

**TOWNSHIP OF EDWARDSBURGH CARDINAL
INFORMATION ITEM**

Committee: Public Works, Environmental Services & Facilities

Date: February 18, 2020

Department: Fire

Topic: 4th Quarter Fire Report

Calls by Month: October - 15 November - 24 December – 20

	2019					2018				
Call Type	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total
Fire/Smoke	4	10	1	8	23	7	8	21	3	39
MVC	7	2	3	9	21	14	5	6	5	30
Medical	4	4	6	7	21	12	9	4	6	31
Activated Alarms	3	5	2	8	18	3	10	8	7	28
Burn Complaints	0	6	2	1	9	1	4	6	0	11
Public Assistance	6	6	2	8	22	11	5	3	1	20
Mutual Aid	2	2	1	1	6	1	3	1	2	7
Grass Fires	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	2
Assistance Not Req'd	7	14	13	6	40	2	7	8	10	27
Stand By	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cancelled on Route	4	1	2	10	17	2	0	2	0	4
Not Found	0	1	0	1	2	1	2	3	0	6
Total	37	53	32	59	181	54	55	63	34	205

Fire Losses:

\$225,000 - Car fire inside garage
 \$ 500 - Derby Car
 \$ 70,000 - Corn Dryer
 \$ 30,000 - Combine

Updates/Changes to Department:

- Chassis has been ordered for new Rescue Truck (2021 International)
- Received a Jenny's Heroes grant for a Hurst hydraulic ram valued at \$12,000
- Provided 50 hours of stand-by coverage at Greenery site during system testing
- Dispatch updates are nearing completion. Hope to go live in Q1
- Hosted EMS Bootcamp with over 150 attendees from several different agencies, ECFD provided extrication demo and participated in scenarios as first responders
- Recruit testing and interviews

Meetings Attended:

- JHSC, Association, Officers' X2, Stn #2 Working Group, Admin, Information Night for New Recruits

Training/Courses Attended:

- Two Monday night regular training sessions which included topics on Building Sizeup/Construction and Incident Command/Reading Smoke
- Presentations/training sessions on Workplace Harassment/Violence Policy; PTSD/Critical Incident Stress Family Awareness Night and Trans Canada Pipeline Awareness/Emergency Response
- 33 online training courses completed
- Four firefighters received their First Aid/CPR/AED/BLS Certifications
- Seven firefighters completed 40 hour First Responder Course
- In house training has begun for four firefighters on the Pump Operators Course
- Four truck, equipment and hall checks were performed
- One Firefighter wrote Fire Officer I exam at Mississippi Mills Training Centre

Fire Prevention:

