



Integrity, Courage, Service, Legacy

GOSHEN FIRE DEPARTMENT

2024 ANNUAL ACTIVITY REPORT



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Year-End Statement from the Chief of the Goshen Fire Department

As Chief of the Goshen Fire Department, I am pleased to reflect on the remarkable achievements and milestones our department reached in 2024. This year has been a testament to our commitment to growth, service, and excellence as we continue to meet the needs of our ever-expanding community.

Record-Breaking Calls for Service In 2024, the Goshen Fire Department set a new record for call volume, responding to 5,552 calls. This surpassed our previous record of 5,498 calls set in 2022. The increasing number of calls reflects the continued growth of the City of Goshen and underscores the critical role our department plays in ensuring the safety and well-being of our residents.

Community Engagement and Events the Fire Department was actively involved in numerous community events and initiatives throughout the year. Highlights include:

- Participation in the Elkhart County 4-H Fair and Fair Parade, where we distributed fire safety materials.
- Engagement at the Hispanic Heritage Festival, emphasizing fire prevention and safety awareness.
- Supporting the Goshen Freedom Fest Airshow.
- Hosting and attending numerous neighborhood parties to build community relations.
- Conducting fire extinguisher training sessions for local businesses, reinforcing fire safety education in the workplace.

Educational Programs In 2024, we expanded our educational outreach through two key programs:

- **Redhawk Academy High School Firefighting Program:** This new initiative allows high school students to work toward their firefighter/EMT certifications and earn credits toward an associate degree, preparing them for careers in emergency services.
- **Indiana District 2 Fire Academy:** Held at our state-of-the-art training facility, this program continues to thrive, filling every session and maintaining a waiting list of eager participants.

Revisiting Our Mission and Core Values This year, our department revisited and updated our mission statement and core values to better reflect our dedication to the community and each other. Our mission now reads:

"To Positively Impact Our Community Through Service."

A committee of 12 firefighters developed new core values that define our department:

- **Integrity**
- **Courage**
- **Service**
- **Legacy**

These principles guide us in our daily duties and long-term vision.

Department Growth and Staffing In 2024, we welcomed 10 new members to our team, addressing retirements, separations, and the addition of three new positions. These hires reflect our dedication to maintaining a strong and capable workforce to meet the demands of our growing city.

Looking Ahead 2024 was an outstanding year for the Goshen Fire Department. From record-breaking call volumes to meaningful community engagement and program development, we have set a high standard for the future. We are excited to continue our mission in 2025 and look forward to new opportunities to serve and protect the City of Goshen.

Thank you to all members of the department, city leadership, and our community for your unwavering support and collaboration.

Sincerely,

Anthony Powell

Chief of the Department





Integrity, Courage, Service, Legacy

Goshen Fire Department Mission Statement

Positively impacting our community through service

Goshen Firefighter Oath of Office

*I do solemnly affirm that I will support the constitution of the United States
and the constitution of the State of Indiana and that I will faithfully and
impartially discharge my duties as firefighter on the Goshen Fire
Department according to the law and to the best of my ability, so help me
God.*

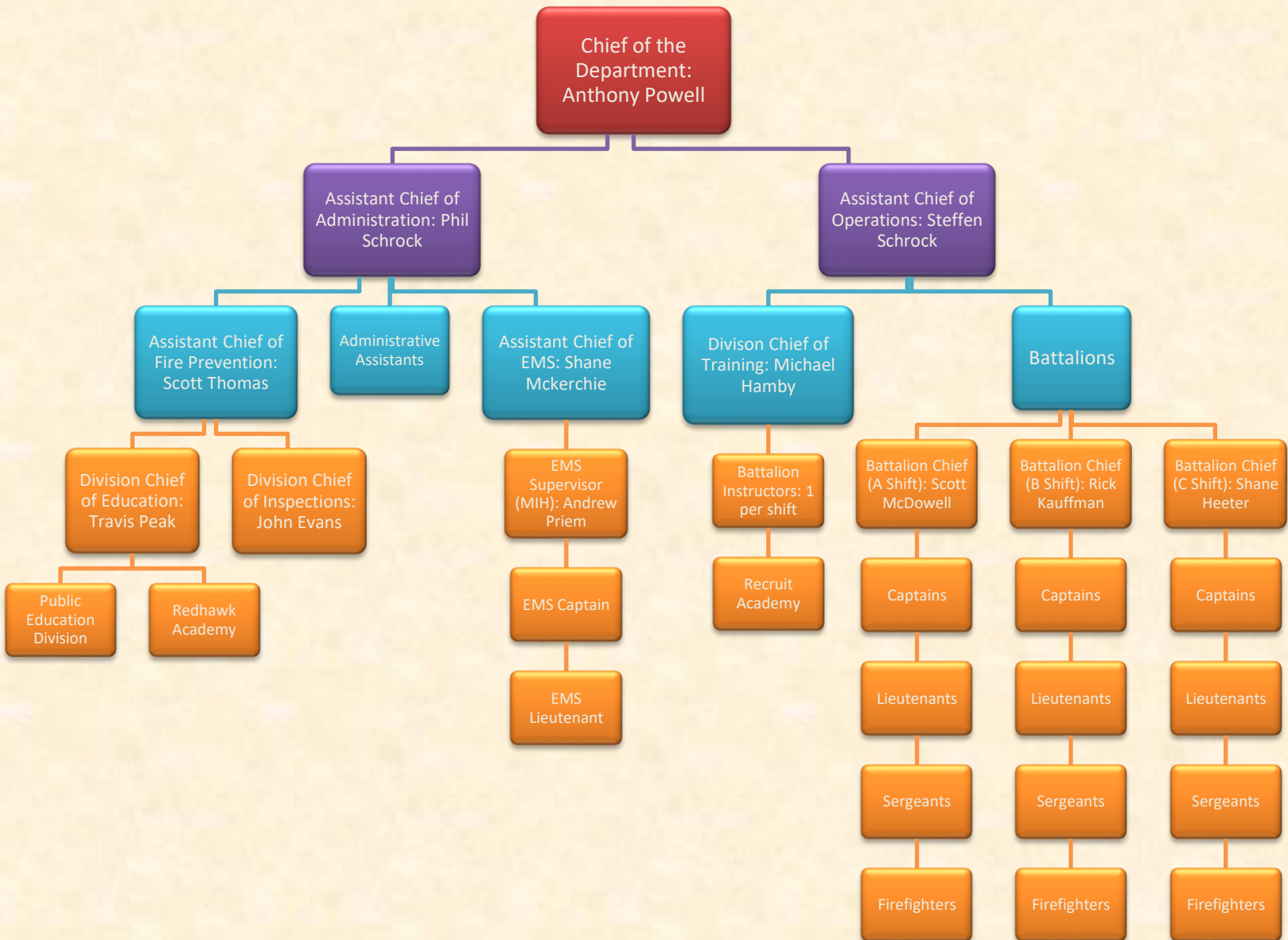


Goshen Fire Department

Organization Chart



Administration



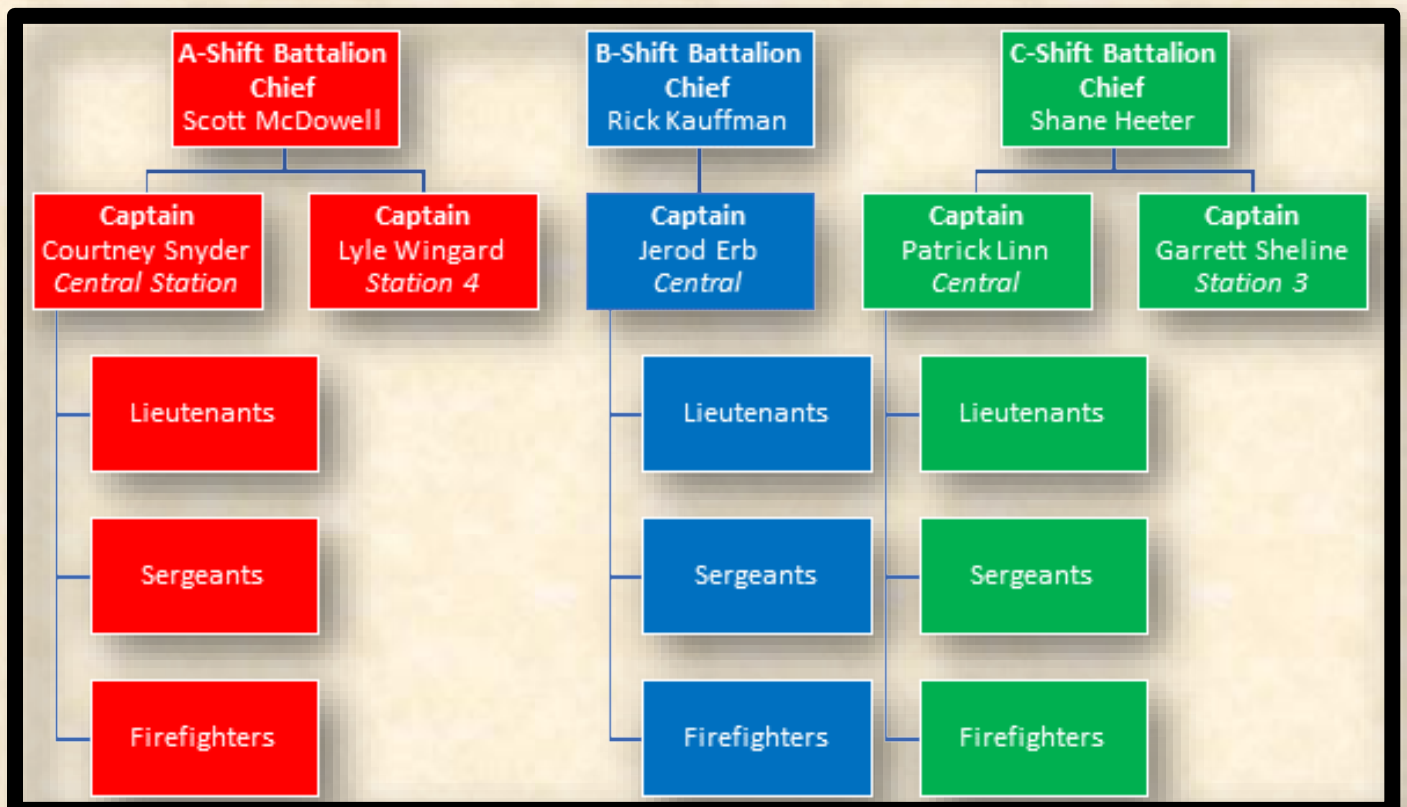
Administrative Staff

Anthony Powell – Chief of the Department
Phil Schrock – Assistant Chief of Administration
Steffen Schrock – Assistant Chief of Operations
Shane McKerchie – Assistant Chief of Emergency Medical Services
Scott Thomas – Assistant Chief of Fire Prevention
Michael Hamby – Division Chief of Training
Travis Peak – Division Chief of Education
John Evans – Division Chief of Inspections

Support Staff

Kimberly Whitehead – Administrative Assistant
Ireland Montoya – Administrative Assistant
Doug Gadson – Buildings and Grounds Maintenance

Shift Battalions



A-Shift

Scott McDowell – Battalion Chief
Courtney Snyder – Captain
Lyle Wingard – Captain / Medic
Zac Klopfenstein – Lieutenant / Medic
Andrew Priem – EMS Lieutenant/Fire Sgt/MIH
Daniel Kurtz – EMS Lieutenant
Jeff Frank – Sergeant
Patrick Martin – Sergeant
Kyle Stamm – Sergeant / Medic

