

This report includes April and May monthly update from Douro-Dummer Fire Services

Overview:

- Training included pump ops and drafting, BLS medical certifications, portable pumps, ladders, live fire, plus vehicle, equipment and station maintenance
- Dry Hydrant training (drafting) completed, discovered one privately owned required maintenance, which has been resolved.
- Implement new extrication tools (station 1)
- Implement new ground monitor (station 4)
- Station 2 continues with its renovations, and building department working on septic tender.
- Swim to Survive program back and has been delivered to both local schools

Fire Department Vehicle information:

- Tank 4 safety inspection complete
- Medi 1, 5 & Car 1 regular scheduled maintenance
- Medi 4, check engine light issue continues

Fire Administration specific:

- Participate in managers meetings, County Chiefs, EOETA, Service delivery review,
- One staff has completed the training component for fire and life safety educator and will become certified in the near future.
- Three members taking fire investigation course and one taking Incident Safety Officer
- Mandatory Firefighter Certification meetings and impact review continues
- Continue to work on contingency planning as part of a committee for future paging challenges
- Second quarter call data not available until early July. Call volume up to May 20 is 26. Due to the overwhelming storm calls, they have not been updated at the time of this report.

- As an update on response impact through this pandemic and policy implication, we continue to answer all calls for help as we did prior to the pandemic. Our lowest average for any station for response during the daytime or nighttime is 4 firefighters. Many are medical or other class I type of calls where responders below 5 per station is considered satisfactory. For fire type of responses, all stations are meeting or exceeding the benchmark of 5 firefighters responding. We continue to monitor the situation and manage short term situations as they arise with the benefit of our response App as we have done so for years now. As per the Fire Protection and Prevention Act, "A fire chief is the person who is ultimately responsible to the council of a municipality that appointed him or her for the delivery of fire protection services" and I can assure you that I will let council know if the level of service set cannot be met.

Township of Douro-Dummer

Report Approval Details

Document Title:	December and January Update.docx
Attachments:	
Final Approval Date:	Feb 2, 2022

This report and all of its attachments were approved and signed as outlined below:

Martina Chait-Hartwig

Elana Arthurs

Report Approval Details

Document Title:	February and March 2022 Update.docx
Attachments:	
Final Approval Date:	Apr 6, 2022

This report and all of its attachments were approved and signed as outlined below:

Martina Chait-Hartwig

Elana Arthurs