



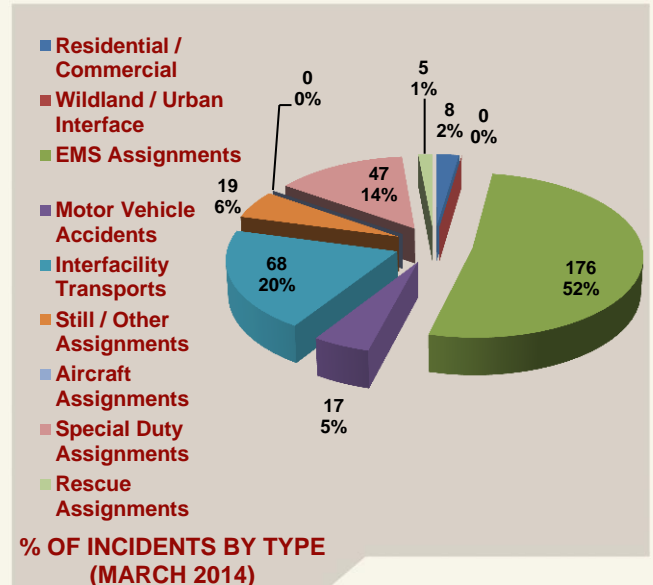
# SEDONA FIRE DISTRICT FIRE CHIEF REPORT MARCH 2014

Presented to the Fire Board by Fire Chief Kris Kazian on April 23, 2014

## SIGNIFICANT INCIDENTS / FIRES

**TUESDAY MARCH 18, 2014 at approximately 4:30 PM:** SFD responded to a reported vehicle fire on Boynton Canyon Road. Upon arrival, crews found a Jeep from Safari Jeep Tours parked on the roadway with fire and smoke coming from the vehicle's engine compartment. The driver and his passengers had safely evacuated the vehicle. The driver reported seeing smoke coming from under the hood of the vehicle. Once he stopped, flames and heavy smoke were visible from the front of the vehicle. In this case, the driver did the right thing stopping on the roadway. Parking the vehicle on the road prevented the fire from spreading into the dry vegetation avoiding a potential wildfire. The origin of the fire was in the engine compartment. The vehicle, estimated value of \$7500, was a total loss.

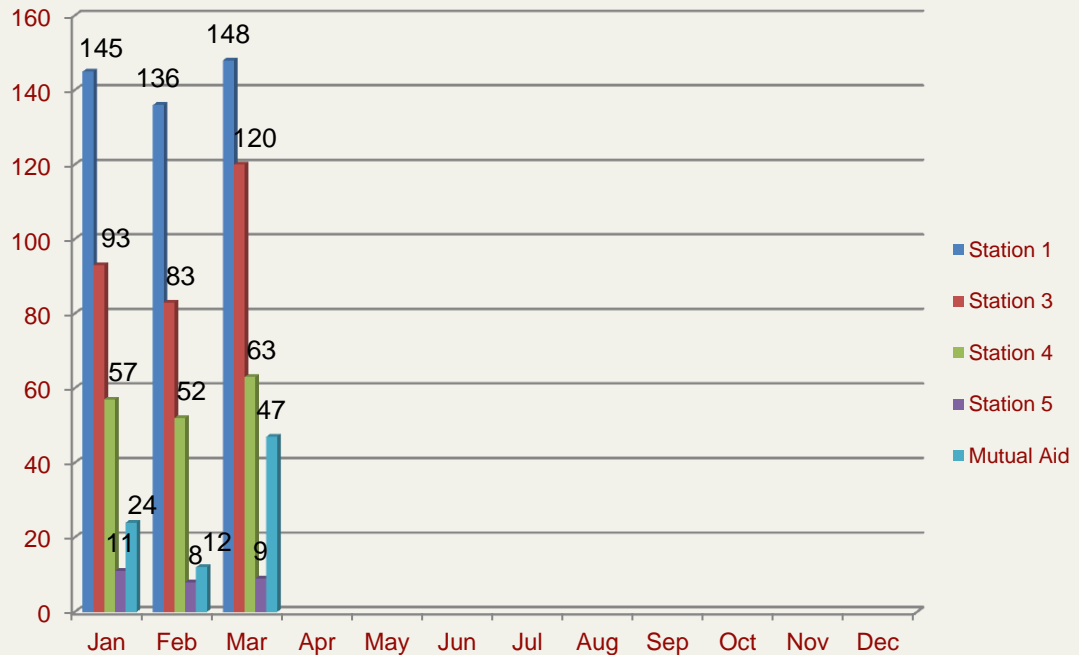
**SUNDAY MARCH 16, 2014 at approximately 6:50 PM:** SFD responded to a structure fire on Cascabel Court, in the Village of Oak Creek. Arriving on scene in less than six minutes, crews found heavy smoke and fire in the garage. Crews were able to knock down the fire keeping it from entering the residence. The garage received heavy fire damage, both vehicles in the garage were destroyed and the home sustained heavy smoke and heat damage. The cause of the fire was spontaneous combustion due to the use of penetrating finish oil. The estimated fire loss to the residence, contents, and two vehicles is undetermined at this time.



