



SEDONA FIRE DISTRICT FIRE CHIEF REPORT

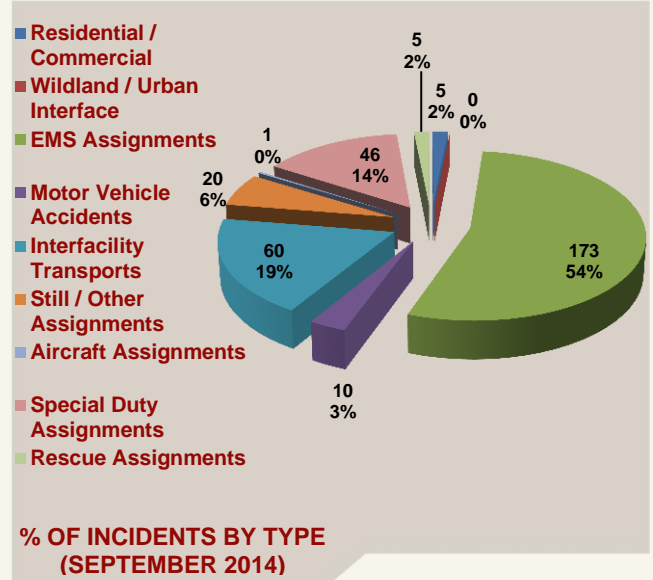
SEPTEMBER 2014

Presented to the Fire Board by Fire Chief Kris Kazian on October 22, 2014

SIGNIFICANT EVENTS (SEPTEMBER 2014):

Tuesday, September 16, 2014: Approximately 8:30 PM, Sedona Fire District crews responded to a possible kitchen fire in a single family residence on Hopi Way. Occupant reported hearing a loud boom and smoke. On arrival, fire found light smoke throughout the home. Upon further investigation, crews determined the occupant left unattended food cooking on the stove. Cooking is a leading cause of kitchen fires in the home.

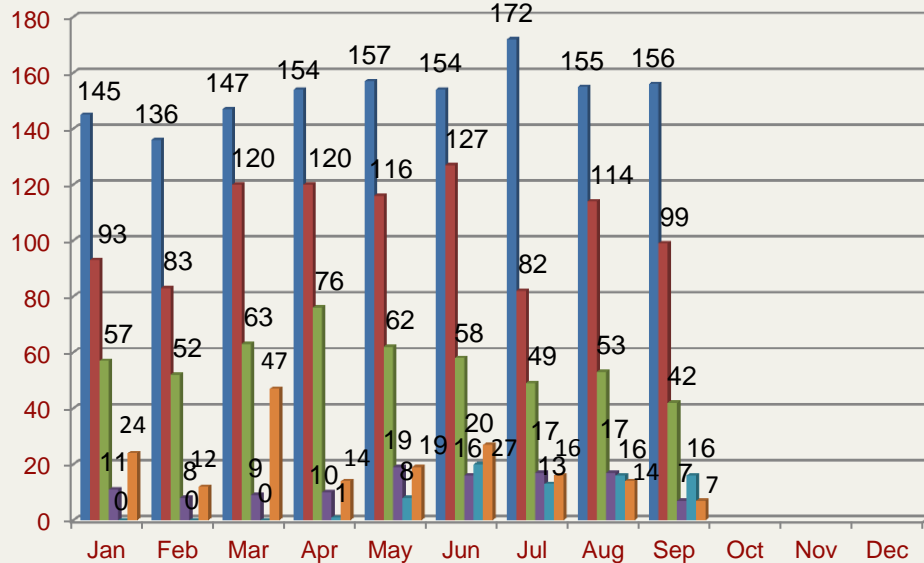
Thursday, September 25, 2014: Crews responded to two brush fires. One was the result of homeowner burning weeds with liquid propane torch and the other is undetermined. Both fires were quickly extinguished by fire crews. This is a reminder that even with monsoon rains, everyone must be vigilant when using fire.



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	7	8	6	3	2	5	0	0	0	52	63
Wildland / Urban Interface	0	0	0	0	10	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	15	15
EMS Assignments	144	138	176	216	179	178	157	167	173	0	0	0	1,528	1,427
Motor Vehicle Accidents	16	11	17	11	12	15	9	22	10	0	0	0	123	150
Interfacility Transports	75	59	68	60	59	73	70	72	60	0	0	0	596	518
Still / Other Assignments	18	20	19	11	17	24	18	25	20	0	0	0	172	217
Aircraft Assignments	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	3	1
Special Duty Assignments	42	39	47	47	65	64	67	63	46	0	0	0	480	537
Rescue Assignments	4	6	5	9	12	10	7	4	5	0	0	0	62	43
TOTAL	306	279	340	361	362	375	333	355	320	0	0	0	3,031	2,971

2014 SFD RESPONSE BY STILL DISTRICT (STATION)



2014 YTD Total
2013 YTD Total

Station 1	1,376	1,338
Station 3	954	936
Station 4	512	549
Station 5	114	144
Station 6	74*	N/A
Mutual Aid (Included in above totals)	180	224

*Opened 4/26/14

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

EMERGENCY RESPONSE TIMES SUMMARY (SEPTEMBER 2014):

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 have been separated from other responses to more fairly represent SFD's emergency response times.