Charles Stevens – Fire Sergeant / Medic
Wes White – FF / Medic
Andrew LoPresti – FF / Medic
Kevin Mann – FF / Medic
Josh Hite – FF / Medic Student
John Bacigal – Firefighter/Medic Student
Colin Loe – FF / Medic Student
Derick Schmucker – Probationary Firefighter
Jonathan Lehman – Probationary Firefighter

B-Shift

Rick Kauffman – Battalion Chief
Jerod Erb – Captain
Jeff Wogoman – Lieutenant
Jeremy Johnson – Lieutenant
Jon Weishaupt – EMS Lt. / Fire Sgt./Medic
Cam Bontrager – Lieutenant / Medic
Lucas Mason – Lieutenant / EMS Lt./Medic
Bryant Lehman – Sergeant / Medic
Jeremy Krezel – Sergeant / Medic
Tim Christner – Firefighter

Brian Brown – Firefighter
John Szuba – FF / Medic
Davis Lechlitrer – FF / Medic
Matt White – FF / Medic
Megan Berry – FF / Medic
Hannah Estes – FF / Medic
Joey Cestone – Firefighter
Kody Miller – Firefighter/Medic Student
Allison Eagan – Probationary FF/Medic Student
Matthew Borton – Probationary/Medic Student

C-Shift

Shane Heeter – Battalion Chief
Patrick Linn – Captain
Courtney Snyder – Captain
Kit Castetter – EMS Captain / Fire Lt.
Garrett Sheline – Captain / Medic
Winston Lechlitrer – Sergeant / EMS Lt.
Matt Whitford – Sergeant/Medic
Matt Stamm – Lieutenant
Jon Yoder – Firefighter
Jordan Hunter – FF/Medic Student

John J. Yoder – FF / Medic
Colten Cox – Fire Sgt./EMS Lt./ Medic
Mike Hamby – FF / Medic
Mike Fairfield – FF / Medic
Matt Pilling – Firefighter/Medic
Doug Burggraf – FF / Medic
Mike White – FF / Medic
Noah Youngman – Firefighter/Medic Student
Travis Snethen – Probationary FF/Medic



Overview:

The Goshen Fire Department responded to 5,552 calls for service in 2024, a 7.9% Increase from 2023. Average response time for the first arriving unit on emergency calls from our dispatch to arrival on scene, was 4 minutes and 36 seconds.

The annual dollar loss from investigated fires was estimated at \$1,744,500.00 down from \$6,269,190.00 in 2023. The percent of property value saved in structure fires during 2024 was 86% compared to 78% in 2023.

The total dollar amount of property saved in 2024 was \$10,285,600.

Administration and Operations

➤ Suppression/Admin – *Assistant Chief of Administration Phil Schrock*

In November 2024, I was fortunate to be chosen to assist in leading the Goshen Fire Department as the Assistant Chief of Administration. We are extremely blessed to have a staff that values the importance of demonstrating leadership.

As we expand, not only in department size but also in the services we offer, it has become clear how vital it is to foster ownership and encourage growth at all levels of the department.

We will continue to focus on creating personal growth opportunities for our members through leadership training and mentoring. One of our core values, *Legacy*, is already a guiding force for us. We recognize the importance of developing apprentices in all positions to ensure that there is never a lapse in service or knowledge.

We are at a unique point in Goshen Fire Department history—one that allows us to honor what has already been built while also shaping a vision for the future of our operations.

I am truly honored to be part of the team at Goshen Fire Department.

Phil Schrock

Assistant Chief of Administration

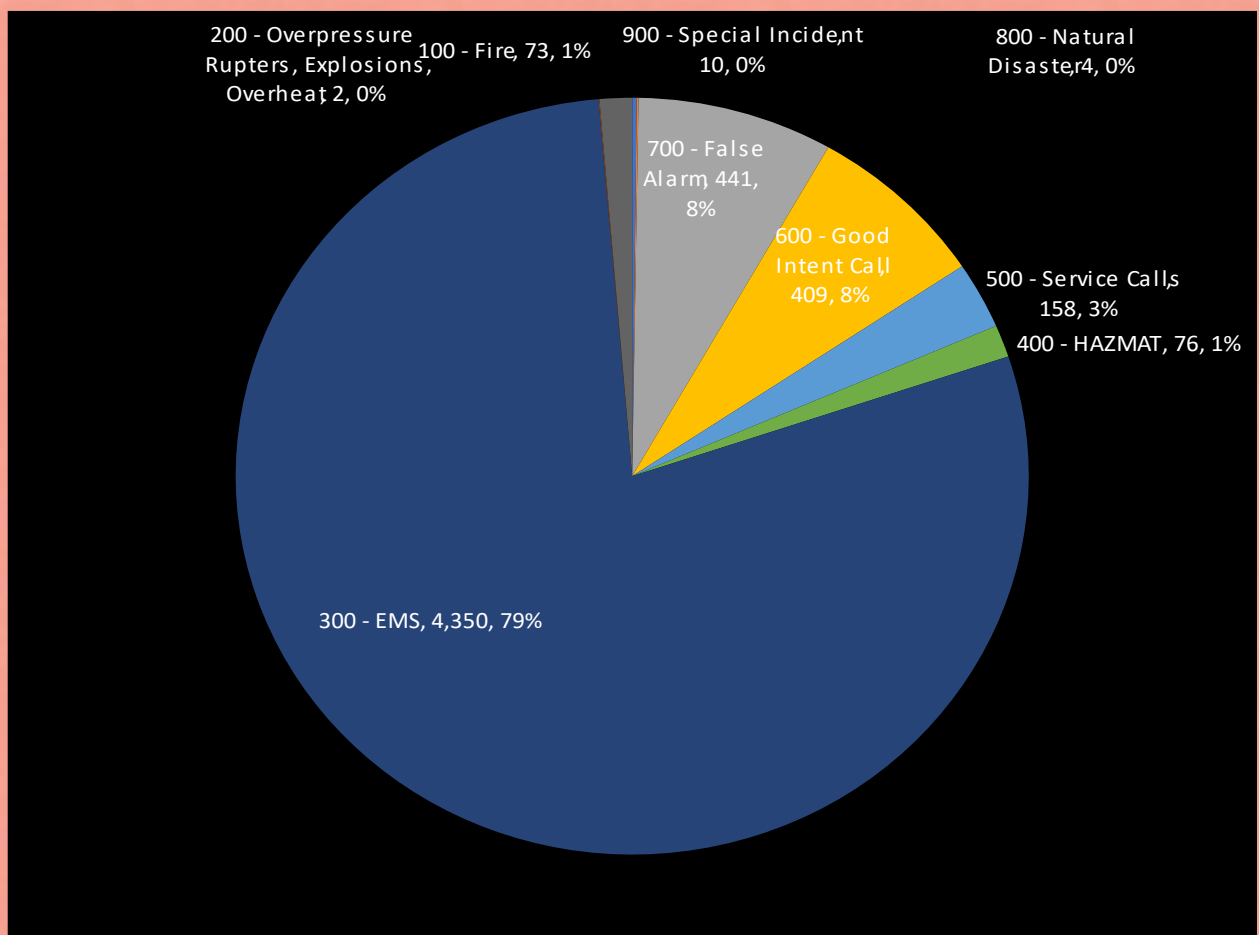


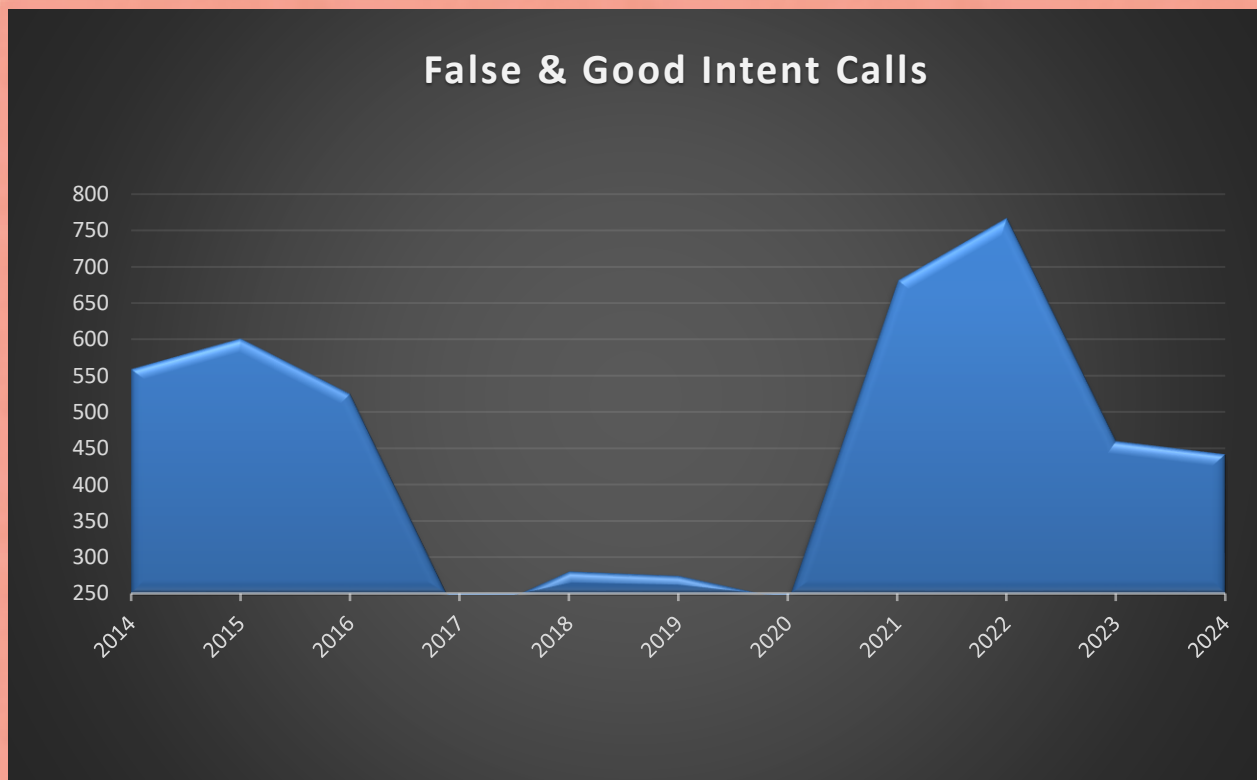
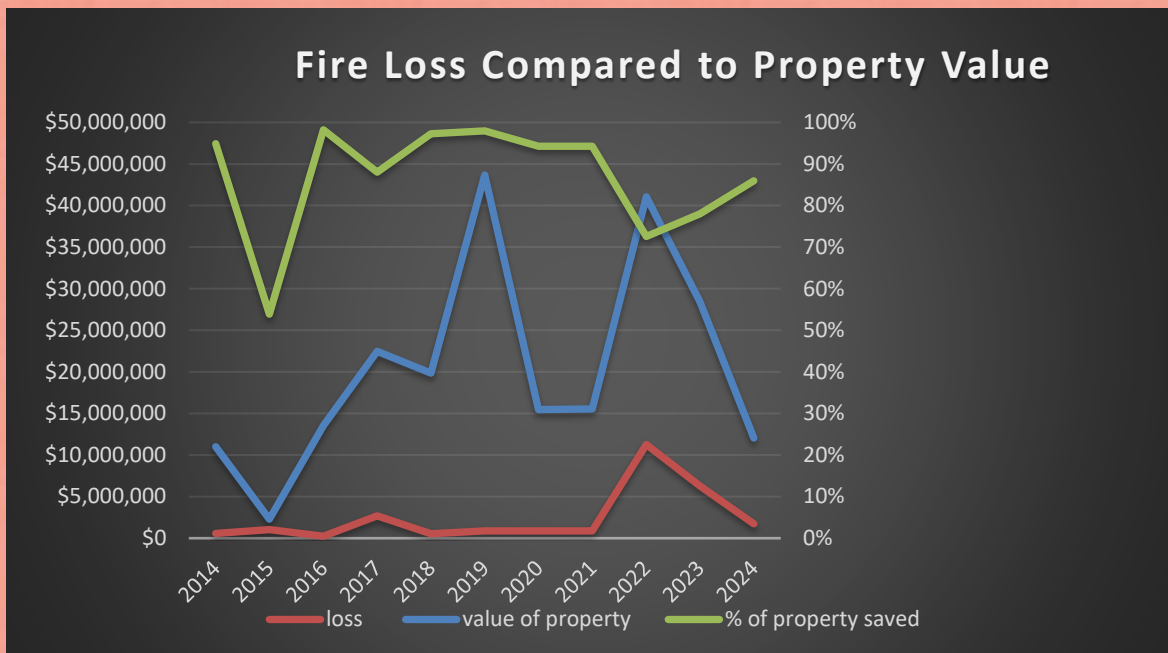
In Table #1, it shows the types of calls for service, overtime hours, average response times, estimated fire loss/property value, percent of property saved and average calls per day.