## CALL SUMMARY (YEAR TO DATE 2014)

INCIDENT TYPES	JAN	FEB	MAR	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	2014 YTD TOTALS	2013 YTD TOTALS
Residential / Commercial Assignments	7	6	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	23
Wildland / Urban Interface	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
EMS Assignments	144	138	176	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	458	476
Motor Vehicle Accidents	16	11	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	44	38
Interfacility Transports	75	59	68	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	202	149
Still / Other Assignments	18	20	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	57	81
Aircraft Assignments	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Special Duty Assignments	42	39	47	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	128	145
Rescue Assignments	4	6	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	11
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>925</b>	<b>923</b>

### 2014 SFD RESPONSE BY STILL DISTRICT (STATION)



NOTE: Responses in a still district simply mean the location of the emergency incident and the closest fire station that would be responsible for responding as the closest unit. Additionally, there are times multiple units respond to an incident which is not identified in this chart.

### CALLS BY STILL DISTRICT SUMMARY (YEAR TO DATE 2014)

SFD STATION	JAN	FEB	MAR	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	2014 YTD TOTAL	2013 YTD TOTAL
Station 1	145	136	148	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	429	412
Station 3	93	83	120	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	296	290
Station 4	57	52	63	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	172	196
Station 5	11	8	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28	25
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>340</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>925</b>	<b>923</b>
Mutual Aid Calls included in above Totals	24	12	47	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	83	75

#### DONATIONS – MARCH 2014:

Hart \$100    Copenhaver \$50    Ziedler \$ 50 **TOTAL = \$200**

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## TRAINING INFORMATION:

Training gathers information on post-secondary education, certificates, and major conferences. SFD provides daily drills and other training; more significant events are included here.

### Required Training:

- Employees who passed one year probation: Jessica Waltenberg, Isaiah Moore, John Howard and Kyle West.
- To make our responses to aircraft incidents more effective and mitigate life threatening incidents, SFD is partnering with Sedona Airport Authority and local professional pilots to form a training program for first responders and dispatchers.
- Captain Rippy, Engineer Ingrao, and Engineer Sanchez conducted the Extrication and Stabilization Training.
- Nicole Vandemark and Kathryn Holtzworth Communication Supervisor have met the requirements for recertification through the International Academies of Emergency Dispatch Board. This is a two-year EMD recertification.
- SFD hosted a Child Car Passenger Safety Technician Training Course. Sedona Fire District has been awarded a grant from the Governor's Office Highway Safety.

