



WINSLOW FIRE DEPARTMENT

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TOWN COUNCIL MONTHLY BRIEFING



Incident Response for November

Total calls for this period were 82. EMS related calls totaled 102, fire related calls were 1 (1 structure fire in Fairfield). There were 16 calls for non-emergency service, 16 were for hazardous conditions (flammable liquid spill, down power lines, trees and car accidents

Mutual Aid calls for September were as follows. Winslow received mutual aid on several occasions: In total, Winslow requested 14 paramedic intercepts for the month. Waterville responded to 8 of those paramedic intercepts requested and transported with us for 3 of those. Additionally, we received from Delta 7 paramedic intercepts. Winslow provided mutual aid to The Town of Unity 1 time for EMS service.

Community News

The department put on a fire prevention class for a Winslow Cub Scout group. The department also participated in the Winslow/Waterville Parade of Lights. The department also assisted the

Department News

This is my first monthly report. I want to thank Town manager and the Winslow Town council for allowing me to take on the role of Fire Chief for the Winslow Fire Department. This is a position that I have worked toward since the beginning of my career as a firefighter. In my short period as chief of the department I have instituted a few changes. I now meet with crew members every morning, so I have an idea of what their plan is for the shift. To improve communication with the staff we will have a monthly staff meeting. Our first meeting will be on Tuesday December 13th.

The department is currently seeking to promote/hire to fill two vacant captain positions. I am actively working to increase the number of member call force firefighter, having placed an ad on our town website and social media. I am also attempting to increase our Per Diem firefighter/Paramedic staff as well, placing an ad in Maine Municipal Association as well as social media platforms. The Fire Department held a hiring process in November, we are pleased to announce Eric Chamberlain accepted the position with the fire department. His start date was Nov 18. Eric is currently assigned to C-shift.

The following is a breakdown of the EMS transport service for the month and for the year to date. There is approximately \$167,000 in accounts receivable currently outstanding. The table below indicates receipts and expenses associated with the service.

Contracted Services are costs associated with our mutual aid agreement with Delta and the fee for the medical billing service. The Per Diem line is the cost associated with hiring peak part time paramedics. The department budget has a line item for Part Time employees. It should also be noted that the ALS supplies are annually budgeted items that would have been expenditures incurred regardless of having a transport service. At the time of writing this report, expenditures were not available.

Transport Service		
Category	Month to Date	Year to Date
Receipts (Deposits in the bank)	\$31,896.30	\$147,015.18
Contracted Services		(\$8,700.47)
Per Diem		(\$13,543.71)
Vehicle Maintenance		
ALS Supplies		(\$5,895.17)
Net	\$31,896.30	\$118,875.83

The following is the breakdown for the request for response for the month of November.

