



Jerome Fire Department

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Fire Chief's Report

Month: February Year: 2025

Calls by Type	Number	Resident	Non-Resident
EMS Calls	12	6	6
Residential Fire	1	0	1
Commercial Fire	0	0	0
Wildland	4	2	2
Still Assignment	3	3	0
Station Staffing	3	3	0
Citizen Assist	0	0	0
Agency Assist	4	3	1
Special Duty	3	3	0
Snake Removal	0	0	0
Tech Rope Rescue	0	0	0
MVA/Rescue	5	0	5
HazMat	3	3	0
Dispatch Error	0	0	0
Totals:	38	23	15
Total Calls Chief on Scene	33		
Total JFD Meetings Chief Attended	7		

Department Meetings and Drills	Number
Officer's Meeting	1
Work Session	1
Rope Drill	1
Drills	5

JFD Calls and Meetings hours worked	Total Hours: 399:57
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Meetings	Date
Station 12 Meeting – Blair/Whiting	2/5/25
Verde Valley Chief's Meeting – Blair/Whiting	2/2/25
NAEMS Meeting – Hernandez	2/7/25
Yavapai County Firewise-Whiting	2/6/25
VVFM Meeting – Blair/Whiting	2/27/25

Education, Spring Semester:

- After several years of conversation with medical direction. Carl Whiting, Zach McGregor, Kerry Lee and Michele Sharif completed an IV Course on the 10th of February. This is a specialized training course that allows our EMTs to provide IV's (under direction from medical control) as we often have a long response time for ALS to arrive on emergency scenes. Jerome Fire has also received the approval from our medical direction to start this program.
- John Krmopotich is entering his mid-term exams at Yavapai college for Firefighter 1&2. He will finish his Hazardous materials class in the next few weeks. John is one of our most dedicated responders, we are fortunate to have him on our team. We are excited that he has decided to further his education and fully support him.
- Carl Whiting, Rick Hernandez and John Krmopotich have enrolled at the Arizona Wildland Academy on the 17th to the 19th of March. This academy allows our responders specialized classes in the Wildland fire response.

Weekly Training:

- Thursday February 6th – Blair/Rick Hernandez business meeting, electronic patient care reporting program
- Thursday February 13th – Kerry Lee - Ropes / Knots
- Thursday February 20th – Jason Supple – Drone Operations Overview
- Saturday February 22nd – Kerry Lee – High Angle Offset tracking lines.
- Thursday February 27th - Carl Whiting – Review of the IC System and ICS 100,200,700

Department Affairs and Ongoing Projects

- Our February call volume is down by 3 over last February's 41 calls, totaling 38 calls this month. Our Fire Department personnel perform their tasks in a professional manner with no injuries occurring.
- On February 5th and 6th, we hosted our annual Fire extinguisher service. We received a great turnout, with many residents and businesses refreshing their Extinguishers.
- February is also the beginning of our budget process.
- Jerome Fire Department and Niles Radio are working to fix the town sirens. In the past it was set to sound during significant emergencies. Last year it stopped working. The system requires a new radio receiver. Niles radio is currently building a new system, and it should be installed and operational mid-March.
- The Annual NAEMS Grant is coming up in March. We have begun the application process. This is an important grant for us. We use this grant to assist in the restocking necessary medical supplies as well as supplement the cost of training for our EMT's.
- We have been able to close out our Tittle III grant and have received our reimbursement. We are also continuing to work on the Communications grant. This has been a challenge for us as we had to take over the management of the grant after Chief Muma's retirement. We have been able to catch up and get a good handle on it. We have submitted for and been approved for a reimbursement.
- On February 1st,2nd and the 15th the Fire department hosted the girl scout's cookie sale. The girls sold out every day! We would like to thank our residents and visitors for the support for the local girl scouts.

Prevention

- We had a total of 121 loads with a total of 175 combined hours from our citizens and fuels crew.
- 27 Firewise activities
- 1 Firewise home assessment
- 1 burn permit was issued
- 13 Business license inspections.

February Fire Department Activities and Run Report:

