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## **EXTERNAL MEMO**

Date: 04-17-23

To: Mr. Carlos Vega  
Interim City Manager  
City of Cooper City

From: District Chief Gary Harrington  
Cooper City District Chief  
Department of Fire Rescue and Emergency Services

Subject: Fire Chief's Report – Commission Meeting April 25, 2023

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The following is the Fire Chief's report for the upcoming commission meeting. This report will follow the same flow of my prior reports, which is aimed at highlighting information pertinent to the city's main public safety concerns: Fire Rescue Incidents, Fire Prevention, Community Outreach, Fire Apparatus/Station concerns, and CERT.

### **I. Fire/Rescue Incident Report (April 1 – April 15)**

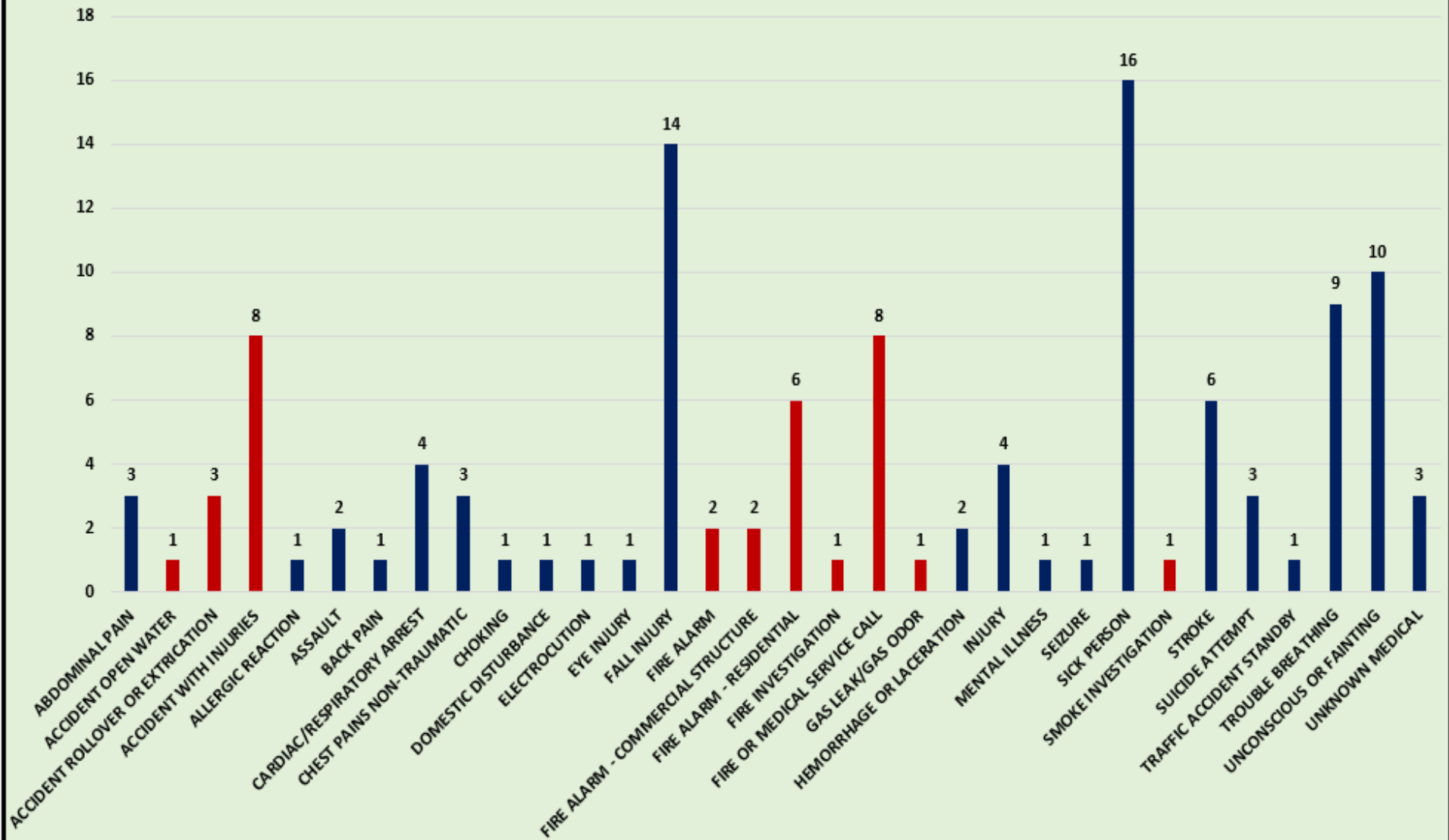
- a. Total Fire-Related Incidents 032
- b. Total Medical Related Incidents 089
- c. Total Incidents 04/01/2023 – 04/15/2023 121

Closest Unit Response calls for April 1 – April 15, 2023. Cooper City has responded outside its jurisdiction 16 times and has received outside emergency assistance 9 times.

