

To: Mayor Ruth and Deadwood City Commissioners

From: Deadwood Volunteer Fire Department

Date: February 22.2025

Subject: Year-end Report for January 1, 2024 to December 31, 2024

The Deadwood Volunteer Fire Department would like to respectfully submit the following Year-end Report for Calendar Year 2024. On December 31, 2024 the Deadwood Volunteer Fire Department had 37 members up from 36 last December. Below is a listing of the hours our firefighters donated during the 2024 calendar year to the community.

Training and Education	2023 totals	2024 totals
Hours Spent in Training -	1822.75 hours	1612.26 hours
Hours Spent in Community Education -	1744.35 hours	1739.70 hours
Hours Spent in Community Activities -	773.53 hours	3718.00 hours

INCIDENTS DURING	CALENDAR YEAR 2023		CALENDAR YEAR 2024	
Structure Fires	17	11%	4	1%
Vehicle Calls	12	8%	11	5%
Wild land Fires	4	2%	2	1%
Rescue Calls	6	4%	5	4%
HazMat Calls	16	11%	2	4%
Service Calls	15	10%	70	41%
Fire false Alarms	72	51%	47	28%
Medical Assist	2	1%	3	1%
Other	<u>3</u>	<u>2%</u>	Other	<u>34</u> <u>6%</u>
Total Calls	201		178	

144 calls or 80% of all incidents were inside the city limits.

18 calls or 10% of all incidents were out of city limits yet in Deadwood Fire District.

16 calls or 8% of all incidents were outside the Deadwood Fire District.

An average of 7 Volunteers responded per call.

178 incidents - 664 Volunteer Hours on incidents alone.

In an effort to encourage physical fitness our department implemented in May 2008 incentives for any exercise and health benefit training that is done on the firefighters' personal time. In the year 2024, our firefighters had 398 hours of physical fitness training, which was likely under-reported.

2024 Statistics

664 Hours in Incidents Response	x	\$24.29 = \$16128.56
3351.96 Hours in Training & Education	x	\$24.29 = \$81419.10
3718 Hours in Community Activities	x	\$24.29 = <u>\$90310.22</u>
7733.96 Volunteered by Firefighters	x	\$24.29 = 187857.88

Total dollars saved by the Deadwood Volunteer Fire Department from January 1, 2023 to December 31, 2024 is **\$187857.88**

Respectfully submitted,

Alex Hamann
Fire Chief