



# BRISTOL FIRE DEPARTMENT

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## **August 2023 Operations Report:**

**We responded to 123 emergency calls in July.**

**Consisting of**

**1 Structure fires, 6 Smoke/Odor Investigations, 2 Gas Leak, 28 Misc. Assistance Calls, 10 Fire Alarms, 3 Trash Fires, 1 Natural Vegetation/Grass Fires, 1 Water Rescue, 71 Ambulance calls.**

**608 Responses for July**

### **Staffing:**

We are currently short 1 Fulltime Firefighter/EMT but are currently filling that position with parttime staff.

### **Additional:**

We participated in Back to School Night on August 15<sup>th</sup>.

We are participating in the United Way Cardboard Boat race on Friday at LaSalle Bristol on CR 17. All the festivities start at 11:00 and we are scheduled to race at 3:00pm. If you are free, please come and cheer us on.

The training ground is coming along. We received zoning approval this morning. We are hoping to be up and running in the middle to late September.

We are looking forward to the car show this weekend at Congdon Park.

We are currently preparing for the Corndog Festival in September.

**Thank you,  
Nicholas J.A. Kantz  
Fire Chief**