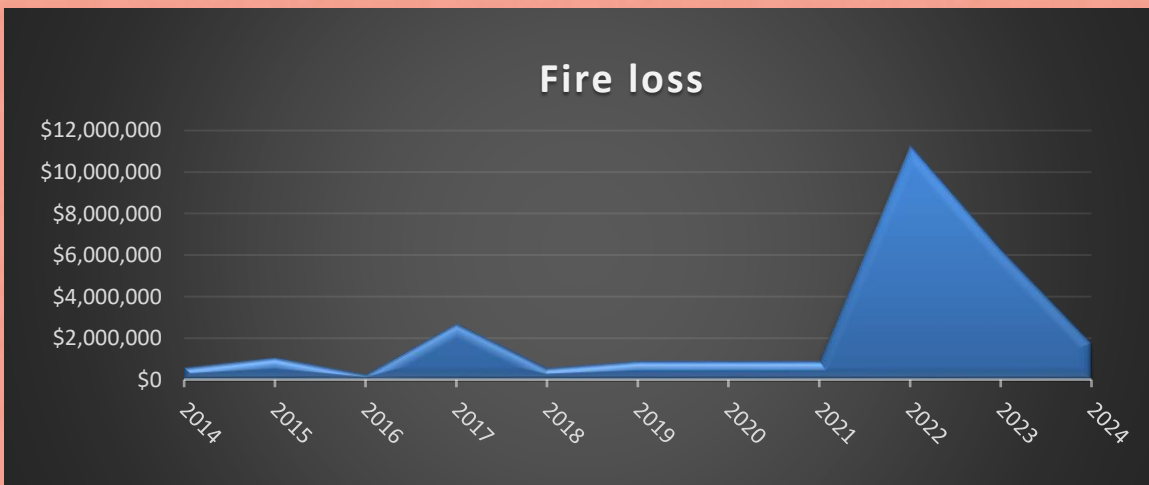
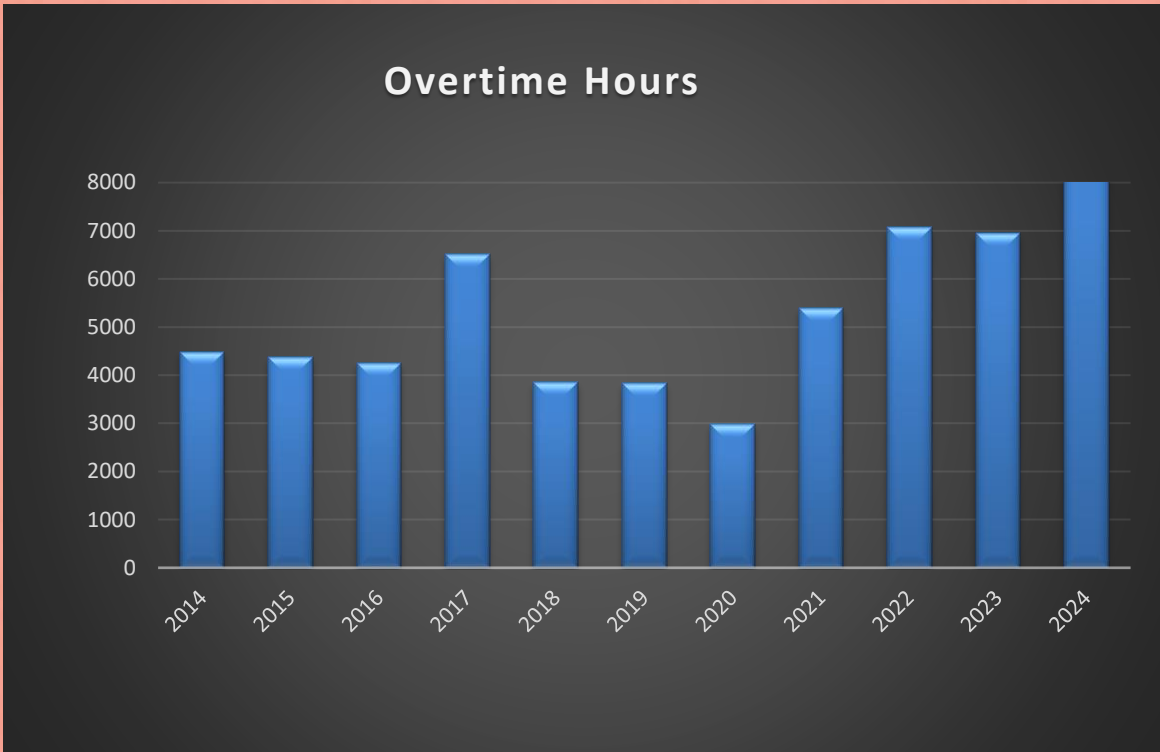
In Table #2, illustrates the type of emergencies that the fire department responded to during 2024. Furthermore, the type of call is indicated by month.

Table #1	2021	2022	2023	2024	Difference from 2023
Estimated Population	34,508	34,756	34,579	34,355	224 less
Total Calls	5101	5491	5111	5552	441 more
EMS Patients	4459	4660	4084	4439	355 more
EMS Assist Calls	2276	2276	2220	2465	245 more
Fire/Hazardous Conditions	110	212	211	73	138 more
Vehicle Fire	23	16	17	18	1 more
False Alarms	680	766	459	411	48 less
Overtime Hours	5377	7067.5	6948.5	9118.25	2169.75 more
Average Response Time	5:25	6:04	6:46	6:41	:05 less
Value of Property	\$13,847,500	\$41,075,230	\$28,380,308	\$12,030,100	\$16,350,208 less
Value of Fire Loss	\$887,300	\$11,268,630	\$6,269,190	\$1,744,500	\$4,524,690 less
Percentage of Property Saved	93.60%	72.60%	77.90%	85.40%	7.5 % more
Calls Per Day	13.9	15	14	15	1 more

<i>Call Type</i>	<i>Jan</i>	<i>Feb</i>	<i>Mar</i>	<i>Apr</i>	<i>May</i>	<i>Jun</i>	<i>Jul</i>	<i>Aug</i>	<i>Sep</i>	<i>Oct</i>	<i>Nov</i>	<i>Dec</i>	<i>Total</i>
Motor Vehicle Crash	15	15	9	14	20	15	20	16	21	17	14	14	190
Vehicle Extrication	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	4	1	1	1	11
Medical Calls	357	302	348	325	346	356	388	398	321	388	334	385	4248
Fire Alarms	38	40	24	45	33	36	48	25	50	34	28	39	440
Cancelled Enroute Calls	32	20	31	38	43	34	36	26	33	47	24	28	392
Structure Fire	1	0	1	4	1	0	3	0	3	0	1	0	14
Rubbish Fire	5	4	3	3	4	6	2	0	4	0	2	2	35
Vehicle Fire	2	2	2	2	4	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	16
Natural Gas Leak	5	4	4	1	5	1	4	2	3	4	4	2	39
CO Incident	7	2	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	15
Service Calls	12	7	5	7	14	9	18	18	5	20	20	17	152
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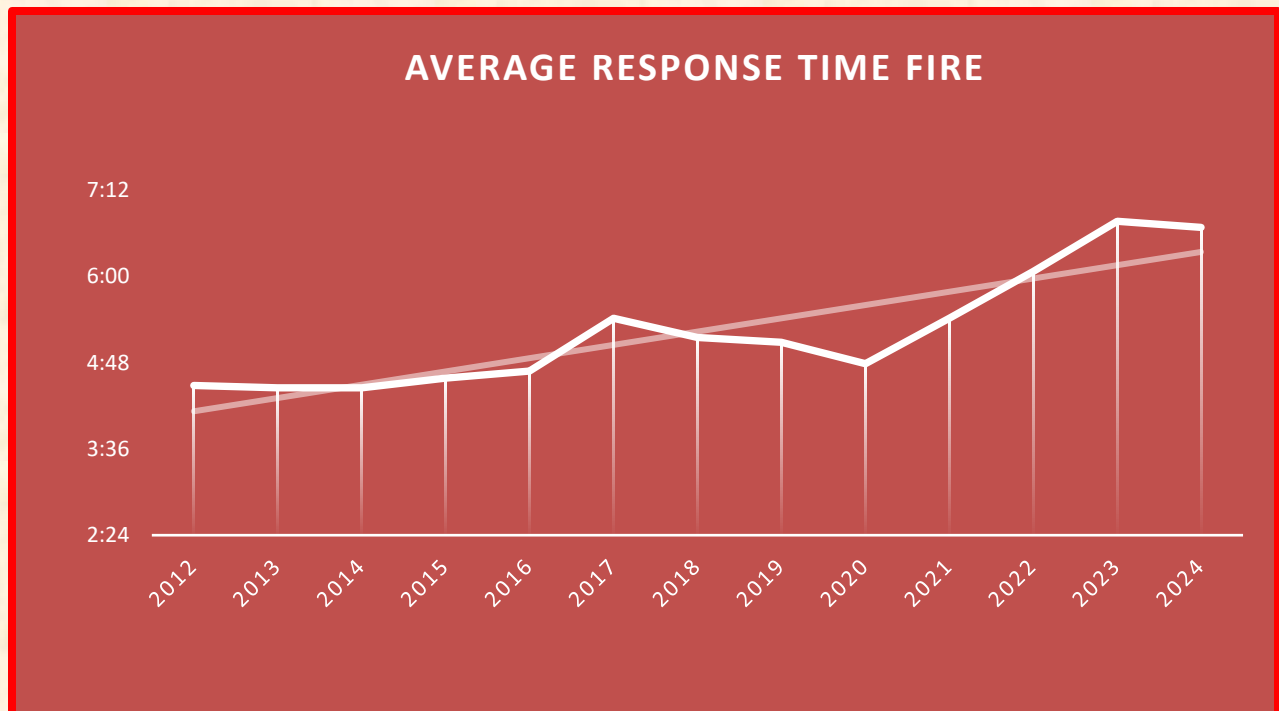
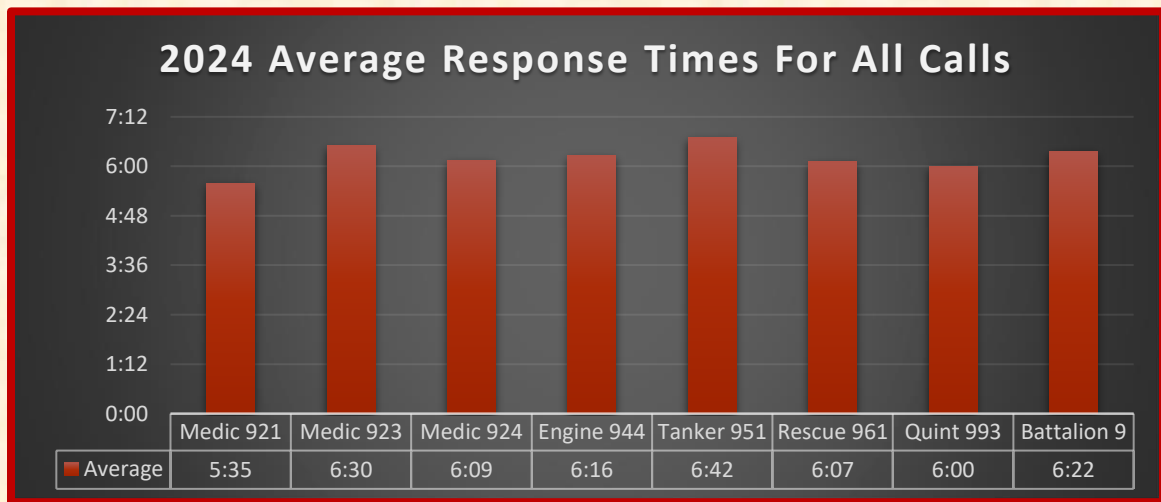