* Totals/Averages do not include Rescue or Wildland assignments

TYPE OF CALL	# OF EMERG. 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	5:38	3	60.00%	5	100.00%
EMS	75	5:22	49	65.33%	69	92.00%
Motor Vehicle Accidents	8	7:56	4	50.00%	6	75.00%
Still / Other	15	5:22	11	73.33%	13	86.67%
Aircraft Assignments	1	9:32	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Sept. 2014 Totals	104	5:37	67	64.42%	93	89.42%
2014 YTD Totals *	979	5:58	608	62.10%	803	82.02%
2013 YTD Totals *	1,021	6:16	610	59.74%	810	79.33%
Rescue Assignments	5	10:21	0	00.00%	1	20.00%
Wildland Assignments	0	00:00	0	00.00%	0	00.00%

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TRAINING / EDUCATION

of Trainings: 152

of Attendees: 511

Total Training Hours: 1,268

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COMMUNITY RISK MANAGEMENT UPDATE

This September, SFD performed 117 Inspections, Plan Reviews, and Consultations, compared to 77 in September 2013.

Significant New Construction Projects:

- Hilton Resort and Spa is in the process of a major upgrade to their guest rooms.
- The new Mariposa Restaurant at 700 W. State Route 89A is moving along. Installations of fire sprinkler and fire alarm systems have begun. Two required fire hydrants have been installed.
- Proposed CVS Pharmacy at intersection of Airport Road and W. State Route 89A has gone through its third review. Owners continue to modify their proposal to meet City of Sedona requirements.

DONATIONS (SEPTEMBER 2014):

SFD received the following donation in September:

9/10/14	Vernet	\$500
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SEPTEMBER 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:

- Capt. Jeff Wassell and Eng. Jeff Scalf conducted in-service training on the new engine.
- Capt. Ralph Kurtz presented the Annual Driver Training, covering driver safety and policies to all Operations members.

Conferences:

- Six SFD members attended Arizona State Fire for firefighting and leadership classes utilizing a \$600 scholarship fund. State Fire School was a great opportunity to be instructed by subject matter experts and use the training center to perform skills.
- Capt. Wassell and Training Officer Michael Duran attended the Fire Department Safety Officers Association Annual Safety Forum. It is dedicated to the issues about critical roles as Safety Officers in protecting and promoting safety and health responsibilities in organizations.
- Chief Kazian attended a roundtable meeting centering on Fire Chief Leadership.

Certificates:


- Comm. Spec. Trainee Britany Gould attended Emergency Medical Dispatch training in Prescott, Arizona.
- City of Sedona, SFD, and others from around the State attended Emergency Operations Center (EOC) course, designed for individuals who are responsible for developing, staffing, managing, and operating an EOC.
- Eng. Tim Kriegel attended the Burn Care Symposium – an educational opportunity to improve pediatric patient outcomes and recovery.
- Fire Marshal Gary Johnson and Fire Inspector Kevin Sullivan attended a Pipeline Emergency Response class to heighten safety awareness on these incidents.
- FF Steven Corpus attended FEMA leadership I and II classes in Mesa.

GRANTS UPDATE (SEPTEMBER 2014):

AGENCY	DESCRIPTION OF REQUEST	AMOUNT *	SFD PORTION	STATUS
AZ Wildfire IMA	Scholarship in Arizona Wildfire Academy	\$1,300	No Match	Received
2015 State Fire Assistance	Wildland Urban Interface Fuels Reduction	\$176,250	\$121,250	Application submitted
DHS-AFG	Blue Card Incident Command training	\$82,703	\$8,207	Received – Need Board PO Approval
Pending	Request for UTV grant/donation	\$20,000	No Match	In Process
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	\$26,173	No Match Required	Received – Awaiting Vendor Bids
DHS	5 HazMat gas monitors to replace outdated models-Regional grant application	Regional = \$30,000-\$35,000	No Match Required	Awarded \$12,264 – Funds In Process
DHS-AFG	Regional request for video conferencing (Bullhead City –Requesting/Lead Agency)	Regional = \$1,275,000 SFD share = ~\$200,000	\$20,000	Denied
Governor’s Office of Highway Safety	Child Car Safety Seats for Income-Qualifying Families	\$3,098	No Match	Received - Fulfilled

* 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	932	795	732	645	662	538	0	0	0	6,583	7,191
Wireless 9-1-1	1,579	1,435	1,776	1,672	2,269	2,182	2,312	2,095	1,873	0	0	0	17,193	16,114
Admin.	4,713	4,244	4,790	4,439	4,223	3,140	4,033	4,486	3,695	0	0	0	36,763	39,058
Intercom	53	71	78	72	100	94	112	82	68	0	0	0	730	969
Ringdown	455	409	532	473	508	496	457	419	431	0	0	0	4,180	4,239
TOTAL CALLS	7,556	6,813	8,045	7,588	7,895	6,644	7,559	7,744	6,605	0	0	0	65,449	67,571
% Change from Sept. 2013 to Sept. 2014	9.0%	7.2%	-5.9%	-0.6%	-1.5%	0.8%	-4.2%	3.4%	-13.9%	0%	0%	0%		
Total Emergency Incident Dispatches													10,839	11,879