

JANUARY 2026



Operations Report



Incidents

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES 329

285 Transports

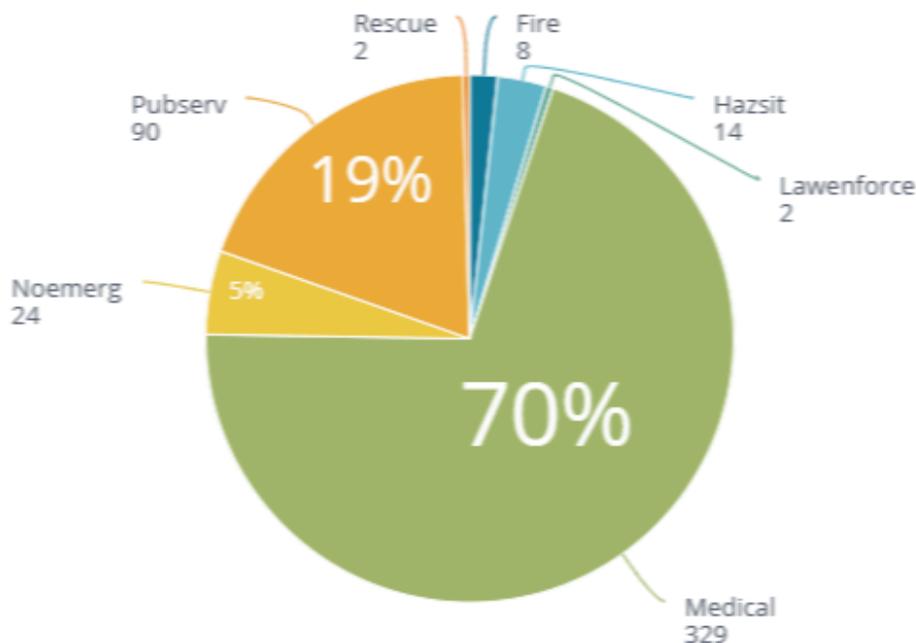
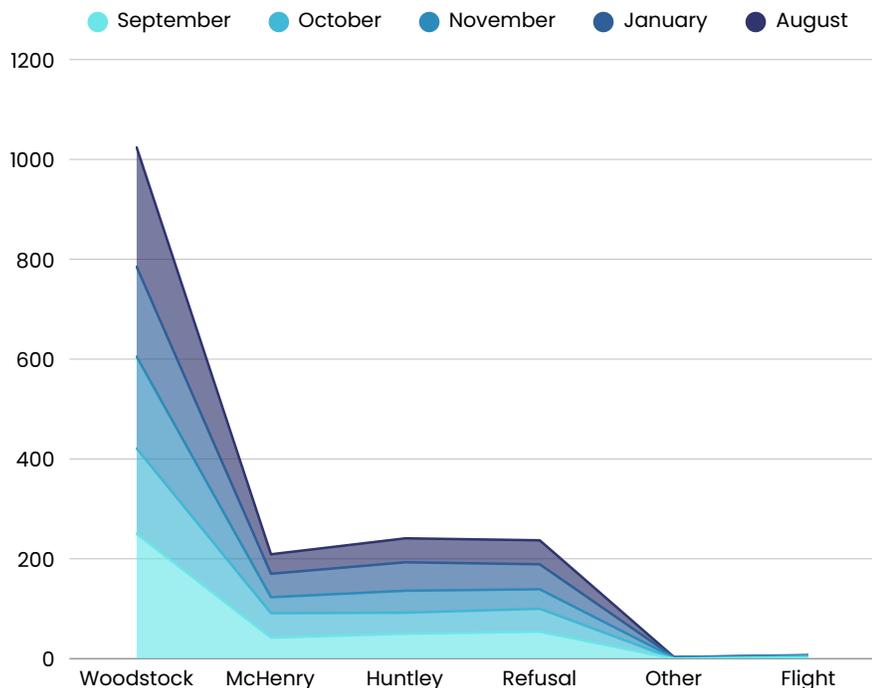
** Top destination is Woodstock **

FIRE 8

6 Structure Fires

OTHER INCIDENTS 132

- 62 Citizen Assists
- 22 Alarms Non-medical



469 INCIDENTS IN JANUARY

Training

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES 5 HOURS

EMS System training was on advanced airway management.

