

SOUTH TORCH LAKE FIRE & RESCUE

December 2023 Fire / EMS Responses

<u>FIRE:</u>	Structure Fire	2
	Powerline Down	1
	Tree in Roadway	2
	Motor Vehicle Crash no/injury	1

<u>EMS:</u>	Medical Assist - PCR	7
	Ambulance Assist	3
	Assist Invalid	6

Total Responses **22** (2022) **18**

Milton Township	EMS Calls	1	Fire Calls	0	Total	1
Custer Township	EMS Calls	0	Fire Calls	2	Total	2

Mutual Aid Given: 1 Clearwater Sta #5

Mutual Aid Received: None

Automatic Aid Given: None

Automatic Aid Received: 2 Bellaire Fire District
2 Mancelona Fire
1 Clearwater Sta #5

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Training Hours:

Dec 6	Association Meeting	1.5 hr	8 Member
Dec 13	Sprinkler Systems	1.5 hr	9 Member
Dec 20	Haz-Mat Refresher	1.5 hr	9 Member

On-line Training:

Customer Service for Fire Dept. Personnel	1.0 hr	10 Member
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Year to Date **269** (2022) **288**

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Calls:

22 calls for service in December. 16 of those calls were for EMS related responses. We had two structure fires in our area, one on Trail 29 & one on Crystal Springs Rd. We received automatic aid from our neighboring departments on both fires.

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Personnel:

Congratulations to Katie Waggoner. She has successfully passed her EMT training and received her State of Michigan license today. Thank you for all you do.

Equipment:

Work continues on relocating the seats on the bus to create a bigger walkway for firefighters and their gear. The bus has been measured for an awning. Hopefully that will get ordered within the next couple of weeks.

Standard Operating Guidelines:

Policy #204 Initial Response has been updated.

Policy #304 Emergency Evacuation has been updated.

Building:

Nothing New to Report

ISO Update:

Waiting for word on the ISO review we had in November 2023. ISO representative said it would be anywhere from 6 to 8 months before we hear back from corporate ISO. That puts it somewhere between June – July 2024.

Training:

Jan 3	Association Meeting	Sta 22	
Jan 10	Bloodborne/MSDS/HIPAA	Sta 22	R. Smith
Jan 17	Fit Testing / PPE Inspection	Sta 22	M. Lee
Jan 24	Electric Vehicle Response – SMOKE	Sta #7	Kalkaska

On-line Training: Alcohol-Free Workplace

Public Information:

Smoke Detectors: We have smoke detectors available to the public. The detectors were provided by MI Prevention out of the State Fire Marshal's Office. We install detectors and do a free fire safety survey.

Veteran's Dinner: Thursday, Jan 18th, is the next monthly meal for Veterans and their families at our fire station. The meal is free and co-sponsored by the Antrim County Veterans Affairs, Alden Firefighters Association, and South Torch Lake Fire. The meal is served from 5 – 6 pm. Any help with the dinner would be appreciated.