



## STAFF REPORT

DATE: June 15, 2021

**CONSENT**

ITEM #:

**TO:** City Council

**FROM:** Fire Chief Dustin Kalis

**AGENDA ITEM:** Month End Fire Department Update for May 2021

**REVIEWED BY:** Kristina Handt, City Administrator

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### ISSUE BEFORE COUNCIL

Review month end activity update from fire department.

### PROPOSAL DETAILS/ANALYSIS:

Incidents through May 2021: 207 (2020 YTD: 217):

We had 49 calls in May.

29	Medical Incidents
8	Dispatched and Cancelled En Route
5	Motor Vehicle Accidents
2	Gas Leaks
2	Fire / Carbon Monoxide Alarms
1	Structure Fire
1	Motor Vehicle Accident with Extrication
1	Incident Unfounded

49 Total

Our average response time was 9.3 minutes from alarm to arrival. 29 calls had 3 or less responders minus the Duty Officer with 6 calls having only 1 personnel on the first due apparatus.

### **Drills for the Month:**

#1 – Tender Operations

#2 – Quarterly EMS Training by Regions EMS Education

### **Points of Interest:**

- 2 paid-on-call personnel successfully completed their initial Firefighter I/II training and state certification.
- A large-loss structure fire occurred on Friday, May 7<sup>th</sup> at approximately 3:20 am. No injuries reported, home was a total loss. The department received auto-aid from Stillwater and Bayport Fire Departments.

- Continued staffing challenges with several personnel balancing the PT or POC hours and their personal and professional responsibilities.

**Part Time Staff Accomplishments:**

- Cleaning and general maintenance at both stations.
- Vehicle and equipment inspections.
- Assisted with Burn Permit applications.
- Vehicle repairs as possible.
- Increased decontamination of apparatus and stations.
- Training of new personnel.