



Fire Department
Charter Township of White Lake

October Monthly Board Report

Incident Response Breakdown

Activity Summary

	Sep 25	Sep 24		Sep 25	Sep 24
Medical/Rescue	213	219	Hospital Transports by the Fire Dept.	19	18
Hostile Fires (Structure, Vehicle, Brush, and Other)	7	10	19 transported to DMC Huron Valley		
Hazardous Conditions	10	12	Public Service Events/Standbys	3	11
Public Service/Other	51	36	Home Fire Safety Inspections(s)	3	2
Uncategorized	3	3	Child seat inspection(s)	0	1
<u>Mutual Aid</u>					
Given	4	1			
1 Springfield, 1 Highland, 1 Commerce (all fires)					
1 Grand Blanc for MCI					
Received	2	7			
2 Commerce, 1 NOCFA, 1 Highland, 1 Springfield all fires					
Total Calls for Service:	284	280			
YTD Total Run Volume:	2,453	2,507			

ADMIN:

- 1) Continued work on filing an extension of our Bennett Bill exemption with Oakland County Medical Control Authority. This is what is allowing us to provide limited ALS service while we ramp up training and staff. The initial time frame was two (2) years. The extension will be for another two (2) years. The next step in the process will be a meeting with the County Medical Control Board of Directors on October 16th.
- 2) 2026 draft budget was completed and turned into finance.



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- 3) We are working on revising our background check process with Human Resources.
- 4) We are also working on streamlining and mapping our hiring process with HR.
- 5) We have been reviewing and evaluating scheduling software and will be bring a proposal to the Board in the coming months. This will streamline scheduling, ease of personnel staffing, and tracking time off.

APPARATUS MAINTENANCE:

- a. Our two (2) new ambulances arrived. In service time should be approximately Two (2) weeks.
- b. Engine 2-Still awaiting parts (Inner support system-bumper). Once parts arrive, it should be completed within approximately ten (10) days. They have no ETA on the parts arrival.
- c. Pump Testing (E-1, E-3, and T-1) that was scheduled in September, took place by the vendor on Oct 3rd. E-2 will be completed when it returns from the body shop.

FIRE PREVENTION:

- 1) Open house was a resounding success and was very well attended.
- 2) Annual inspections completed: 4
- 3) Re-inspections completed: 1
- 4) Plan reviews completed: 4
- 5) We have a full schedule of public education programs in October as it is Fire Prevention Month. The schedule for the rest of the month is:
 - a. October 15th – Citizens Academy – Extrication Night
 - b. October 17th – Lakewood Elementary School – Trunk or Treat Event – 6 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
 - c. October 17th – Lakeland High School – Varsity Football standby – 7 p.m. – 9 p.m.
 - d. October 18th – White Lake Township’s – Trunk or Treat Event – 6 p.m. – 8 p.m.
 - e. October 23rd – Huron Valley Schools – Trick or Trucks Event – 4:30 p.m. – 7 p.m.
 - f. October 24th – Lakeland High School – Varsity Football standby - 7 p.m. – 9 p.m.
 - g. October 25th – White Lake Groom Room – 20th business anniversary party – just stopping by for an hour. Actual event is from 11 a.m. – 3 p.m.
 - h. October 25th – Woods HOA Halloween Party – 6 p.m. – 7 p.m.

OPERATIONS:

MAJOR INCIDENTS:

- 1) We had unfortunately had a couple fatal pedestrian MVC’s last month.
- 2) We responded to the Grand Blanc MCI incident.
- 3) Several fires were responded to last month.



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TRAINING:

- 1) One (1) firefighter completed Fire Instructor 1
- 2) Two (2) of our certified inspectors went to the annual fire prevention conference in Mt. Pleasant Sept. 16-19.
- 3) One (1) firefighter completed advance rapid intervention training (RIT).
- 4) One (1) firefighter went to elevator rescue training.
- 5) We currently have two (2) people attending Fire Officer 1.
- 6) In-house training for the month included SCBA confidence, drone operations, technical rescue, and fire incident size-up.
- 7) Three (3) of our new recruits are currently in EMT class.

KUDOS:

- 2) Thank you to all of the firefighters and Ashley for their hard work on all of our ongoing public education events. Open House was tremendously successful because of your efforts.

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