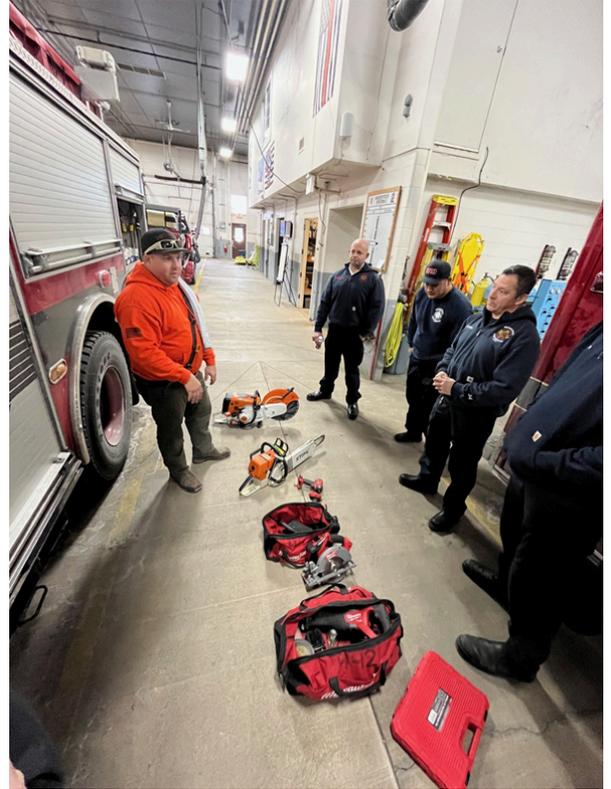
In house EMS training was the quarterly airway skill competency and BLS skill check for the EMTs. Lt. Wessel has reshaped this process to include a crew based scenario with integrated skill checks. He is performing these in the stations and in the back of the ambulance with a significant amount of our training equipment to provide enhanced realism.

FIRE 16 HOURS

- Week 1: SCBA familiarization.
- Week 2: Fire Behavior, Tactical Ventilation, Flow Path.
- Week 3: Small Tools and Saw Use and Maintenance.
- JPR/OSHA/ISO Monday: Drivers Training
- Other : Clausen's Pickle Building Walk Through

OFFICER 2 HOURS

"Says Who? Lines of Authority in the Illinois Fire Service" as a general overview of legal obligations and officer authority granted by enabling statutes, ordinances, and the fire code. Discussion ended with four scenarios to discuss decision making in the field.



FIREMANSHIP CONFERENCE
a Brothers in Battle LLC event

HIGHEST REGISTRATION COUNTS
PER DEPARTMENT (DAY ONE)

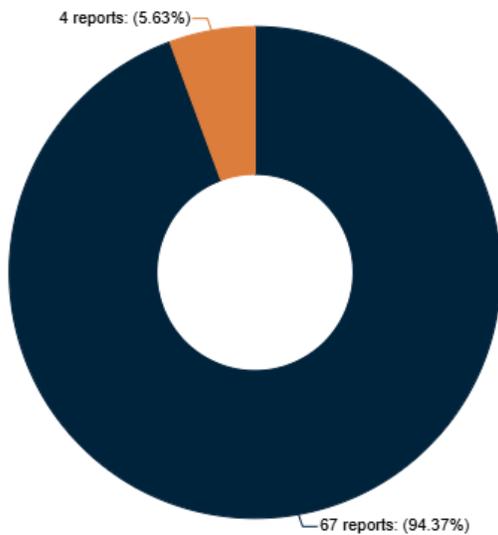
(09) BATAVIA FD, IL
(09) LOS ANGELES Co. FD, CA
(09) HOLLAND DEPT. OF PUBLIC SAFETY FIRE DIVISION, MI
(10) HUNTLEY FD, IL
(10) MILWAUKEE FD, WI
(10) ROCHESTER FD, MN
(10) WOODSTOCK FIRE RESCUE DISTRICT, IL
(11) WESTERN LAKES FIRE DISTRICT, WI
(12) DES MOINES FD, IA
(16) CAROL STREAM FD, IL
(17) WEST ALLIS FD, WI
(18) BOLINGBROOK FD, IL