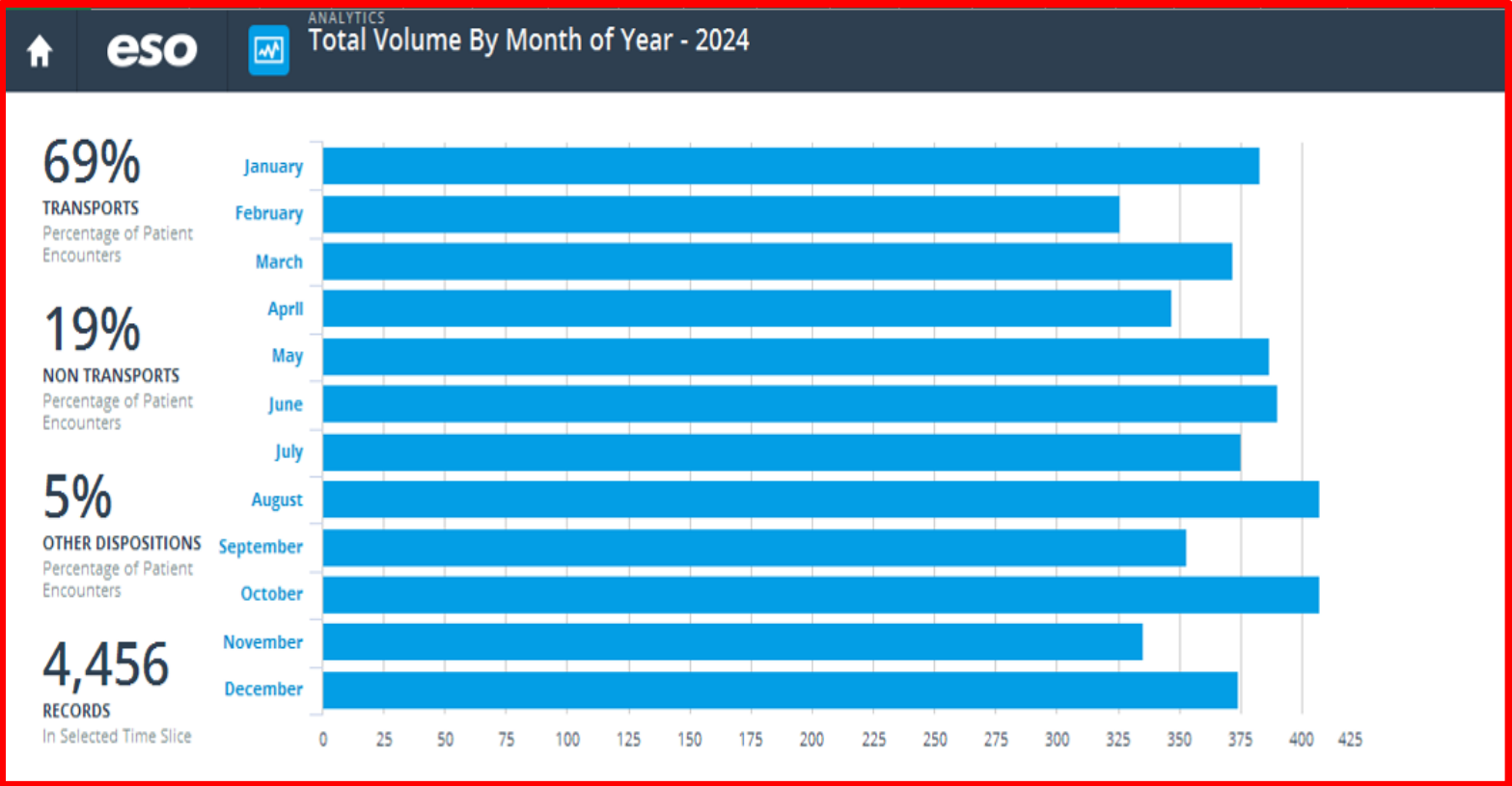
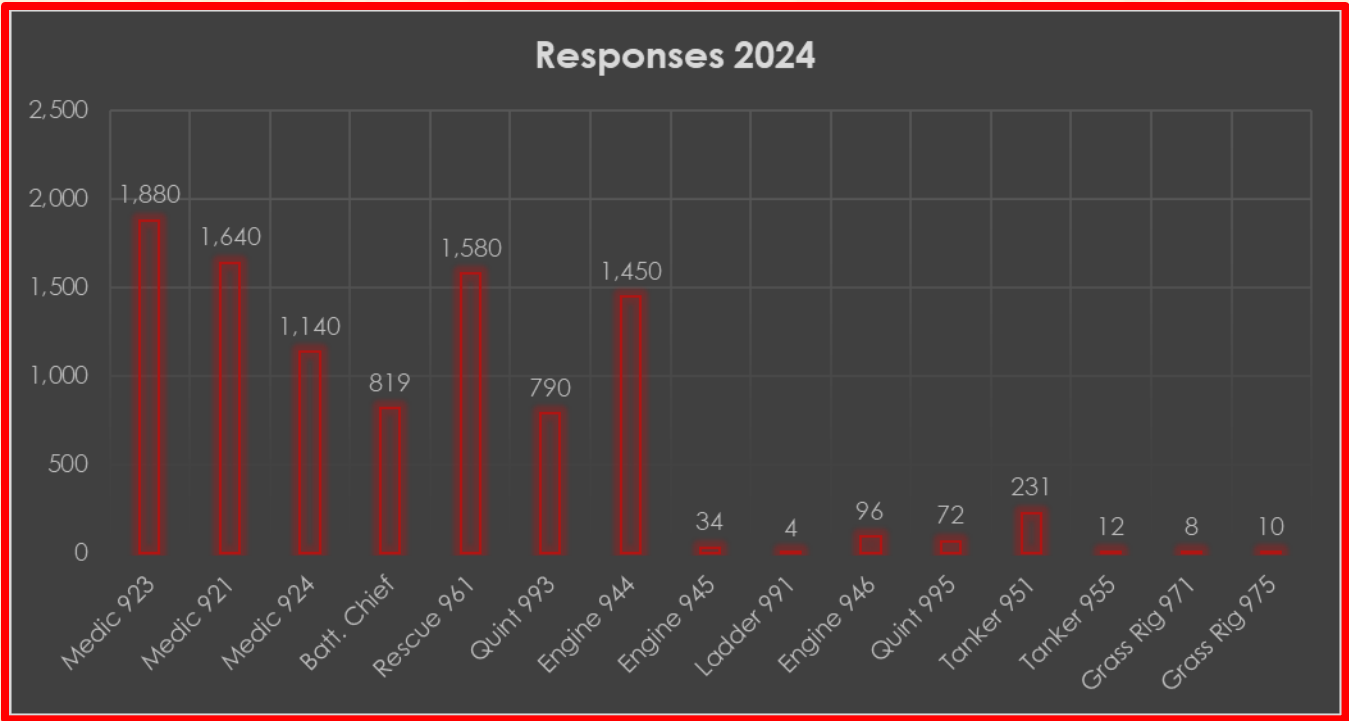


