



Tinley Park Fire Department

Monthly Activity Report –May 2021

Submitted By: Interim Chief Stephen Klotz

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The mission of the Tinley Park Fire Department is to provide an outstanding level of service by staffing our department with the highest degree of trained professionals who devote duty above personal risk. We are a dedicated group who is constantly seeking improved ways to provide exceptional service to our citizens. The Department advances public safety through its fire prevention, investigation and education programs. The vision of the Tinley Park Fire Department is to be acknowledged by our members and citizens as a department that is recognized for its Pride, Integrity, and Professionalism to the community; a dynamic organization that adjusts to changing needs of the community and its members; an organization that is driven to provide a cost effective and efficient fire department while honoring its values and supporting our mission statement; a department that will be prepared and ready to respond to all emergencies with compassion, courage and teamwork, and a membership that will operate ethically and position the department for the future.

Department Remarks – Interim Chief Stephen Klotz

May was a busy and exciting month in the Administration Office. First, Michelle Boone joined our staff and started her new position as Executive Assistant officially on May 5th. Our Office Coordinator, Claudette Flowers has been working closely with Michelle on the many tasks she will have on her plate. Eileen Donlan's last day was May 21st and she is now off enjoying her retirement. We all thank Eileen for her dedication to the Tinley Park Fire Department. We also welcomed Heidi Twomey who came to us from Village Hall. Heidi started her new position on May 24th and will be filling Eileen's position. Donna Beran has been working alongside Heidi in helping her learn all her new assignments. I am very pleased to report that both of the new additions to our administrative staff are doing a great job and already exceeding all our expectations. Chief Reeder also announced his retirement for June 1st after serving more than 43 years in fire service.

We are working on the approved budget which included SCBA's, a new Engine Company, and a new records management system. IT has secured funding for new computers for our fleet and is currently out for bid. We should see the new equipment soon.

I would also like to mention the excellent work performed by Truck 46, Engine 49 and Battalion 46 on May 22nd at 175th and Ridgeland Ave for an overturned vehicle. Crews extricated and transported one victim to the hospital.

We extend our thanks to all the personnel who worked at the Tinley Park Convention Center Vaccination site. They opened as the first mass vaccination site in Cook County January 26th and had a final 'Clap Out' ceremony on May 27th honoring all the nurses, National Guardsmen, and staff that work tirelessly to provide these essential vaccines to help reduce CoVid virus infections.

Tinley Park also had the pleasure of hosting the IL Fire Service Administrative Professionals as they assembled posters for 'Camp I Am Me' this year. The camp is sponsored by the IL Fire Safety Alliance and is held annually, inviting child burn victims to enjoy fun camp activities at no cost to the families. This year's theme was 'Super Heroes' – a great time was had by all!

May Quick Facts

Number of Fire Incidents	Number of EMS Incidents	Hours of Training	Hours Worked	Inspections Completed
210	647	934	10,089.5	183
Major Incidents, Projects, and Events			Public Outreach	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assisted Phoenix with structure fire 5/25/21 Convention Center Vaccination Site closed doors on 5/27/21 			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eight Fire Drills were held in community schools and businesses. Heartsaver CPR certification for Aero Rubber employees. 	

Professional Standards Division – Assistant Chief Douglas Erwin

Summary of Significant Events

- Mutual Aid Training conducted with Mokena Fire Protection

Training Hours Completed

- 906.0

Summary of Training Events

- 12 Hours of Training assigned
 - HIPPA Awareness Training
 - Vehicle Extrication
 - 1410 Evolution 3 – Forward lays Using Two Engines
 - 1410 Evolution 4 – Reverse lay with One Engine Using a Wye
 - Incident Management – Multifamily
 - Requesting Mutual Aid
 - First Due Company – Fire Attack
 - Performance Fitness Assessment
 - Mutual Aid Training – Mokena
 - Still District Preplans
- Training Assigned in June
 - Water Rescue Operations – Firefighter Proficiency
 - Foam Training – Engineer Proficiency
 - Friction Loss Calculations – Engineer Proficiency
 - Fire Scene Reporting – Officer Proficiency
 - Live Fire Training – Quick Water
 - Incident Management Training – Strip Mall

- Portable Water Supply Using One Engine
- Portable Water Supply Using One Engine and Water Supply Apparatus
- Vehicle Rescue & Extrication – Stabilization and Air Bags
- 2nd Quarter Driver Operator Refresher
- Brush 149 Operational Review
- Still District Preplans