firemanshipconference.regfox.com/2026

Community Risk Reduction



Compliant vs. Deficient Reports



PUBLIC EDUCATION

Planning on February visits to D200 2nd Grade Classes through a Reading Program

FIRE INSPECTIONS

17 inspections revealed 66 violations
Walden Oaks Fire Alarm Replaced

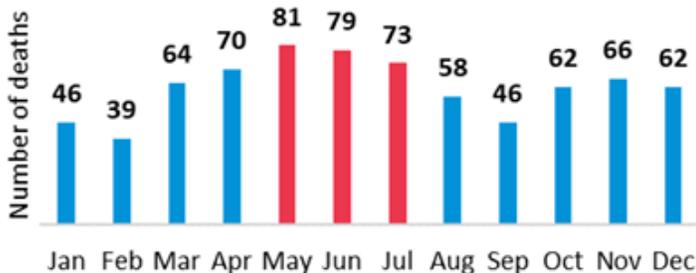
SERVICES

- 5 CPR classes instructing 39 students
- 3 Car seats installed
- 7 Smoke detectors installed

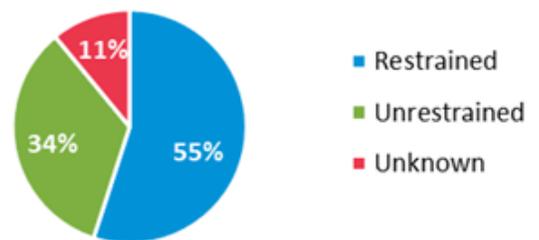


Fatal MVC-Related Occupant Injuries by Month and Restraint Use, Ages 0–12 Years, 2021^{1,2}

Fatal injuries were slightly more frequent between the months of May and July.



1 in 3 children who died as occupants in a MVC were unrestrained.*



*Available data do not indicate whether restrained children were properly restrained.

Maintenance



FLEET MAINTENANCE

Preventative Maintenance	5	
Work Orders Completed	118	433 Transmission Repaired
Repair Call Outs	2	Frozen fuel pump Battery Battalion 4

BUILDING & GROUNDS

Station 1	Window repairs identified, RTU serviced, lighting upgrade planned
Station 2	Window repair identified, garage door spring break, vacuum retired
Station 3	-

Communications



MAJOR INCIDENT SUPPORT

- News releases including a garage fire in Woodstock, a working house fire in Harvard, a water rescue in Cary, and twin delivery in Nunda
- Provided on scene and follow up media coordination
- Assisted with fire investigations for multiple incidents in Harvard and Cary

PUBLIC INFORMATION

- Created and posted over 35 social media updates across all districts
- Covered winter weather safety, cold and frozen pipe prevention, space heater safety, annual incident statistics, and community updates



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

- Countywide PIO meeting
- Completed the 2026 retiree events calendar for Huntley

DRESSING FOR COLD WEATHER

Adding layers will help keep you warm as the temperature drops

CHILLY

- 1-2 layers
- long layer
- outer layer to keep out wind, rain
- warm shoes water proof

COLD

- 2-3 layers
- warm hat
- gloves
- outer layer to keep out wind, wet snow
- boots water proof
- 1-2 layers

EXTREME COLD

- 3+ layers 1 insulating
- warm hat
- face mask
- outer layer to keep out wind
- gloves
- boots water proof
- 2+ layers

weather.gov/cold

NOAA

Shift News

GOLD SHIFT

- ERCN Rider
- Completed officer books
- Ground Hog 5k ambulance standby

RED SHIFT

Red Shift currently has two individuals working on their Company Officer books for OSFM. Red Shift Recruits are working on completing their Class B Non-CDL requirements along with the ambulance operator books.

BLACK SHIFT

Community Engagement

- Lockbox install on Tara drive
- ECRN and cadet ride alongs

Training

- Four firefighters working on Company Officer taskbooks
- FF/PM Jeff Kurka attained Company Officer certification



WFRD saves



Firefighters extinguish a garage fire on Clay Street