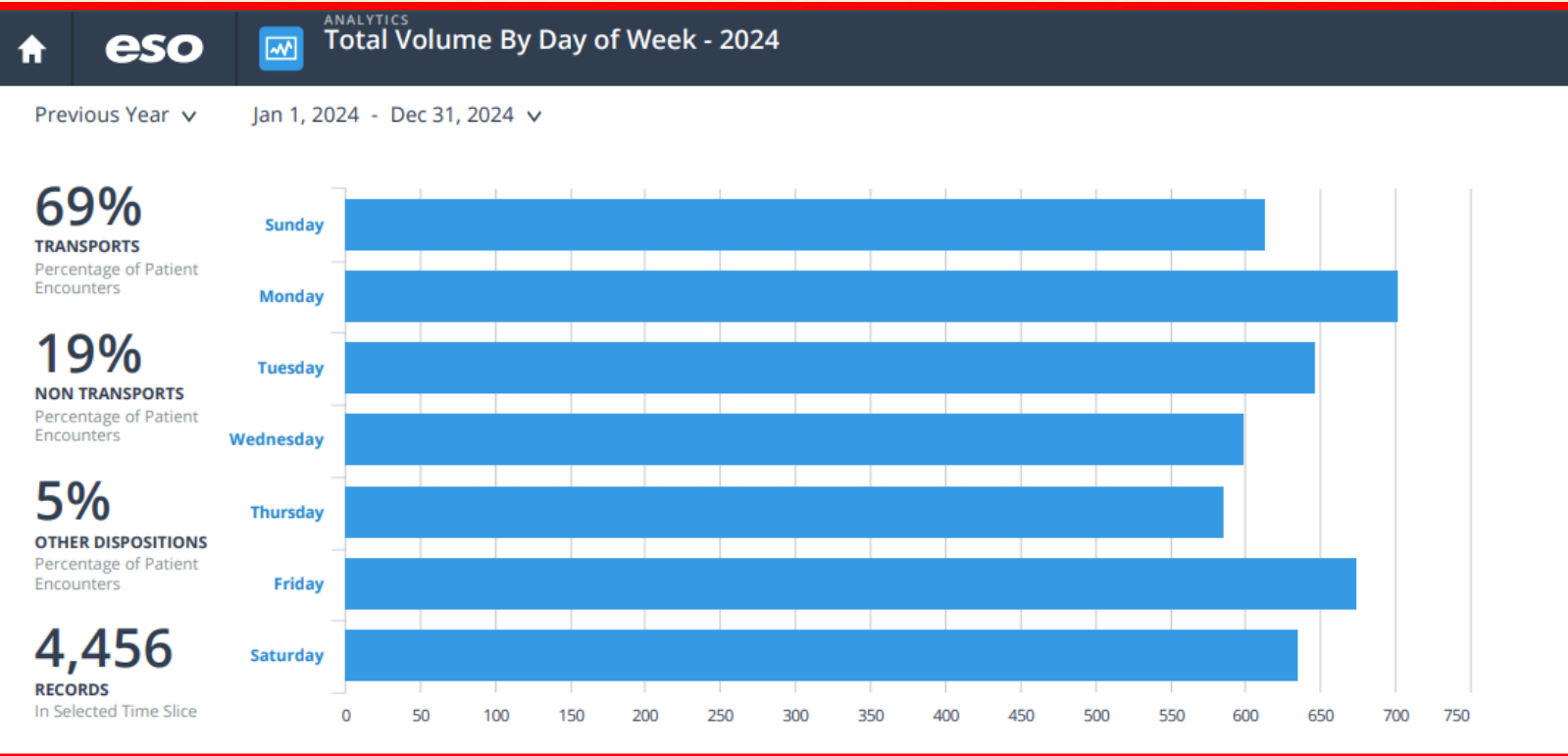


RESPONSE TIME BREAKDOWN FOR 2024		
Average Response Time from Dispatch to Arrival at Scene: 5 min. 33 sec.		
Average Response Time from Our Dispatch to Arrival at Scene for EMS Emergent Calls (Primary Units Only)		
Central Station:	5 min 21 sec	
Station 3:	5 min 31 sec	
Station 4:	5 min 47 sec	
Average Response Time from Our Dispatch to Arrival at Scene for FIRE Emergent Calls (Primary Units Only)		
Central Station:	5 min 51 sec	
Station 3:	5 min 41 sec	
Station 4:	6 min 4 sec	
All Unit`s Response Times for Every Call		
Average Response Time from Dispatch to Going En-route:		2 min 22 sec
First Arriving Unit`s Response Time for Every Call		
Average Response Time from Dispatch to Going En-route:		1 min 59 sec
First Arriving Unit on Structure Fires		
Average Response Time from Dispatch to Arrival at Scene:		5 min 59 sec
Apparatus Average Response Times for EMS Calls (No mutual aid and emergent calls only)		
Apparatus Name	Dispatch Time to En-route	Dispatch Time to Arrival @ Scene
B9	2 min 05 sec	5 min 34 sec
921	1 min 30 sec	4 min 39 sec
923	1 min 24 sec	4 min 49 sec
924	1 min 36 sec	5 min 00 sec
961	1 min 40 sec	4 min 57 sec
944	1 min 39 sec	4 min 43 sec
993	1 min 35 sec	4 min 42 sec

Apparatus Average Response Times for ALL Calls		
Apparatus Name	Dispatch Time to Enroute	Dispatch Time to Arrival @ Scene
B9	2 min 06 sec	6 min 22 sec
921	2 min 23 sec	5 min 35 sec
923	2 min 46 sec	6 min 30 sec
924	2 min 11 sec	6 min 09 sec
961	2 min 30 sec	6 min 07 sec
944	2 min 24 sec	6 min 16 sec
993	2 min 16 sec	6 min 00 sec







➤ **Emergency Medical Services** – *Asst. Chief of EMS Shane McKerchie*

Division Officers: Captain Kit Castetter, Lieutenant Jon Weishaupt, Lieutenant Andrew Priem, Sergeant Lucas Wickey, Sergeant Lucas Mason, Sergeant Winston Lechlitner and Sergeant Dan Kurtz.

2024 was a year of growth for Goshen Fires EMS Division. We had a record year of patients treated by our staff completing 4506 individual patient reports. This was a 9.4% increase from 2023 with nearly 50% of these being Advanced Life Saving level calls. We placed into service our new Medex ambulance at station 3 greatly improving our overall fleet strength. New medical tools were placed on each of our frontline ambulances including: IV pumps, Powered stair chairs, Cot scales for more accurate patient weighing, and for the first time ever we can administer pre-hospital broad spectrum antibiotics to reduce massive infection in patients with open fractures. In addition to equipment upgrades we also graduated 5 new paramedic students to continue the legacy of incredible EMS care.

The EMS division has made great efforts to provide improved Emergency Medical education in 2024. Members of our department attended 4 national level EMS education conferences and 2 state level conferences bringing back information and training to keep us on the cutting edge of EMS practices. We provide comprehensive monthly training and case review for the entire department. In addition, we held an annual skills assessment of the entire department in December allowing us to evaluate our competencies and target training areas for 2025. Training and equipping our paramedics and EMT's remains a top priority ensuring we will provide exceptional medical care to the City of Goshen for years to come.

2024 also was the start of a new initiative within the City of Goshen and the EMS division with the inception of the Mobil Integrated Health team. This program will be a joint venture between the City of Goshen, the Goshen Fire Department, and the Goshen Police Department to provide an alternative response to complex cases. We will be addressing mental health issues, homeless and underserved populations, and chronic disease patients that require combined efforts for paramedics, law enforcement and social workers. We are excited for the future of this program and look forward to it kicking off early in 2025.

A couple of notable Highlights from 2024 were the naming of Capt. Kit Castetter as the IEMSA's paramedic of the year. This is an extremely high honor identifying him as a very elite provider. Lt. Winston Lechlitner completed and passed his training for his FPC certification in critical care paramedicine bringing to our team significant knowledge and care that he is passing on to the rest of the department.

We have expanded our funding for EMS through the budget and grants to increase our effectiveness in education, new programs, upgrading equipment and adding paramedics in 2025. We are excited for the future and look forward to "Impacting the community through service" in the years to come.

Sincerely,

Shane McKerchie

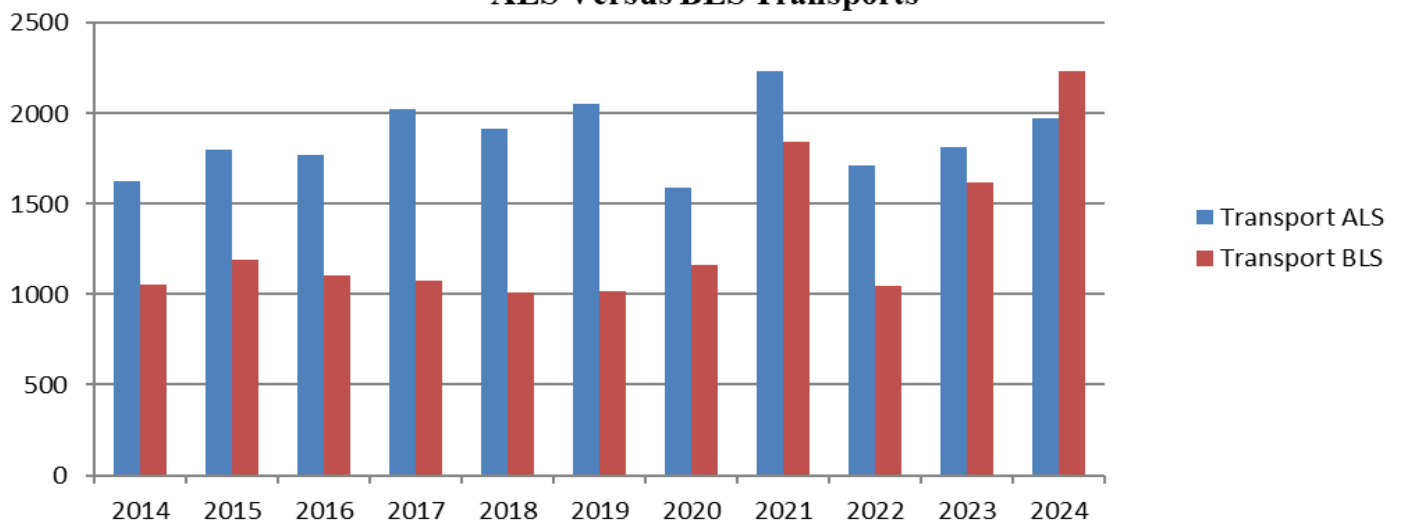
Asst. Chief of EMS

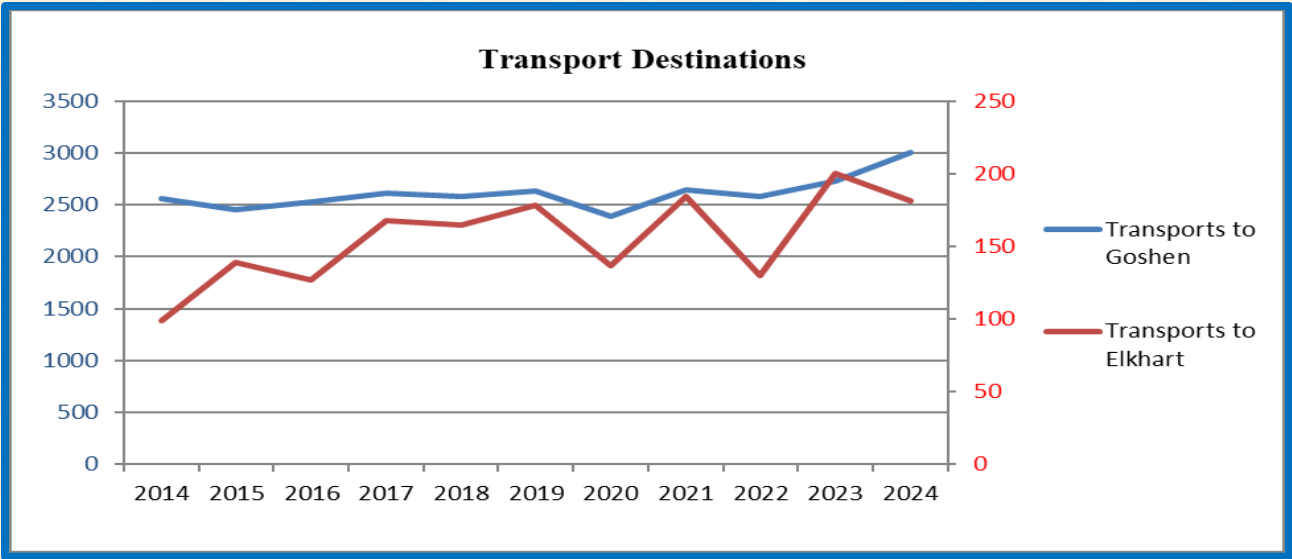
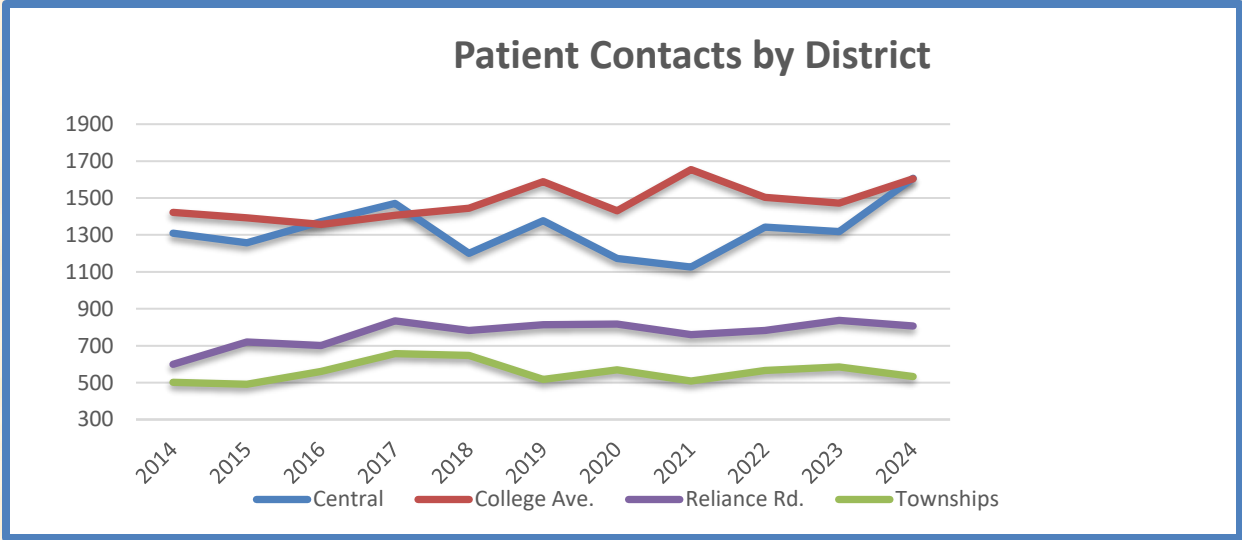
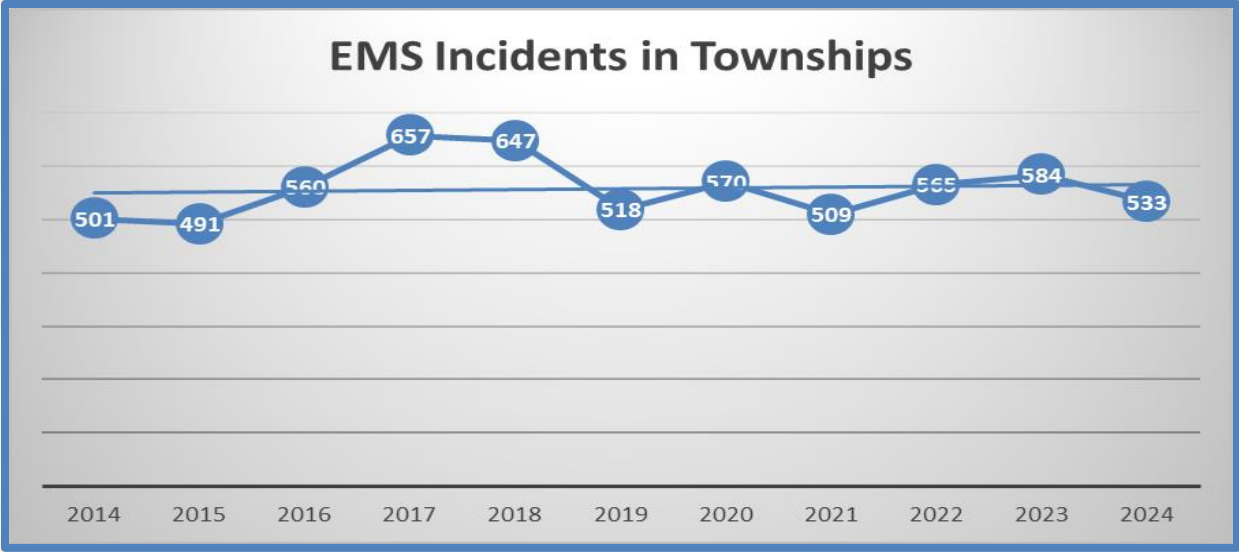


