



## STAFF REPORT

DATE: February 7, 2017

**CONSENT**

ITEM #: 5

**TO:** City Council

**FROM:** Greg Malmquist, Fire Chief

**AGENDA ITEM:** Month End Fire Department Update for January 2017

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

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### **BACKGROUND:**

**ISSUE BEFORE COUNCIL:** Review month end activity update from fire department. Advise on any additional information requested.

### **PROPOSAL DETAILS/ANALYSIS:**

We had a total of 37 calls for January.

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| 6  | Fire alarms with no fire – unintentional |
| 1  | Structure Fire                           |
| 5  | Dispatched and cancelled en route        |
| 17 | Medicals                                 |
| 1  | Gas Leak                                 |
| 6  | Car accident with injuries               |
| 1  | Steam mistaken for smoke                 |

37 Total

**3178 is temporarily being used to replace CV2. That said, a command vehicle did not respond on 1 call for a response rate of 97%. Average response time was 6 minutes. 8 of our calls had 3 or less responders minus CV/3178.**

Department drills for the month were:

- #1 – CEU Hostile Environment
- #2 – Emergency Response
- #3 – Right to Know make-up

Points of interest:

- One of our CVs was totaled in a car crash as personnel responded to an emergency call.
- One Fire Fighter that previously indicated intent to resign did in fact formally resign from the department.
- 2 potential recruits submitted applications and have begun the process to become probationary Fire Fighters. One of the applicants is a former member of the department and is currently full time fire for Saint Paul.
- One of our personnel attended a special training related to fire fighter suicide and psychological trauma.

- Two personnel completed training and are now instructors for CIRAS (Collaborative Incident Response Active Shooter)

**FISCAL IMPACT:** N/A

**OPTIONS:**

**RECOMMENDATION:**

**ATTACHMENTS:**