Certifications Received

- Bill Turner – Fire Inspector I

Courses Attended

- Pete Marianovich – Annual Fire & Life Safety Virtual Conference

Fire Prevention Bureau – Deputy Chief Daniel Riordan

Significant Events

- Clerk Eileen Donlan retired on May 21, 2021.
- Executive Assistant Michelle Boone started on May 5.
- Administrative Assistant Heidi Twomey started on May 24.
- Lt. Scott French completed the OSFM Fire Life Safety Educator course.
- Firefighter Bill Turner received his OSFM Inspector I Certificate.
- Lorendo/Riordan attended the IFIA/OSFM pyrotechnic training at the HCA.
- Began search to hire a Public Education Officer.
- Fire Inspector Meeting held on May 14.
- Lenny's Car Wash @ 7451 W. 183 Street opened.
- Two pyrotechnic events at Andrew High School.

Public Education/Community Outreach

- Eight Fire Drills were held in community schools and businesses.
- Heartsaver CPR certification for Aero Rubber employees.

Fire Inspection/Plan Review Services

- 82% of assigned inspections for May were completed. Assigned = 224; Actual = 183.
- Correspondence turnaround time = .73 business days.
- 249.25 hours dedicated to plan reviews for 2021.
- Square footage in May = 3,229,128

Top Violations in May (total violations noted):

- Fire Protection/Fire Alarm test documents = 20.
- Exit signs/emergency lighting maintenance = 48.
- Fire extinguisher maintenance = 15.

Fire Investigations

- Case Management training on May 12.

Support Services – Assistant Chief Daniel Reda

Summary of Significant Events

- Recall work completed on staff vehicles through Apple Chevrolet
- 2021 Ladder testing completed
- Knox box installs scheduled with contractor
- Engine Committee being formed to begin the process for a new Engine

Vehicle Maintenance Report

- Apparatus out of service
 - Engine 46
 - Front end issues
 - Truck 46
 - Waterway (parts ordered by MacQueen)
- Tower 48 damaged at drill (reported by Assistant Chief Slepiski)
- Tower 48 issues with extending and retracting
 - MacQueen has looked at it and it is a bad switch, parts ordered and should be fixed soon

Station Maintenance Issues and Repairs

- Engine 49's kitchen
 - Quotes forwarded to PW and will be working with them to move project forward
- Still waiting on parts for the compressor at Engine 47's quarters
- Dishwasher at Station 49 reported to be leaking
- Concrete work at Station 47 completed

Tools/Equipment Issues and Repairs

- Replacement hose has been ordered
- K-12 Saw off Tower 48 needs to be replaced

Quartermaster Activities

- Waiting for cages to arrive so we can begin to organize the area we have set aside in the basement at Engine 47's quarters
- All new gear purchased has been distributed
- Engineer Russ evaluating current vendor and process

Current Projects

- Station 49 kitchen remodel
- SCBA bottle replacement
- Engine replacement

Administrative Services Division – Assistant Chief Thomas Slepski

Significant Events:

- Working on changes in safety record keeping
- Continued work with Human Resources to get new hires on board
- Reviewing changes for SOG's / SOP's
- Celebrated anniversaries include:
 - 27 Years:
 - Lieutenant Donald DeBias
 - 2 Years:
 - Firefighter Chandler De Stefano
 - Firefighter Christian Andrews
 - Firefighter Jacob Litkenhus
 - Firefighter Brandon Rojas
 - 1 year:
 - Firefighter Matthew Blackmore
 - Firefighter Anthony Figueroa
 - Firefighter Dariusz Gil
 - Firefighter Trevor Proszek

Promotions / Change of assignment:

- No promotions or change of assignments for the month of May

Leaves of Absence / Resignations / Hiring:

- Best wishes to Eileen Donlan after 14 years with the Fire Department Administrative Office. Enjoy your retirement!
- Firefighter Shane Krivanec resigned after 7 years of service. Thank you for your time with us.
- There were 5 personnel on leave in May.

Operations Division – Assistant Chief Kristopher Dunn

Summary of significant events:

- Convention Center vaccination site closed on May 27th
- Response time average for May was 5 minutes and 15 seconds.
 - Box 46-1 5 minutes 20 seconds
 - Box 46-2 4 minutes 36 seconds
 - Box 46-3 5 minutes 29 seconds
- Top 5 incident types:
 - Motor vehicle accident with injuries (12.85%)
 - Lift Assist (9.04%)
 - Smoke detector activation, no fire – unintentional (8.57%)
 - Alarm system sounded due to malfunction (6.19%)
 - EMS call, excluding vehicle accident with injury (6.19%)