Incident	Date	Time	Day	Select Type	Description	#
25-15	2/1/25	16:36	Sat	EMS Non-Resident	78 YOF- Fall W/ Injury	6
25-16	2/2/25	11:55	Sun	EMS Non-Resident	Assist 90 YOF	7
J-23	2/2/25	12:39	Sun	Agency Assist Non-Resident	Assist JPD W/ traffic Accident	2
25-17	2/3/25	10:58	Mon	EMS Resident	80 YOM - Chest Pain	5
J-24	2/3/25	15:30	Mon	Still Assignment Resident	Report of smoke	1
25-18	2/3/25	15:54	Mon	EMS Non-Resident	50 YOF - Chest Pain	6
J-25	2/5/25	9:00	Wed	Wildland Resident	Unpermitted brush pile burn	4
J-26	2/5/25	9:00	Wed	Special Duty Resident	Assist with Extinguisher Refresher	3
J-27	2/5/25	9:30	Wed	Agency Assist Resident	Assist JPD W/ Traffic Control	3
J-28	2/6/25	8:30	Thu	Still Assignment Resident	Report of Smell of gas	3
J-29	2/6/25	9:00	Thu	Special Duty Resident	Assist with Extinguisher Refresher	3
J-30	2/6/25	17:00	Thu	MVA/Rescue Non-Resident	Assisted JPD W/ Oversized truck	3
J-31	2/7/25	9:30	Fri	Station Staffing Resident	Station Staffing	6
J-32	2/7/25	13:30	Fri	Still Assignment Resident	Check for CO	4
25-19	2/7/25	15:18	Fri	Residential Fire Non-Resident	Canceled Enroute	12
25-20	2/7/25	15:59	Fri	EMS Non-Resident	29 YOF - Feeling Ill	7
25-21	2/9/25	12:37	Sun	EMS Resident	88 YOF - Abdominal Pain	4
J-33	2/12/25	16:00	Wed	Hazmat Resident	Clean Up Oil Spill	2
J-34	2/13/25	22:00	Thu	Station Staffing Resident	Station Staffing	1
J-35	2/14/25	8:00	Fri	Wildland Resident	Burnt Burn Pile	4
J-36	2/14/25	18:33	Fri	MVA/Rescue Non-Resident	Non-Injury accident	1
J-37	2/14/25	22:00	Fri	Station Staffing Resident	Station Staffing	1
J-38	2/15/25	15:14	Sat	MVA/Rescue Non-Resident	Stuck Box Truck	4
J-39	2/16/25	17:30	Sun	EMS Resident	76 YOM - Welfare check	1
25-22	2/16/25	19:24	Sun	EMS Non-Resident	Canceled Enroute	7
25-23	2/17/25	14:26	Mon	MVA/Rescue Non-Resident	18 YOM - Motorcycle down	8
J-40	2/18/25	11:00	Tue	Hazmat Resident	Clean Up Biohazard	3
J-41	2/20/25	11:40	Thu	EMS Non-Resident	50 YOF- Cut Hand - Basic First aid	3
25-24	2/20/25	16:11	Thu	EMS Resident	70 YOF - ETOH	7
J-42	2/21/25	8:00	Fri	Agency Assist Resident	Assist W/ Oversized	1
25-25	2/21/25	8:36	Fri	EMS Resident	False Activation	8
J-43	2/21/25	10:00	Fri	Hazmat Resident	Cleaned Oil Spill	3
J-44	2/21/25	11:00	Fri	Special Duty Resident	Skunk Removal	2
25-26	2/22/25	18:06	Sat	Wildland Non-Resident	False Alarm	8

25-27	2/24/25	5:54	Mon	MVA/Rescue Non-Resident	32 YOM - Bicycle Vs wall	11
J-45	2/24/25	22:00	Mon	Agency Assist Resident	JPW - Checked on water Leak.	1
25-28	2/27/25	5:07	Thu	EMS Resident	73 YOM - Possible Stroke	6
25-29	2/28/25	11:40	Fri	Wildland Non-Resident	Canceled Enroute	6

February 2025 Burn Pile Log

JC stands for Jerome citizens.

Date	Address	Adult Prob.	# Fuels Crew	FC Hrs.	Fuels Crew Total Hrs.	# Loads	# crew	# Hrs.	Town Firewise Total Hrs.
2/3/2025	867 Hampshire				0	10	2	8	16
2/4/2025	Hampshire		1	2	2	8			0
2/5/2025	111 Deception Ln.				0	2	1	2	2
2/5/2025	88 Hampshire				0	2	1	2	2
2/5/2025	Douglas Rd.		1	2	2	1			0
2/5/2025	Diaz		1	6	6	8			0
2/6/2025	842 Gulch				0	1	1	2	2
2/6/2025	Diaz		1	3	3	5			0
2/6/2025	Fourth		3	4	12	0			0
2/7/2025	295 Dundee				0	1	2	2	4
2/7/2025	248 Dundee				0	2	2	4	8
2/7/2025	222 4th St.				0	1	2	4	8
2/7/2025	Fourth		1	8	8	10			0
2/11/2025	114 Jerome Ave.				0	15	4	6	24
2/11/2025	Diaz		1	8	8	20			0
2/19/2025	2nd and Center		1	8	8	2			0
2/20/2025	Fourth St		1	8	8	2			0
2/21/2025	Town Yard		1	8	8	7			0
2/22/2025	Town Yard		1	8	8	8			0
2/24/2025	701 East Ave.				0	2	2	2	4
2/26/2025	222 First Ave.				0	1	1	1	1
2/26/2025	640 Center				0	6	2	8	16
2/27/2025	659 Giroux				0	1	1	2	2
2/27/2025	100 Douglas				0	2	2	2	4
2/28/2025	633 Clark				0	1	2	2	4
2/28/2025	100 Douglas				0	1	1	1	1
2/28/2025	105 3rd St				0	2	2	2	4
		0	13	65	73	121	28	50	102
	Jerome Citizen Hours-	Adult Prob.	Firewise	FW Hrs.	Firewise Total Hrs.	# Loads	JC# Crew	JC# Hrs.	JC Total Hrs.

**Thank you for your continuing support.
Jerome Fire Department**

