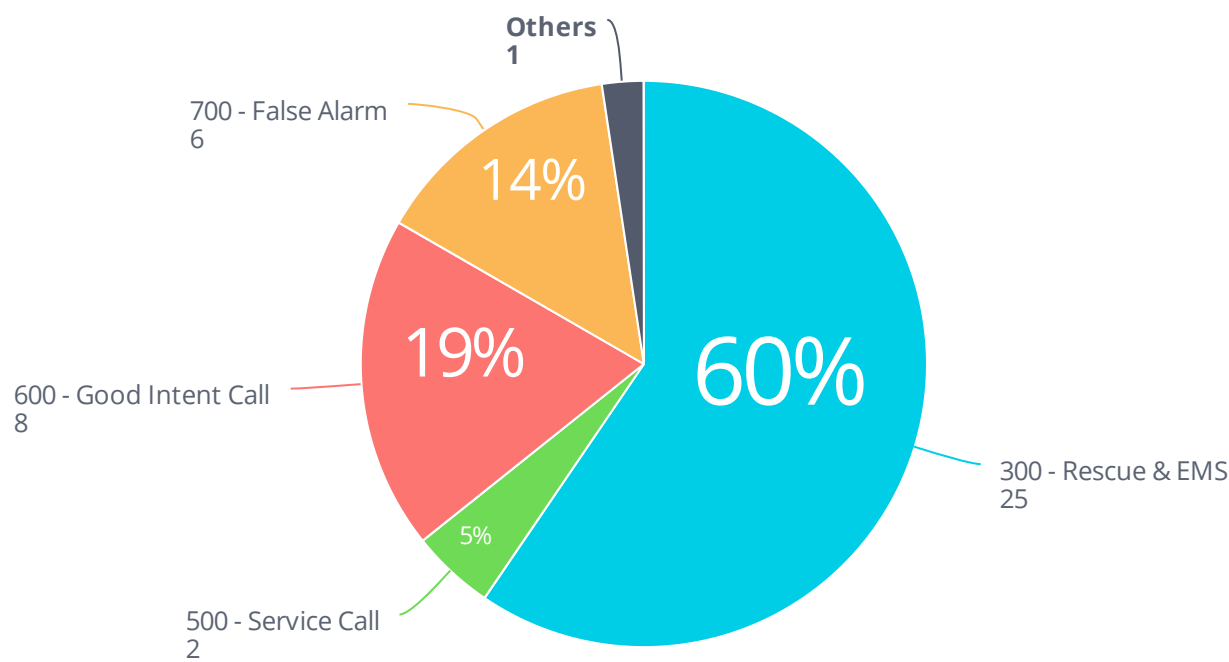
- Near Term: Fundraising, Sponsorships, Cost sharing
- Medium Term: Cost recovery, TOT/TBID funding
- Long Term: Tax measure

ATTACHMENTS: Total Record Volume by Incident Type Report.

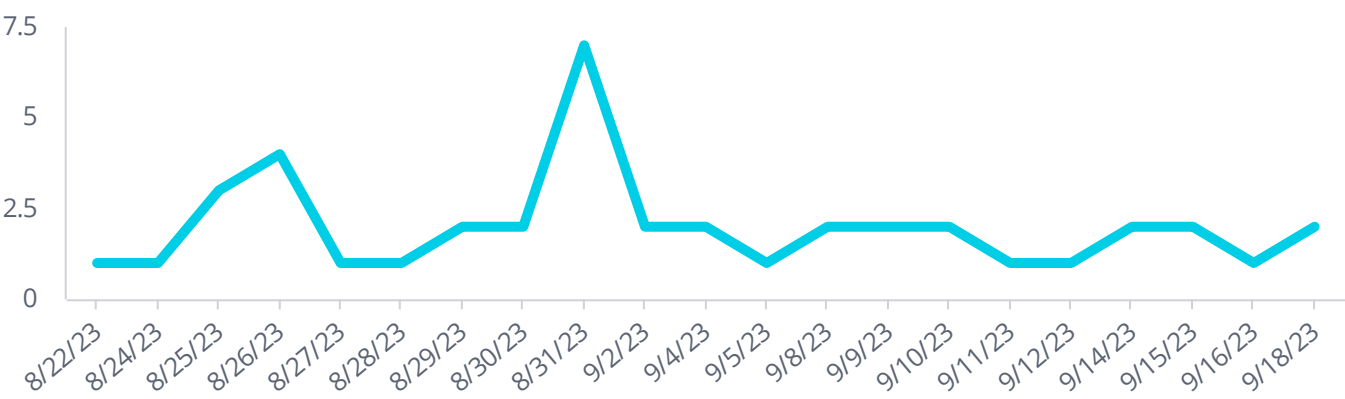
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Call volume by incident type group



Total Record Volume By Incident Type

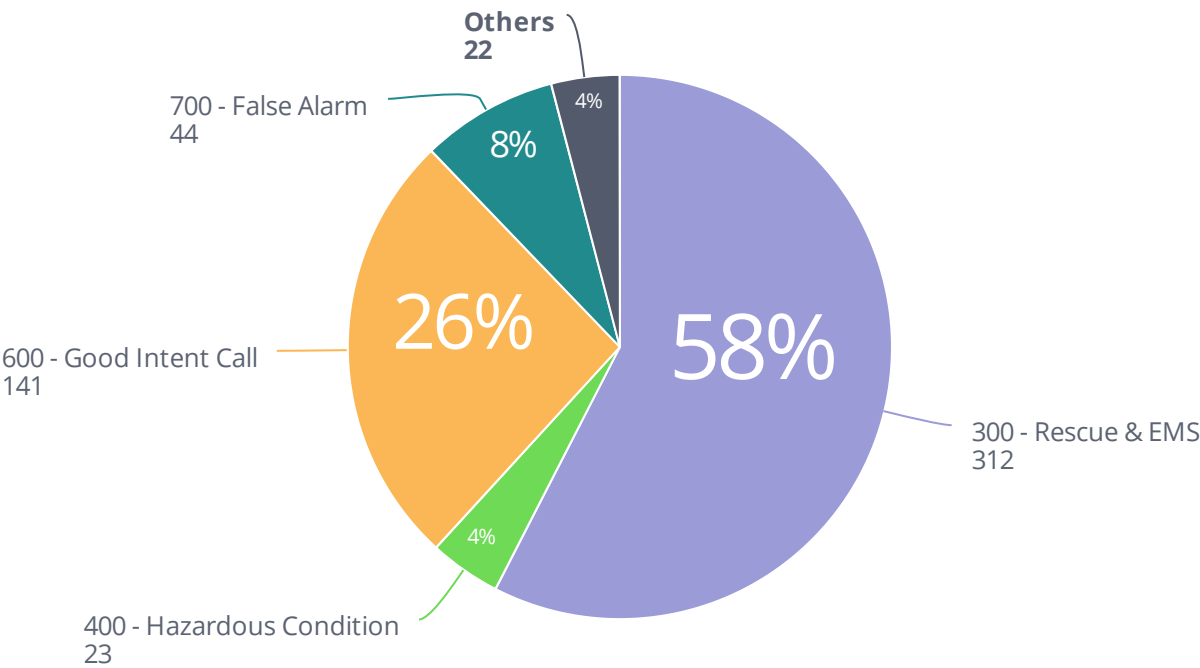


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