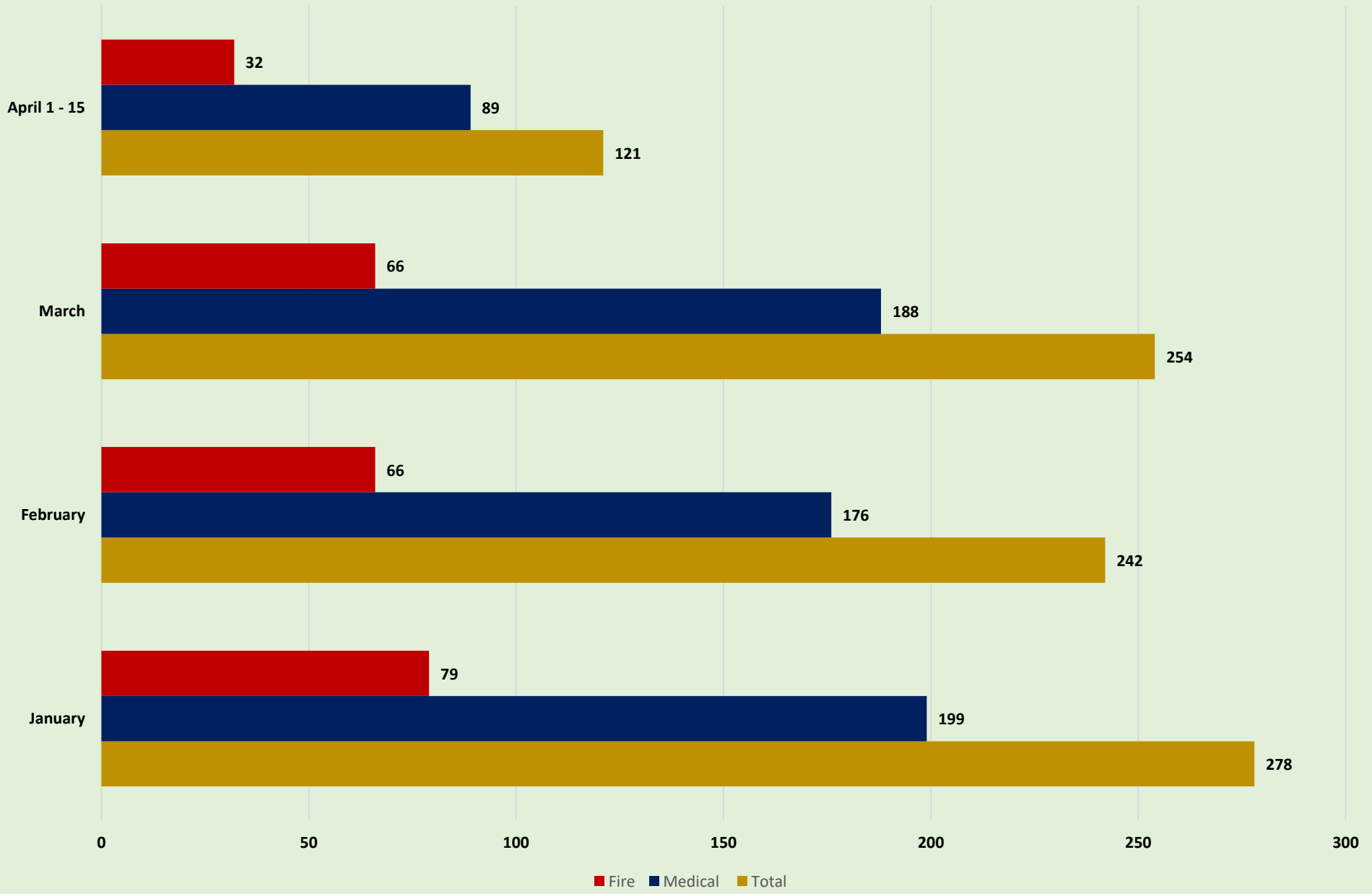
The breakdown for each city is as follows:

	Pembroke Pines	Hollywood	Davie
BSO/Cooper City Responded outside its jurisdiction	3	0	13
Outside agencies responded to Cooper City	5	0	4

## April 1 - April 15 Fire and Medical Incidents



### Monthly Fire and Medical Call Volumes



## II. Fire Prevention Report

- Fire Inspections: (Year to Date)
  - i. Total Properties 867
  - ii. Completed Inspections 411
  - iii. Oct 1 – Apr 15 Percentage 47.4%
  
- Monthly Report (April 1 – April 15)
  - i. Annual Fire Inspections: 25
  - ii. New Construction Insp: 09
  - iii. Plan Reviews: 05
  - iv. Re-inspections: 20
  - v. Special Events: 00

## III. Community Outreach Report

- The BSO Life Safety Educators attended the Autism Awareness Event and provided the “Paint a Truck” for all attendees.

## IV. Fire Apparatus/Station Report

- The new rescue and new ladder truck are still in the drawing phases.
  - I expect to present a proposal to the city manager for a second rescue to be purchased with the same specifications as our first rescue purchase.
  - Pierce is continuing with the Stock Engine production as can be seen on its website at <https://ten8fire.com/apparatus/production/>. The stock engine graphics have been completed and approved by the City Manager.
  - I will be attending the New Engine final inspection and acceptance test on April 18-21. Fleet Director, Victor Goizueta, and Driver Engineer, Joseph Boudreau, will be accompanying me to the Pierce factory in Appleton, Wisconsin.

## V. Incident Response Summary (April 1 – April 15, 2023)

Incident responses < 6 min.	Incident responses 6 – 9 min.	Incident responses > 9 min.	Incident responses no arrival
74	23	3	21

Quickest Response Time: 0:32 min.  
 Longest Response Time: 11:32 min.  
 Average Response Time: 4:53 min.

**VI. Apparatus In-Service Times (April 1 – April 15, 2023)**

<b>Unit</b>	<b>In-service days</b>	<b>Out-of-service days</b>	<b>Comments</b>
Q28	15	0	
E28	15	0	
R28	15	0	
R228	15	0	
DC28	15	0	

- Impact windows and doors have been installed at station 28. A punch list has been established and minor corrections are in the process of being completed. The final inspection was completed. The electronic lock for the main entrance and keypad lock for the kitchen door to the parking lot are still pending.
- Fire Hydrant flushing has started and will continue for the next several months until complete.  
Total Hydrants: 1231  
Flushed Hydrants: 541  
Out of Service Hydrants: 3  
Pending: 687

**VII. Community Emergency Response Team (CERT)**

- CERT attended the Autism Awareness event held on April 15,