Total EMS Incidents



ALS Versus BLS Transports







➤ **Training** – *Assistant Chief of Training Steffen Schrock*

Division Instructors – Captain Jerod Erb, Captain Travis Peak, Lieutenant Lyle Wingard

The mission of the Goshen Fire Department is to positively impact our community through service. In order to support the mission, the Training Division strives to provide quality, purpose driven training that promotes firefighter excellence, confidence and safety. These objectives are met by designing lessons that improve the knowledge, skills and abilities of all our members.

2024 was a productive year for the Goshen Fire Department Training Division. All Goshen Firefighters were trained in disciplines that focused on the immediate risks and target hazards of our community. These disciplines include firefighting, EMS, hazardous materials operations, rope rescue, water rescue, confined space rescue, and community risk reduction. Total training man hours for 2024 equaled 16,578. A deeper breakdown of the total training hours reveals that we maintained or increased the training man hours in all of our services from 2023. Overall, the department training hours increased from 2023 by 8.5%

A number of goals and objectives were met in 2024. The highlights include the following

- Establishment of the Goshen Fire Department Recruit Academy. The initial academy consisted of 5 recruits and was 14 weeks long. GFD's newest firefighters receive certifications in Firefighter I & II and Hazardous Materials Awareness and Operations before beginning on a battalion. At the time of this report, the 2nd academy is in full swing. This academy consists of 4 recruits and EMT B was added to the program.
- As we prepare for the future growth of Goshen we sent personnel to Airport Rescue Firefighting School in Kentucky and Hazardous Materials Technician School in Warsaw. The knowledge obtained at these classes will help build a solid foundation as we begin to improve our ability to respond to aircraft emergencies and mitigate hazmat incidents
- GFD continued improving and refining our ability to respond to emergencies in Elkhart Township. This preparation included work on pump operations and preplanning target hazards.

The Training Division will ride the momentum gained in 2024 to help us achieve the following goals in 2025:

- Continue to improve the Danny Sink Regional Training Facility
- Develop an Officer Academy for new GFD Officers
- Develop operation manuals and training drill task book

- Continue to work on an airport response plan
- Improve our hazardous materials decontamination skills

Everything that we have accomplished and all goals that will be achieved have one common thread. That important thread is the people that work hard to see them through. The Training Division is thankful to have the help of its instructors and all other personnel that have assisted in making GFD better.

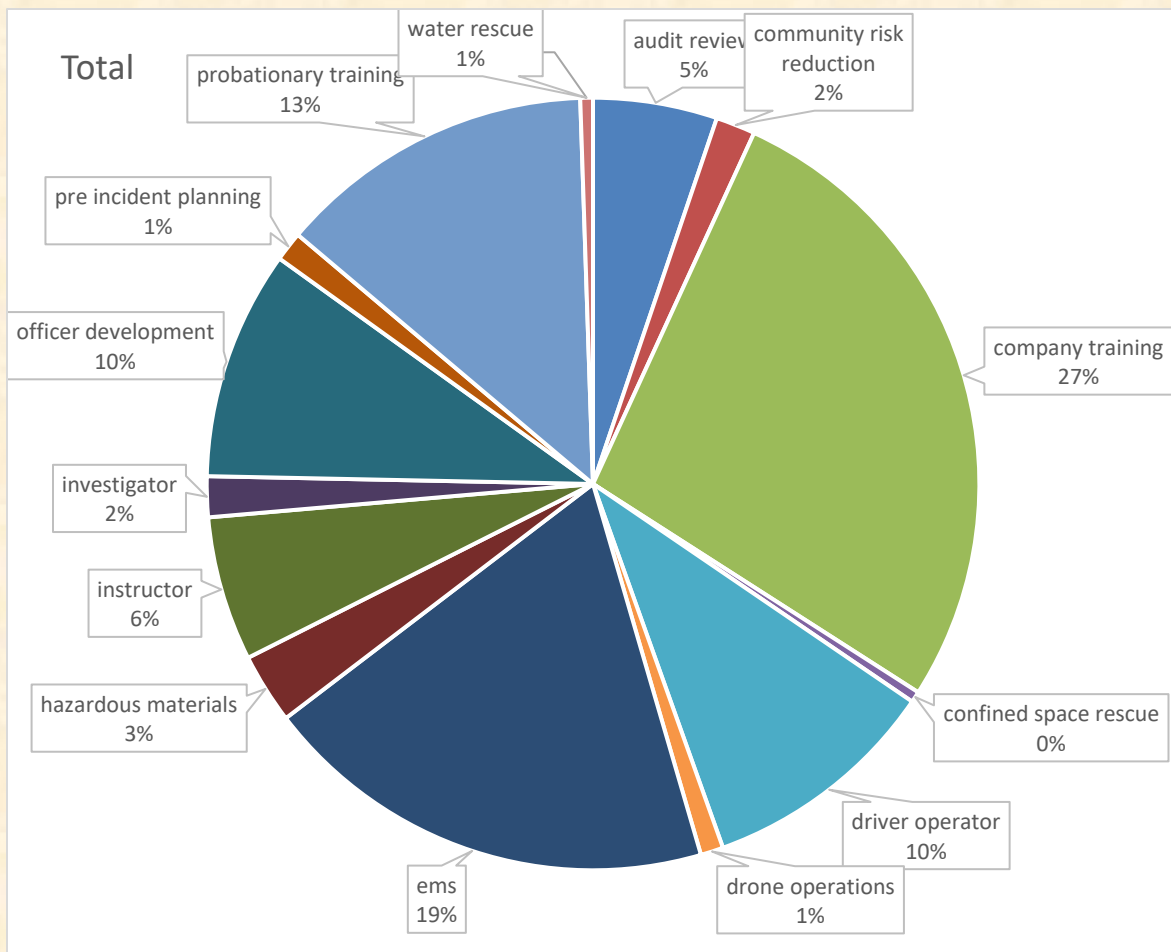
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Steffen Schrock