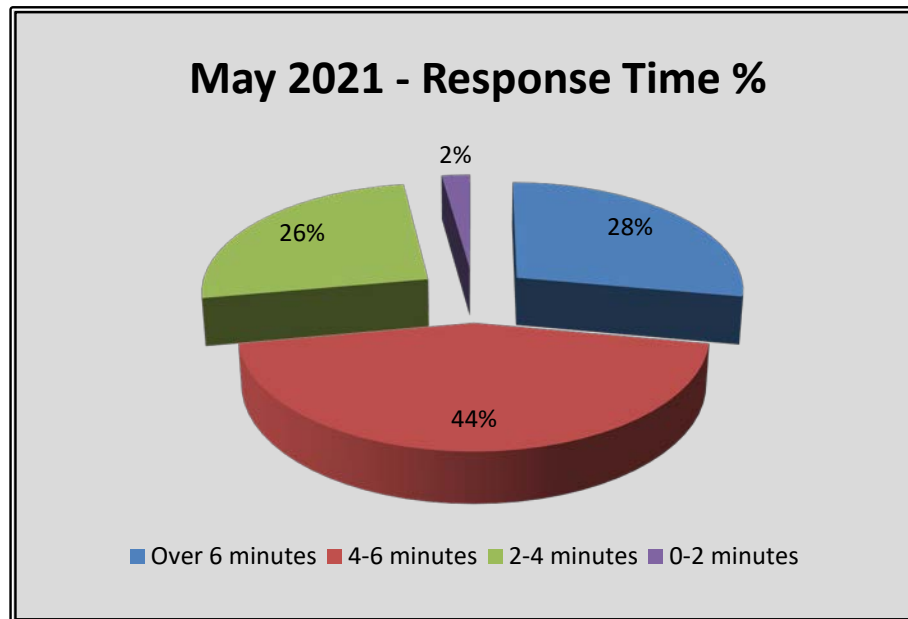
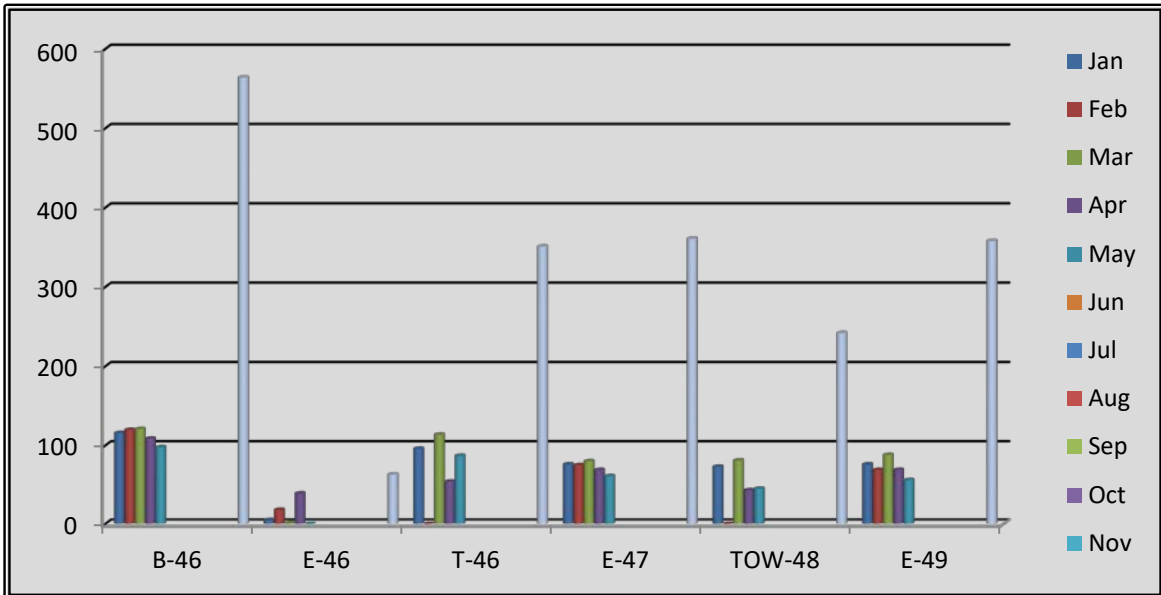
Response Information:

Incident Type Responses for 2021

Year to date totals as of: June 2, 2021

	2020	2021
Fire Response Incidents	361	386
Auto / Mutual Aid Response	107	151
Ambulance / Medical Related	2291	2648
Service Related Responses	189	169
Other Types	13	6
Total	▼ 2,961	▼ 3,360

Responses per unit for 2021



Hours worked summary:

TINLEY PARK FIRE DEPARTMENT					
Employee Shift Hours - 2021 - (By Average Hours)					
May 2020 - April 2021					
	May '20	Average		Apr '21	Average
ADKINS, DAVID	36	86.42	KUSHNER, MIKE	110.5	146.75
ALVAREZ, ANDRES (LOA)	0	20.65	LITKENHUS, JACOB	120	107.40
ANDREWS, CHRISTIAN (LOA)	0	93.75	LUDKE, RANDY	108	87.96
BARRY, JOHN	12	53.90	MARIANOVICH, PETE	157	144.73
BELLIVEAU, MIKE	37.5	63.31	MAZZIOTTA, ANTHONY	161	142.75
BERAN, BOB	85	76.42	MAZZIOTTA, DAN	132	165.31
BEST, TIM	72	93.63	MILAZZO, MIKE	156	143.58
BLACKMORE, MATTHEW	168	145.31	MILLERICK, BRIAN	215	179.75
BLOMBERG, TOM	94.5	104.96	MULLER, TYLER	24	50.17
BOHLSEN, NICK	72	96.96	MURPHY, JOHN	60	70.13
BROOKS, TIM	121	82.08	MURRAY, BILL	108.5	60.33
BULVAN, MARK	158.5	125.19	NAGLE, JOHN	0	12.21
BUTERA, TONY	113.5	94.08	O'DETTE, JOE	24	23.42
CASNER, ADAM	171.5	137.65	O'DWYER, PAT	252	265.13
CORDERO, PAUL	121.5	92.50	O'HAGAN, TIM	207	227.33
COTRANO, MARK	115.5	93.73	PEASLEE, SEAN	12	34.06
CULBERTSON, ADAM	141	137.08	PETERS, ERIC	244.5	270.27
CURTIS, STEVE	24	29.08	PROSZEK, TREVOR	97.5	65.96
DALUGA, JOE	99	117.71	QUILTY, MIKE	73.5	87.77
DeADAM, TONY	108	183.10	RANDALL, MATT	79	84.63
DeBIAS, DON	108	118.25	REDA, DAN	108	102.42
DeSTEFANO, CHANDLER	0	41.90	REYES, PAUL	249	195.90
DUESING, BRYAN	96	100.50	REYNOLDS, BOB	134	152.92
DUNN, KRIS	100	180.15	RICHARDS, SHAWN	120	123.33
EMMANOUILIDIS, ALEX	82.5	82.44	ROEMER, BRAD	92	90.25
ERWIN, DOUG	48	69.85	ROJAS, BRANDON	168	182.42
FEINBERG, JEREMY	216	197.42	RONEY, NORM	327.5	338.08
FIGUEROA, ANTHONY	96	96.00	RUSS, CHARLIE	230.5	178.38
FITZMAURICE, LIAM	60	109.25	SARHAGE, SEAN	0	6.00
FORD, RICK	48	73.21	SCANLON, BECKY	46	28.79
FRENCH, SCOTT	154.5	198.46	SIMON, RYAN	60	56.63
GARREN, SHANE	107.5	102.21	SLEPSKI, TOM	78.25	85.73
GIL, DEREK	108	86.59	SMITH, NICK	96	85.35
GILGENBERG, MIKE	84	56.08	SMULEVITZ, JOE	60	73.54
GRANT, DAN	108	95.46	STUBE, CHRIS	209	187.29
GRECO, JOE	194	174.63	SWARTZENTRUBER, JOSH	37.5	57.06
GRIFFIN, TIM	122	158.75	SWARTZENTRUBER, TODD	108	120.88
GRZESZKIEWICZ, STEVE	116	71.08	TESSARI, ALEX	49.5	74.40
GUDYKA, BRYAN	36	19.17	TILLSON, CHRIS	12	17.92
HAAGA, JOE	157	157.00	TONRA, TOM	36	31.00
HAJKOWICZ, ERIK	48	41.83	TRIEMSTRA, NICK	70.5	40.42
HICKEY, KEVIN	180	237.88	TURNER, BILL	0	29.52
HOOGERVORST, BRIAN	289.5	225.23	UTHE, STEVE	36	62.38
HOOPES, ANYAETTA	96	96.33	VALSECCHI, GIANNI (LOA)	0	29.50
IWANAGA, JEFF	43	15.38	WAGNER, BRIAN	0	28.17
KLOTZ, STEVE (ADMIN HOURS)	32	141.25	WITTMAN, MIKE	228.5	218.13
KOLB, FRANK	0	50.63	WOOTEN, JIM	82.5	54.31
KRIVANEC, SHANE	0	16.75	ZANTA, MATT	48	37.75
KRUG, CHARLES	0	32.46	ZANTA, RYAN	98	84.25
KUSHNER, JEFF	70	81.29			