



ANNUAL REPORT

2022

What we **BELIEVE IN**

OUR MISSION

The Elmhurst Fire Department consists of competent and valued professionals dedicated to providing life safety, emergency services, and educational programs for the protection of life and property in our community.

The mission is accomplished by holding devotion to duty above personal safety and comfort, and continually challenging our members to enhance the quality of services provided.

OUR VALUES

We value our **FAMILY AND FRIENDS**. We value the **TRUST** of the community and each other. We shall act with **INTEGRITY** in an honest and ethical manner. We will take **RESPONSIBILITY** and do what we say we are going to do.

WE

PROTECT LIFE AND PROPERTY
ARE CORDIAL, RESPECTFUL AND PROFESSIONAL
ARE PROMPT WHEN SECONDS COUNT
EDUCATE THE PUBLIC ON FIRE SAFETY
CONDUCT FIRE PREVENTION INSPECTIONS

ELMHURST FIRE DEPARTMENT STAFFING



44

Fire Personnel



15

Paramedics



2

Fire Stations

2
Ladder Trucks

2
Engine Engines

2
ALS Medic

1
ALS Rescue

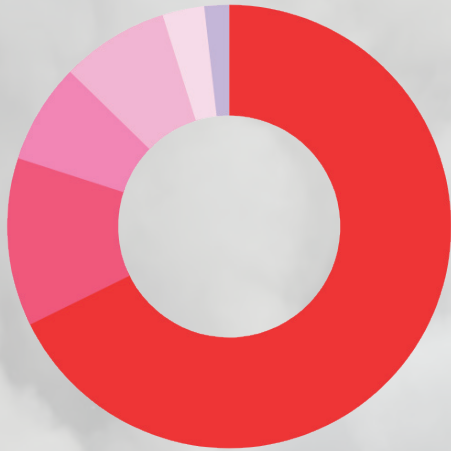
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NUMBERS

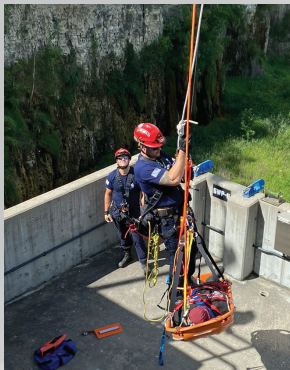
2022 CALLS BY INCIDENT TYPE



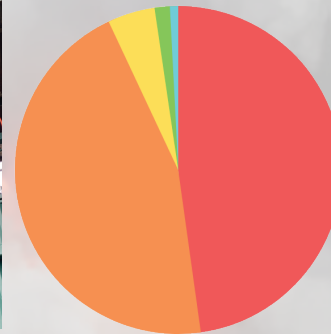
- EMS - 68%
- Service - 8%
- False Alarm - 12%
- Hazard - 3%
- Good Intent - 7%
- Fire - 2%

The Elmhurst Fire Department had a busy 2022, we added 10 new firefighters to our team, our calls increased by 11% over last year, we increased our training hours by 5% over last year. We were fortunate to receive a grant from IL American Water that will be used to purchase an online policy manual.

Our most important accomplishment continues to be providing a safe environment for the community, minimizing the risk of fire and injury through public education, and providing quality service to our residents when they need us the most.









2022 TRAINING BY TYPE



- Fire Behavior - 48%
- Quick Drills, OSHA, Officer Training, Public Education, Other - 45%
- EMS - 5%
- Technical Rescue - 1.5%
- Hazardous Materials - 0.8%

2022 FIRE PREVENTION BUREAU

 130 FIRE PREVENTION CODE ENFORCEMENT INSPECTIONS	 875 COMPANY INSPECTIONS	 17 FIRE ALARM & SPRINKLER INSPECTIONS
 140 NEW CONSTRUCTION/ REMODELING INSPECTIONS	 11 COMMERCIAL COOKING INSPECTIONS	 57 ANNUAL SCHOOL INSPECTIONS

18,050

TOTAL TRAINING HOURS





In the COMMUNITY

The Elmhurst Fire Department spent time in the community teaching fire safety through public education, attending community events, and hosted several events at the fire station including The National Firefighter's Day Pancake Breakfast, Scoops with Sparky ice cream social, open house, and a big Noon Years Eve Bash party.

Firefighters also educate students in our public and private schools on fire safety by teaching Cool Rules to 1st grade students and the Learn Not to Burn program to 4th graders.



2023 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SUMMER

- Summer Safety Night Out
- Special Kids Day City Works
- Scoops with Sparky Ice Cream Social

WINTER

- Holiday Toy Drive
- Mitten Tree Collection
- Noon Year's Eve Bash

FALL

- Fire Department Prevention Week & Open House Event
- Junior Fire Academy
- Cool Rules Public Education
- 9/11 Memorial Ceremony

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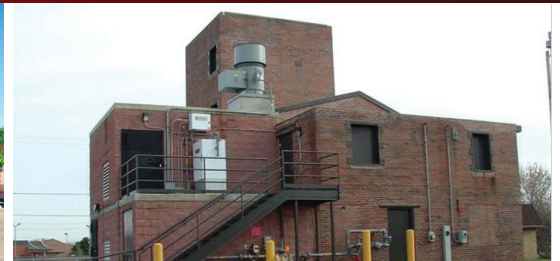
- Senior Safety Symposium
- National Firefighter's Day Pancake Breakfast
- Bike Ride and Safety Day
- Learn Not to Burn Poster Contest



FIRE STATION 1
404 N. York St.



FIRE STATION 2
601 S. York St.



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