# of Trainings: 89

# of Attendees: 520

Total Training Hours 1,749

TRAINING / EDUCATION  
(MARCH 2014)

## EMERGENCY RESPONSE

### TIMES SUMMARY (MARCH 2014):

TYPE OF CALL	# OF CALLS	AVERAGE RESPONSE TIME	# OF CALLS WITHIN 6 MIN	% OF CALLS WITHIN 6 MIN	# OF CALLS WITHIN 8 MIN	% OF CALLS WITHIN 8 MIN
Residential / Commercial	5	3:18	5	100.00%	5	100.00%
Wildland / Urban Interface	0	00:00	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
EMS	82	05:58	4152	63.41%	67	81.71%
Motor Vehicle Accidents	14	07:56	6	42.86%	9	64.29%
Still / Other	16	07:41	5	31.25%	9	56.25%
Aircraft Assignments	0	00:00	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
<b>March 2014 Totals</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>6:13</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>58.12%</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>76.92%</b>
<b>March 2013 Totals</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>8:26</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>56.43%</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>77.14%</b>
Rescue Assignments	5	11:24	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
USFS Juris. Wildland	0	00:00	0	0.00%	0	0.00%

### Conferences:

- Six employees attended Arizona Wildfire and Incident Management Academy on Wildland firefighting using a \$1300 scholarship; 5 members instructed classes and SFD had members on the Incident Management Team.
- SFD supported 11 Operations and Administration members at Desert Southwest Fire & EMS Leadership designed for the development of Fire and EMS professionals at all levels.
- Exec. Assistant Tricia Greer attended Labor and Employment Law Advanced Practices conference on behalf of HR.

### Train-the-Trainer Program:

- The Health and Safety Officer Course was presented to 19 individuals to enhance knowledge of new instructors with appropriate and accurate information and skills to present this curriculum to fire agencies around the State.


NOTE: Chart indicates average response times for various types of emergency calls in SFD. Please note Rescue Assignments (such as injuries on trails, helicopter rescues, swiftwater assignments, etc.) and Wildland incidents which occur in the primary jurisdiction of the US Forest Service have been separated from other responses to more fairly represent SFD's emergency response times.

## GRANTS UPDATE (MARCH 2014).

AGENCY	DESCRIPTION OF REQUEST	AMOUNT *	SFD PORTION	STATUS
Pending	Request for UTV grant/donation	\$20,000	No Match	In Process
AZ State Forestry	Funding for removal of brush in the urban interface	\$75,166	\$24,000 (In Kind) \$1248 (Cash)	Application Submitted
DHS-Assistance to FF Grant (AFG)/Fire Prevention & Safety	Live fire extinguisher training simulator and related equipment	< \$10,000	<\$1,000	Application submitted
Governors Highway & Traffic Safety	Equipment to better access patients in vehicles that require technical rescue skills and equipment	\$12,140	No Match Required	Application being completed
DHS	5 HazMat gas monitors to replace outdated models-Regional grant application	Regional = \$30,000-\$35,000	No Match Required	Application submitted
DHS-AFG	Dispatch Consoles for Regional Telecommunication	\$250,000	\$25,000	Application submitted
DHS-AFG	Blue Card Incident Command training	\$80,000	\$8,000	Application submitted
DHS-AFG	Regional request for video conferencing (Bullhead City –Requesting/Lead Agency)	Regional = \$1,275,000 SFD share = ~\$200,000	\$20,000	Application submitted

\* The amounts listed above are estimated based on projected amounts requested; however, the actual amounts may vary based on the final projects and any restrictions or necessary changes to awarded grants.

## REGIONAL COMMUNICATIONS CENTER ACTIVITY SUMMARY (YEAR TO DATE 2014):

PHONE CALL TYPES	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	2014 YTD TOTALS	2013 YTD TOTALS
Wired 9-1-1	756	654	869	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,279	2,244
Wireless 9-1-1	1,579	1,435	1,776	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,790	4,738
Admin.	4,713	4,244	4,790	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13,747	13,279
Intercom	53	71	78	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	202	336
Ringdown	455	409	532	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,396	1,234
<b>TOTAL CALLS</b>	<b>7,556</b>	<b>6,813</b>	<b>8,045</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>22,414</b>	<b>21,831</b>
% Change from 2013 to 2014	9.0%	7.2%	-5.9%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%		
Total Emergency Dispatches													3,695	3,756