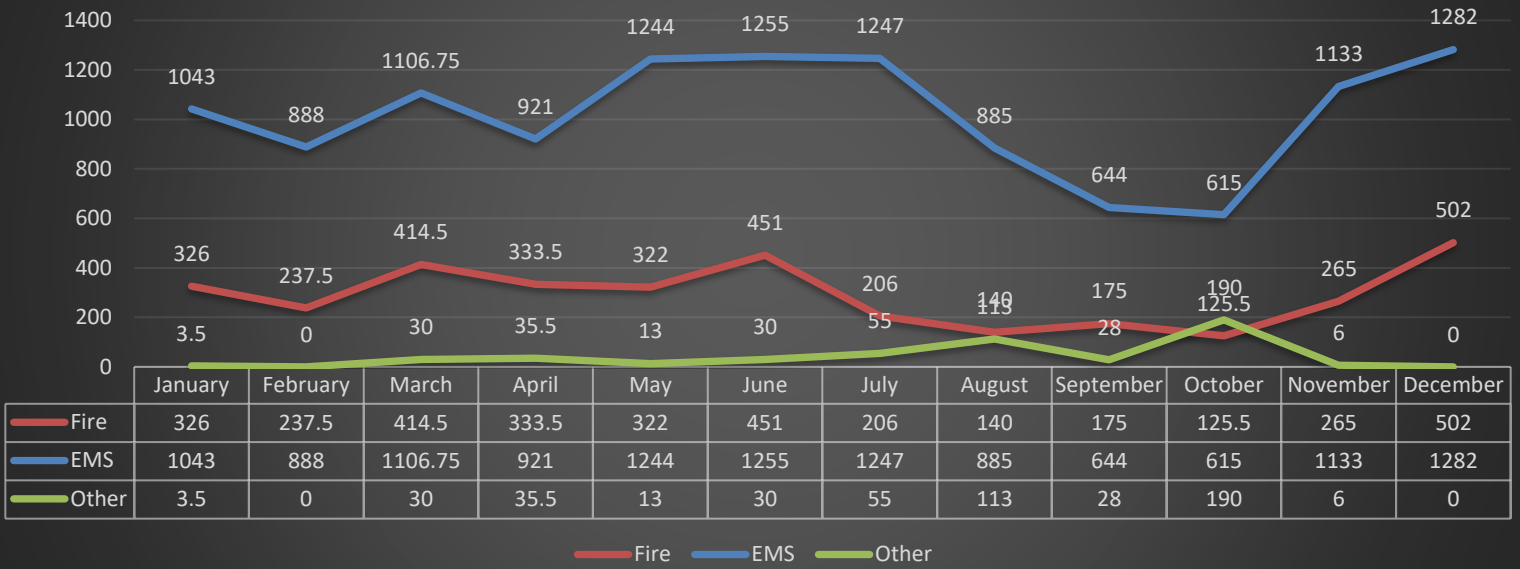
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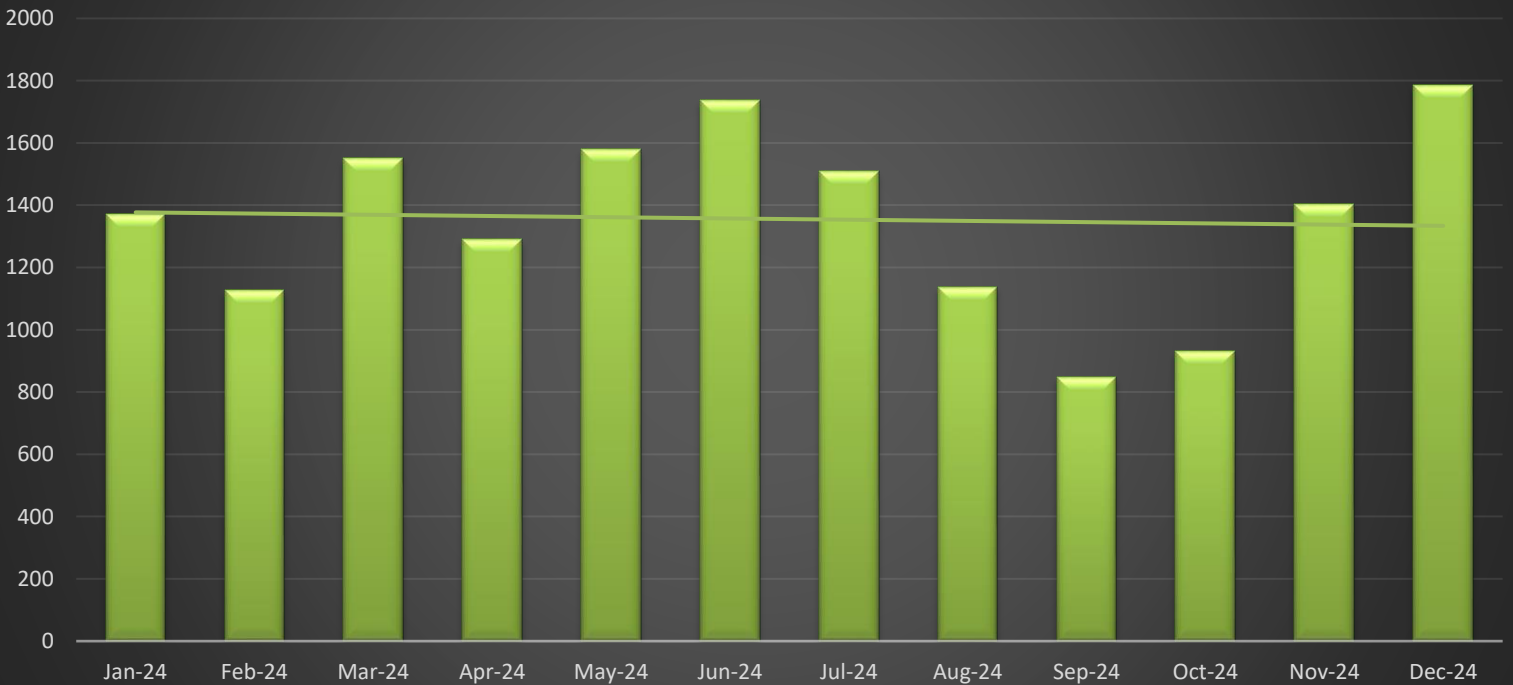
Row Labels	Sum of Duration (hours)
audit review	861.5
community risk reduction	274
company training	4512.3
confined space rescue	76
driver operator	1660
drone operations	158
ems	3173.05
hazardous materials	487.5
instructor	1003
investigator	282
officer development	1591.5
pre incident planning	205
probationary training	2207
water rescue	87.5
Grand Total	16578.35



Training Division



Total Training Hours



C-Shift Water Rescue Training at Roger's Park



A-Shift Station 4 Aerial Water Operations Training



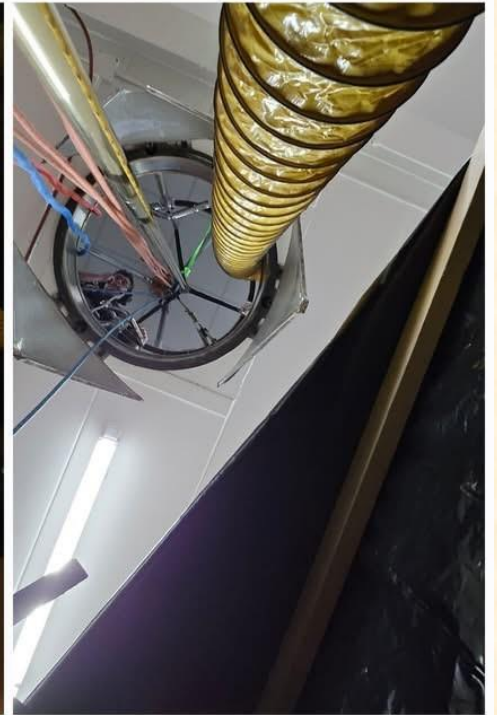
B-Shift Water Rescue Training at the Dam



A-Shift Water Rescue Training



A-Shift Confined Space Training and B -Shift Vertical Stand Pipe Training



Drone Search and Rescue Training





➤ **Fire Investigations** – *Asst. Chief of Fire Prevention Scott Thomas*

In 2024, the Goshen Fire Prevention Division, under the leadership of Assistant Chief Scott Thomas, focused on enhancing compliance with fire safety standards. The division undertook various critical activities, including fire inspections, construction plan reviews, safety consulting, hazard assessment surveys, public education, and fire investigations. Given the extensive scope of these responsibilities, there was a reduction in the number of fire safety inspections conducted throughout the year. This strategic adjustment allowed the division to allocate resources more effectively, thereby improving the overall quality and impact of its fire safety compliance initiatives.

On a positive note, Scott Thomas was promoted to Assistant Chief of Fire Prevention, enabling him to dedicate his full attention to overseeing the entire division. Additionally, John Evans was promoted to Division Chief of Inspections. Chief Evans has excelled in his new role, demonstrating remarkable proficiency and dedication to mastering his responsibilities. Travis Peak was promoted to Division Chief of Education. Chief Peak heads the RedHawk Fire Academy for the Goshen Schools Career Center, teaching high school students how to become the next generation of dedicated public servants of safety.

Finally, after years of work, Goshen Fire Department now has an updated fire prevention ordinance. The ordinance was much needed to replace the previous ordinance from the 1980s. This update allows us to keep up with changes in technology and advancements in fire science. The Goshen Fire Department recently adopted third-party compliance engine software, which helps us track deficiencies in fire protection systems throughout our coverage area.

Over the last year, Goshen has seen a dramatic decrease in large-loss fires. We credit this positive development to the hard work of the fire prevention staff, the new fire prevention ordinance, and the compliance engine software. Keeping fire loss down keeps Goshen safe and helps reduce property insurance costs.

As Goshen continues to grow, we will need to be proactive in fire prevention methods, staffing, and continuing education to fulfill our mission to "positively impact our community through service"!

Sincerely,

Scott Thomas

Assistant Chief, Fire Prevention

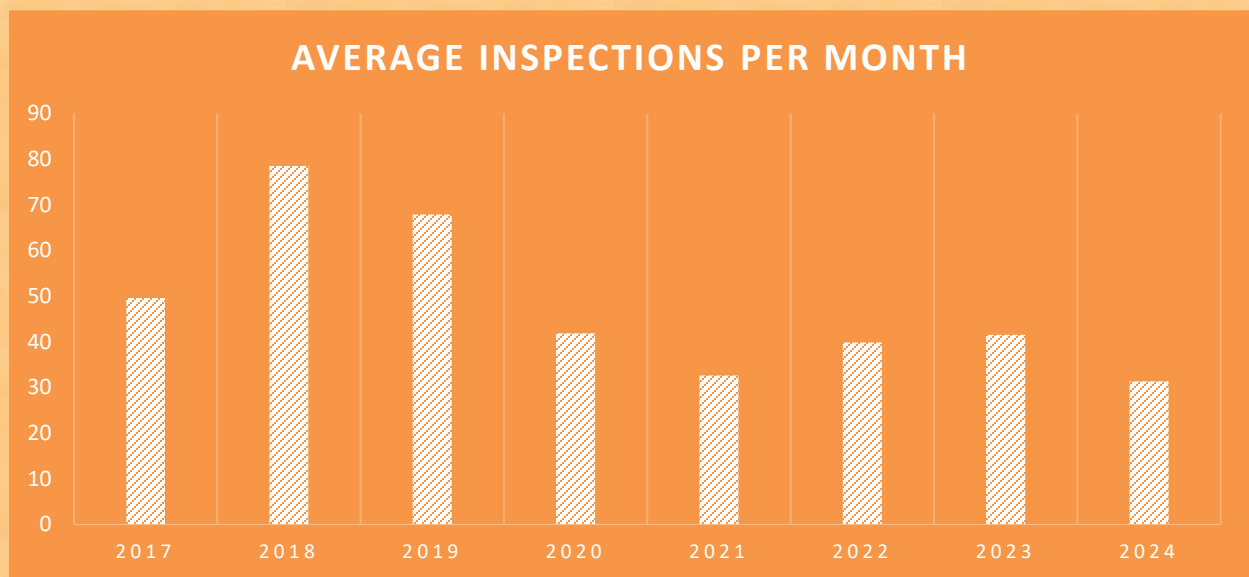
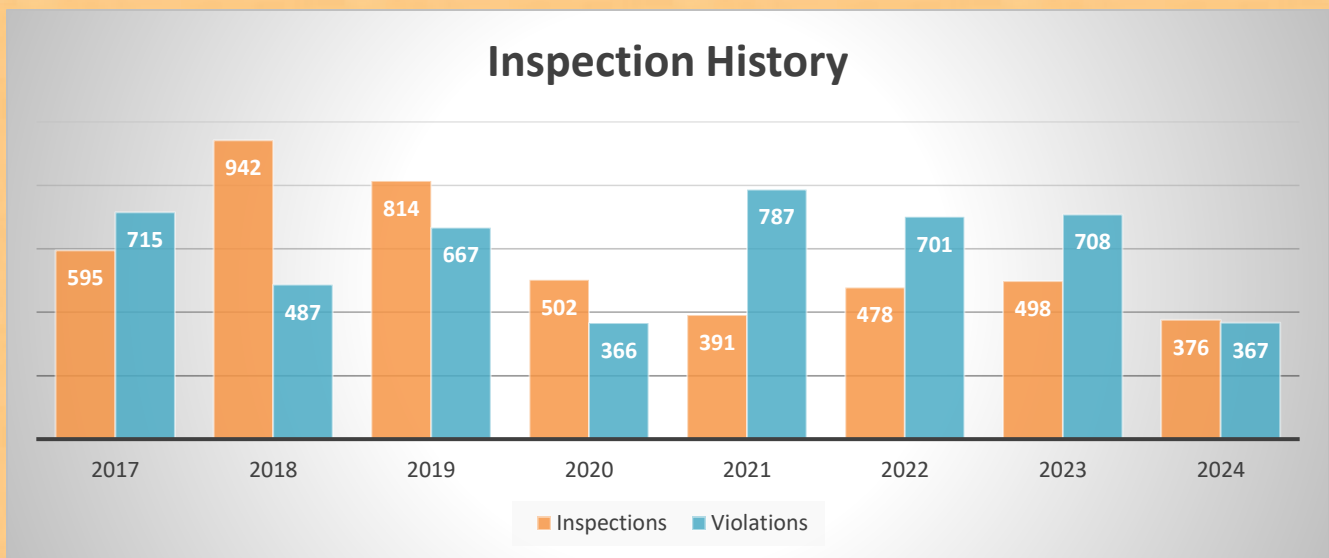