- Hosted 15 kids from the Early Years Centre in Cardinal with Fire Prevention material and a station tour
- Participated at both Stations for Halloween night with FP material/candy
- Hosted a tour for the local Beavers' Group with FP material
- Hosted a Fire Prevention contest for Centennial/South Edwardsburgh Schools to submit Escape Plans. Three students from each school were drawn and received a ride to school in a Fire Truck
- Participated in Fire Prevention week at Walmart in Brockville, handing out material and providing information
- Group home inspection and follow-up completed
- CREWS facility tour Chief and PFD DC Gilmer
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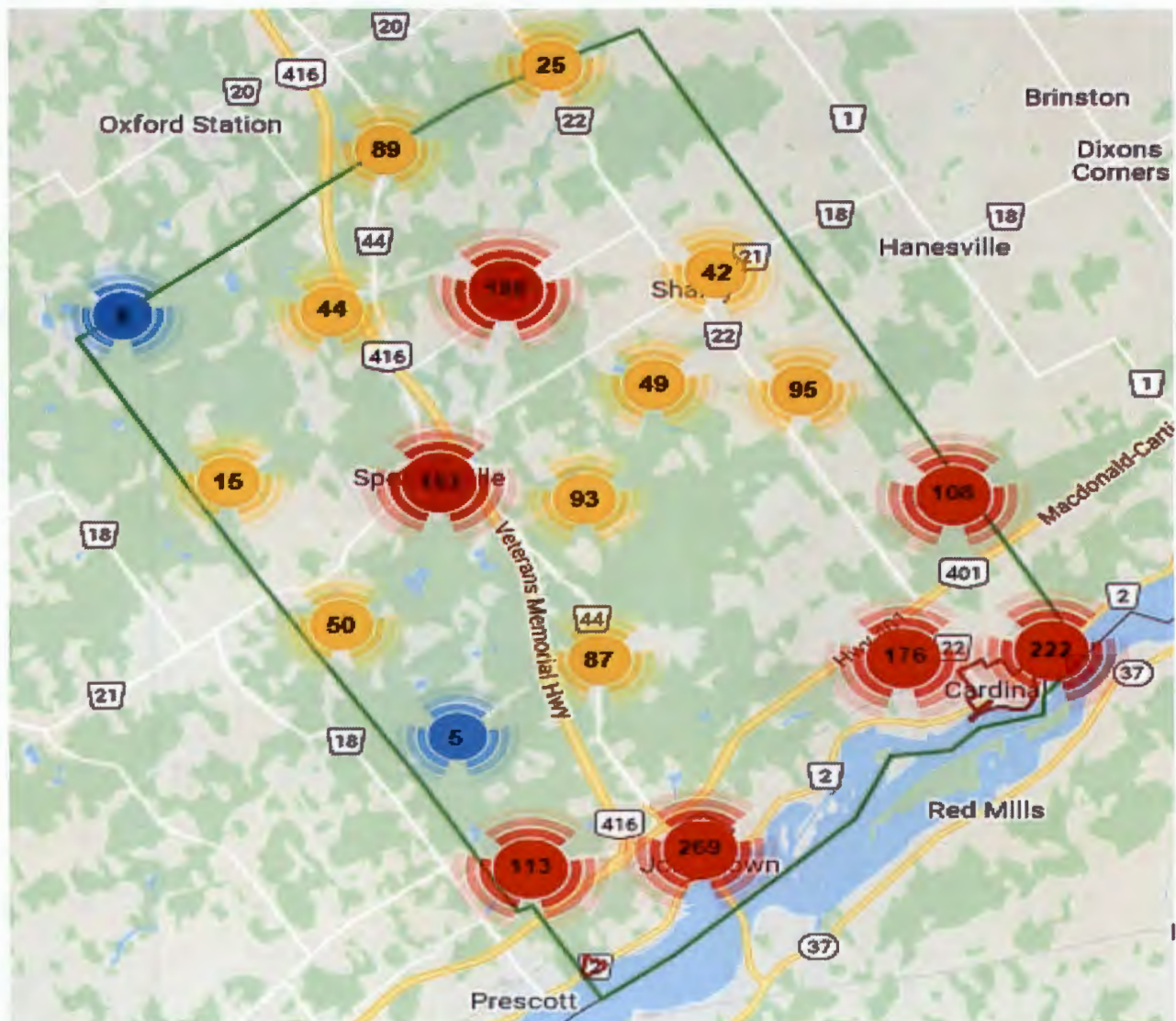
Activity:

- Participated in the Light Up the Night Parade in Prescott
- Dept. members attended the wake of NG firefighter James Petersen
- Attended Council recognition awards ceremony at the township office where several members were recognized for their years of service
- Hosted our annual FD Kids' Christmas Party and Fire Department Dinner

Burn Permits:

- Burn permits created in Q4 - 92
 - Registered burns in Q4 - 376
- Total burn permits issued in 2019 - 956
Total burns registered in 2019 - 1782

Registered Burn Map for 2019



Personnel:

Received the resignation of 5 personnel.

- Dan Grant – retired with 31 years of service
- Derek Pope – resigned,
- Justin Turrin – resigned, relocated for full-time firefighter position in Alberta
- Brad Windsor – retired with 30 years of service
- Phil VanSchie – resigned, relocated to Smiths Falls area

Fire Department Roster as of Jan 31, 2019**40**

Station #1 - 23	Station #2 - 17
DC Dan Davy	DC Graham VanCamp
Capt. John Dobbie	Capt. Kevin Patrick
Capt. Mark Bruce	Capt. Steve Roberts
Capt. Brian Purcell	Capt. Aaron Bedor
Bill Barnard	Mike Ayerst
Andrew Beatty	Kaytland Burke
Rob Belton	Liam Bush
Jay Bottan	BJ Campbell
Ed Bruce	Joe Dubray
Dan Connelly	Cody Oatway
Josh Couture	Lloyd Scott
Ralph Dukelow	Kyle Longtin
Evan Gillespie	Ann Shorey
George Grant	Rob Sugrue
Jason Jacques	Mike Tracey
Tony Jumeau	Steve West
Dylan MacEachern	Tim Yandeau
Phil Malcomnson	
Steve Piatarinen	
James Purcell	
Josh Roddick	
Ryan VanKeulen	
Matt Wallace	



Fire Chief