



Lynden Fire Department August 2025 Report



Monthly Call Volume Year over Year

Jan 01, 2024 12:00 AM to Aug 31, 2025 11:59 PM

Month Name	2025		2024		YTD % Change
	Grand Total - Current	% of Total Incidents - Current	Grand Total - Previous	% of Total Incidents - Previous	
January	212	12.00%	234	14.00%	-9.40%
February	235	13.00%	160	10.00%	46.88%
March	201	11.00%	216	13.00%	-6.94%
April	204	11.00%	200	12.00%	2.00%
May	212	12.00%	188	11.00%	12.77%
June	221	12.00%	193	12.00%	14.51%
July	249	14.00%	224	13.00%	11.16%
August	260	14.00%	245	15.00%	6.12%
Grand Total	1,794	100.00%	1,660	100.00%	8.07%

Call Volume increased another 4.2% in August from July's total runs. Our department responded to 260 calls for service this month, the highest number of responses so far this year. August also brought our highest number of multiple calls in progress at once, with 60 instances of 2 calls in progress, and 3 instances of 3 calls in progress. Each instance leaves our city with no available responders as well as necessitates relying on our mutual aid partners who are also experiencing call volume increases, causing them to rely on their mutual aid partners as well. In the month of August LFD received mutual aid from NWFR 9 times and from Everson FD 1 time. LFD provided mutual aid to NWFR 17 times and to Everson FD 3 times.

Fire Marshal Corner:

- 8/4-Violation Review Windmill Inn
- 8/6- Lynden Door Sprinkler Final
- 8/6- Sprinkler Inspection Woodcreek
- 8/14-Windmill Inn Site Visit
- 8/14-Sprinkler Inspection Cornerstone
- 8/15- Hydrant Review
- 8/21-Plans Review Safeway
- 8/21- Final Inspection 1610 Grover
- 8/22-Lynden Christian School Inspections
- 8/25-8/29-WSRB Prep
- 8/29- Whiskey Walk Review

Community Outreach:

- 8/1- Car Seat Check
- 8/2- Training W/Lynden HS Athletics Dept
- 8/8- Car Seat Check
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- 8/12- Volunteer @ NWWF

Overtime:

Projected time off for August was 818 hours based off of bid vacation and scheduled Kelly days. Actual time off for August was 925.75 hours. Overtime hours for August were 474 hours. Vacation Days-16, Kelly Days-19, Sick Days-5.

Time off where coverage was not needed: 451.75 hours

There were four (4) 24-hour Shifts where we ran with only 3 personnel.

Summary