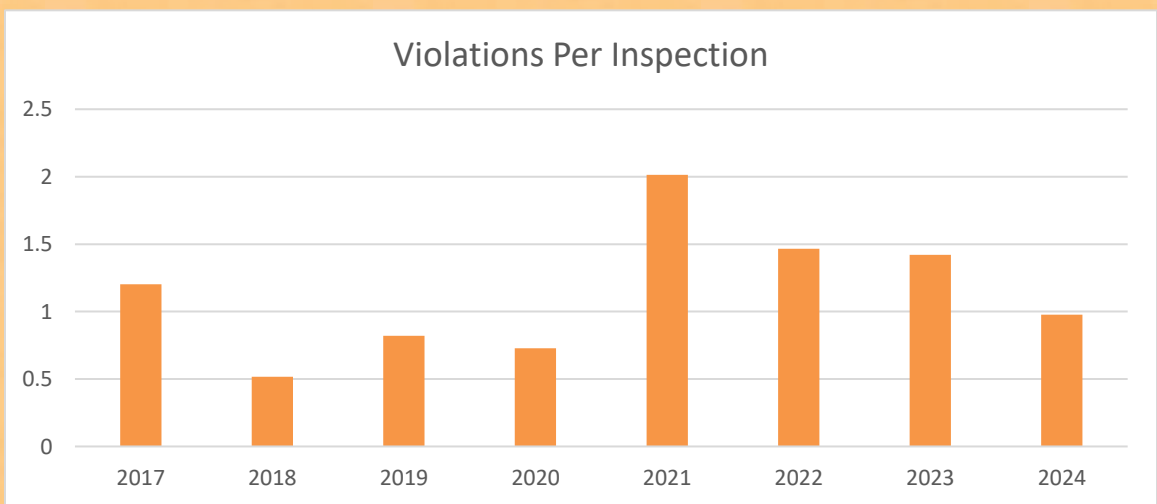
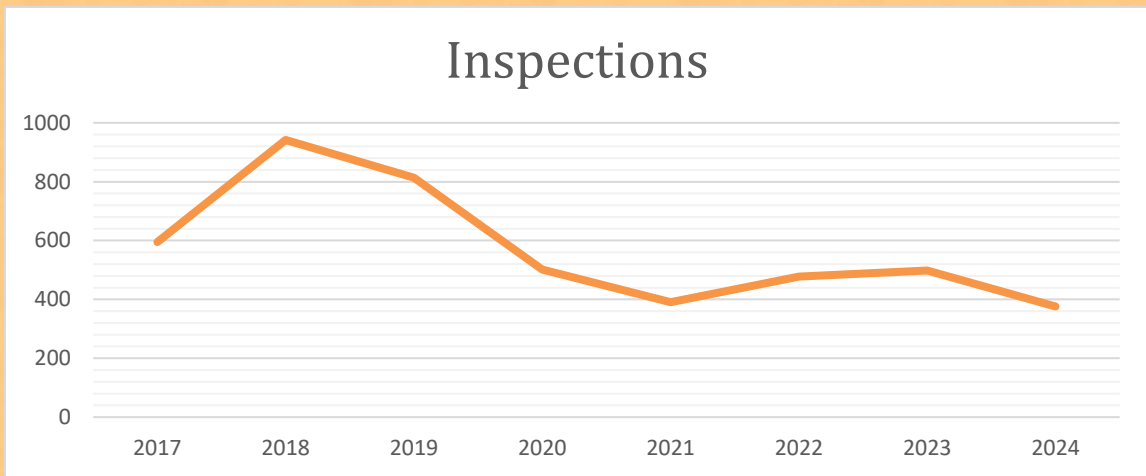
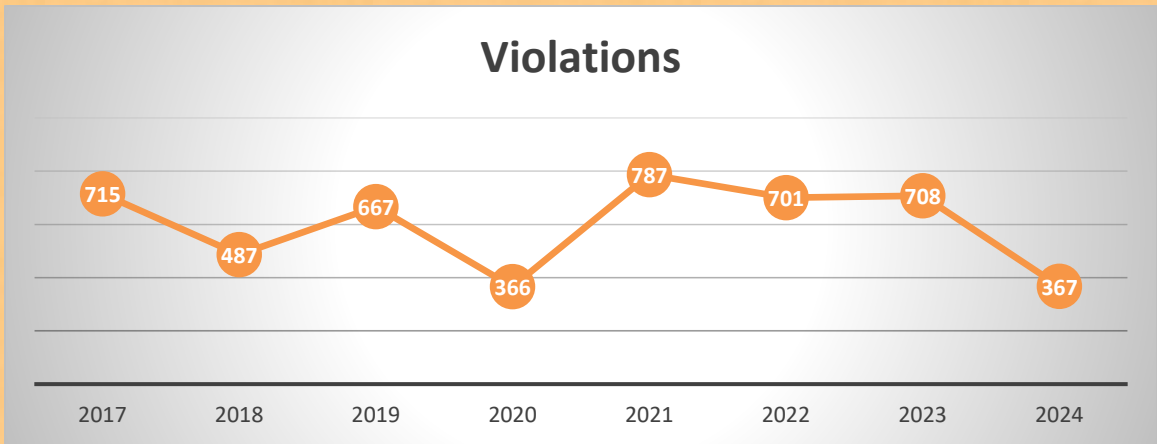
INVESTIGATIONS



➤ **Inspections** – *Division Chief John Evans*

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Inspections	595	942	814	502	391	478	498	376
Violations	715	487	667	366	787	701	708	367
Violations per Inspection	1.2	0.52	0.82	0.73	2.0	1.5	1.4	1.0
Average Inspections per month	49.6	78.5	67.8	41.8	32.6	39.8	41.5	31.3





- **Fire Prevention/Education & Redhawk Fire Academy - Assistant Chief of Fire Prevention – Scott Thomas//Division Chief of Public Safety Education – Travis Peak//Division Chief of Fire Inspections – John Evans**

Public Education Division – FF/Medic Charles Stevens, FF/Medic Danny Kurtz, Sgt./Inves. – Matt Stamm

In 2024, our fire prevention and education initiatives made significant strides in raising awareness within the community. Key accomplishments include:

1. Community Outreach:

- Conducted fire safety/extinguisher training workshops across local schools, businesses, and community centers.
- Distributed free smoke detectors to households, ensuring families are better equipped to respond to emergencies.

2. Public Awareness:

- Pushed fire safety knowledge on social media, and print advertisements, focusing on home fire safety, and safe practices for outdoor activities.
- Increased public engagement with fire prevention tips.

Redhawk Fire Academy (2024)

The opening of the new Redhawk Fire Academy marked a milestone in our commitment to enhancing firefighter training and preparedness. Key achievements include:

1. Wortinger Training Tower

- The Academy officially opened its doors in the summer of 2024, with specialized training environments (including live fire training scenarios), and dedicated classroom spaces for firefighter education.

2. Training Programs:

- Firefighter I/II certification course, Hazmat Awareness and Operations

3. Community Impact:

- The Redhawk Fire Academy became a 1st of its kind, to deliver a true firefighting class. With a classroom setting and hands on experience and training, this provides the necessary tools and certifications for the future generation of Firefighters.

Looking Ahead

In 2025, we will continue to expand our fire prevention and education programs, with a focus on reaching communities and enhancing digital resources. The Redhawk Fire Academy will evolve, adding new specialized equipment to keep pace with emerging fire safety technologies and challenges. Together, these initiatives will foster a safer, more resilient community.

End of Report.

Sincerely,
Travis Peak
Division Chief of Public Safety Education



Fire Education Week



Redhawk Academy Training



Human Resources

As of December 31, 2024, the department is staffed with 66 sworn personnel, 2 Administrative Assistants, and 1 Civilian Firefighter.

Change in Rank

The following employees were promoted in 2024 to the rank listed beneath their photo.



Jeremy Krezel
Fire Sergeant
02/12/2024



Lucas Mason
Fire Lieutenant
02/12/2024



Travis Peak
Division Chief of Education
02/12/2024



Scott Thomas
Asst. Chief of Fire
Prevention
02/12/2024



Lyle Wingard
Fire Captain
02/12/2024



Daniel Kurtz
EMS Sergeant
08/17/2024



Anthony Powell
Fire Chief
11/09/2024



Phil Schrock
Asst. Chief of
Administration
11/09/2024



Garrett Sheline
Fire Captain
11/09/2024



Matthew Stamm
Fire Lieutenant
11/09/2024



Charles Stevens
Fire Sergeant
11/09/2024

Retirements / Separations

Separations and Retirements	
Berry, Megan	9/22/2024
Kauffman, John	3/15/2024
Perry, Timothy	2/13/2024
Sink, Dan	11/7/2024
White, Matthew	6/28/2024
Wickey, Lucas	8/16/2024
Wortinger, Corey	1/1/2025

Appointments

New Hires	
Snethen, Travis	5/17/2024
Eagan, Allison	5/17/2024
Borton, Matthew	5/17/2024
Schmucker, Derick	5/17/2024
Lehman, Jonathan	5/17/2024
Kauffman, John	11/7/2024
Holderbaum, Charles	11/15/2024
Guerra, Brian	11/15/2024
Gill, Jeffrey	11/15/2024
Rentfrow, Ryan	11/15/2024

Miscellaneous Photos

Members handing out reflectors at Model Elementary to all the children who walk to school



2024 IAFF Fallen Fire Fighter Memorial Service. Bruce Nethercutt's name was added next to those who made the ultimate sacrifice in service to their communities.



Chief Sink's Retirement Party



Changing of Command Ceremony



Hoosier Burn Camp reached out to us to help them reach one of their amazing teens!



In 1940 Goshen Fire Department received their first ambulance. Station 3 did some recreation pictures with their new ambulance.



Congratulations to Capt. Kit Castetter on being named the Indiana EMS Association Paramedic of the year!



Egg drop at Grace Church



The Redhawk Academy Ribbon Cutting Ceremony



Teaching CPR, tourniquet application and fire Extinguisher at the 4-H fair



New Recruits and the Pub Ed division teamed up for Kid's Day at the Elkhart County 4-H Fair.



Hosting the first Recruit Academy Graduation Ceremony as we welcome Travis Snethen, Allison Eagan, Matthew Borton, Derick Schmucker, and Jonathan Lehman to the team!



Hanging out with the Boys & Girls Club on the last day of their “Summer and Water” Event, as well as helping GHS celebrate the end of Band Camp!



Touch a Truck at Shanklin Park



Appreciation to our very own Courtney Snyder and Jerod Erb! They, along with nine others deployed as a Type 2 Water Rescue team to assist North Carolina after the effects of Hurricane Helene on the area.



Science Spooktacular and Trunk or Treats



The Grinch and crew showing off the 102 ft. ladder loaded with approximately 1,000 ft. of lights at the annual Goshen City Light Parade!



First Alert and Lowe's, in collaboration, donated 120 smoke alarms and 60 CO detectors



Ribbon Cutting Ceremony for the City's new Mobile Response Unit





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