

# Tinley Park Fire Department

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## Monthly Activity Report – NOVEMBER 2022

Submitted By: 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 – Chief Stephen Klotz*

The month of November was the second busiest month of 2022 with 287 calls for service. Two of those responses were fires in commercial buildings. The first fire was at Together We Cope, which if it were not for the sprinkler system activation and the aggressive response from the Fire Department, we could have had very significant damage to the entire complex. The second fire was a roof fire on the Little Joe's restaurant. This could have easily caught the entire roof of that shopping complex on fire if it were not for the quick actions of the manager calling 911 and the quick and aggressive attack from the Fire Department. Both fires could have ended up in a large loss in revenue if the fire had spread.

We continue to hire new firefighters and are preparing to hire and run an academy for non-certified firefighters. The Academy for these non-certified firefighters should be starting in January.

I have met with the Illinois State Fire Marshal on some operational concerns at the Tinley Park Mental Health Campus. I will be ordering Deputy Chief Reda to start an Operational Task Force for responses related to that campus.

## *Suppression / Prevention – Deputy Chief Daniel Reda*

- **Summary of Significant Events**
  - Meet with IT to discuss ongoing projects within the fire department
    - RMS
  - Special Events planning meeting
    - Amaze Light Festival
    - Holiday Happenings
  - Participated and contribute to Unified Command Team meetings
  - Monthly Schedule
  - Update and create policy

- Continue to work with HR on several projects
    - New hires
    - RFA Academy
    - Part-time Fire Inspector
  - Chief Meetings
    - Conducted Chiefs Meeting
  - Prepare for Records Management System (RMS) upgrade
    - Target date of sometime in early 2023
  - Bi-monthly meetings with Fire Marshal Lorendo
  - Begin implementation of equipment tracking software to improve our record keeping
  - Schedule numerous Public Education events
  - Continue preparations for Romeoville Fire Academy class here in Winter 2023
  - Work with IFSI to get a NIMS 300 and 400 class here in Tinley
    - Week of February 20, 2023
  - Finish ISO 2022
  - Budget Preparations
  - Swearing-in of three new members
  - Participate in Andrew High School Career Fair
  - Begin working on an Operational Plan for the Tinley Park Mental health Center grounds
- ***Current Projects***
    - Review of policy and operating procedures
    - Hiring Process
    - Promotional Process
      - Captains and Lieutenants
    - Implementation of tracking software
    - RMS changeover
    - ISO Grading for 2022
    - New engine and truck purchase

## *Fire Prevention Bureau – Fire Marshal Steve Lorendo*

- **Public Education/Community Outreach**
  - 1 - Station Tour at Station 47
  - 19 - 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Fire Safety classes at Prairie View and Grissom
  - 19 - 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Fire Safety Smart classes
  - Rides to school for 2022 Fire Prevention Poster Contest winners
  - 4 people trained in CPR
  
- **Fire Inspection/Plan Review Services**
  - 100% of assigned inspections for November were completed
  - Correspondence turnaround time = .9 business day
  - 355.5 hours dedicated to plan reviews for 2022
  - Square footage of inspected space in 2022 = 24,817,334
  - 44 (new construction, remodel, fire alarm, and fire sprinkler) plan reviews were processed
  - Plan review turnaround time was .68 days
  
- **Top Violations in November (total violations noted):**
  - Fire Protection/Fire Alarm test documents = 23
  - Exit signs/emergency lighting maintenance = 84
  - Fire extinguisher maintenance = 15
  
- **Fire Investigations**
  - 17010 Oak Park Ave (Together We Cope)
  - 7976 Oak Park Ave (Park View Plaza)

## *Administration / Safety – Assistant Chief Thomas Slepski*

- **Summary of Significant Events**
  - Continued working on gear and uniform orders
  - Review SOG/SOPs
  - Bi-monthly meeting with Kurtz
  - Worked on budget for the next fiscal year

## *Fleet / Building Maintenance – Assistant Chief Tim O'Hagan*

- ***Summary of Significant Events***

- Front apron concrete work has been completed at Station 48
- Budget process coming to a close
- Furnace at Station 49 has been replaced
- We have placed an order for a new Truck and Engine from Pierce Mfg.

- ***Vehicle Maintenance Report***

- Engine 46 had a wiring issue that has been repaired
- Engine 47 has had the wiring harness replaced and is in service
- Engine 149 is going in for repairs to the generator and other service issues
- Tower 47 is waiting on parts to complete the repairs
- Engine 46 had a transmission issue and has been repaired and is in service
- Tires for Tower 48 are ordered

- ***Station Maintenance Issues and Repairs***

- Training Tower needs concrete repairs
- Station 48 flooring needs attention
- New recliners have been delivered to Station 49
- Station Assignment Boards have been ordered

- ***Tools/Equipment Issues and Repairs***

- New hose nozzles have been ordered to replace out of service nozzles
- Fitness equipment has been repaired
- Hose straps are installed for Hi-rise packs
- New fans are being looked at to replace old electric fans

- ***Current Projects***

- Finishing the 2024 Budget
- Loading equipment into the Check-it software
- Looking at new Gator service vehicles for special events
- Replacement of cascade air station at Station 46
- Acquiring a fill station from another fire department to replace old one

**Communications / Special Operations – Assistant Chief Kristopher Dunn**

- **Response time average for November was 5 minutes and 18 seconds.**
  - Box 46-1      5 minutes 04 seconds
  - Box 46-2      4 minutes 57 seconds
  - Box 46-3      6 minutes 12 seconds
  
- **Top 5 incident types:**
  - Medical assist, assist EMS crew (9.66%)
  - Motor vehicle accident with injuries (5.57%)
  - Alarm system activation, no fire – unintentional (5.20%)
  - Vehicle accident, general cleanup (4.83%)
  - Unintentional transmission of alarm, Other (4.46%)

**Response Information:**

**Incident Type Responses for 2022**

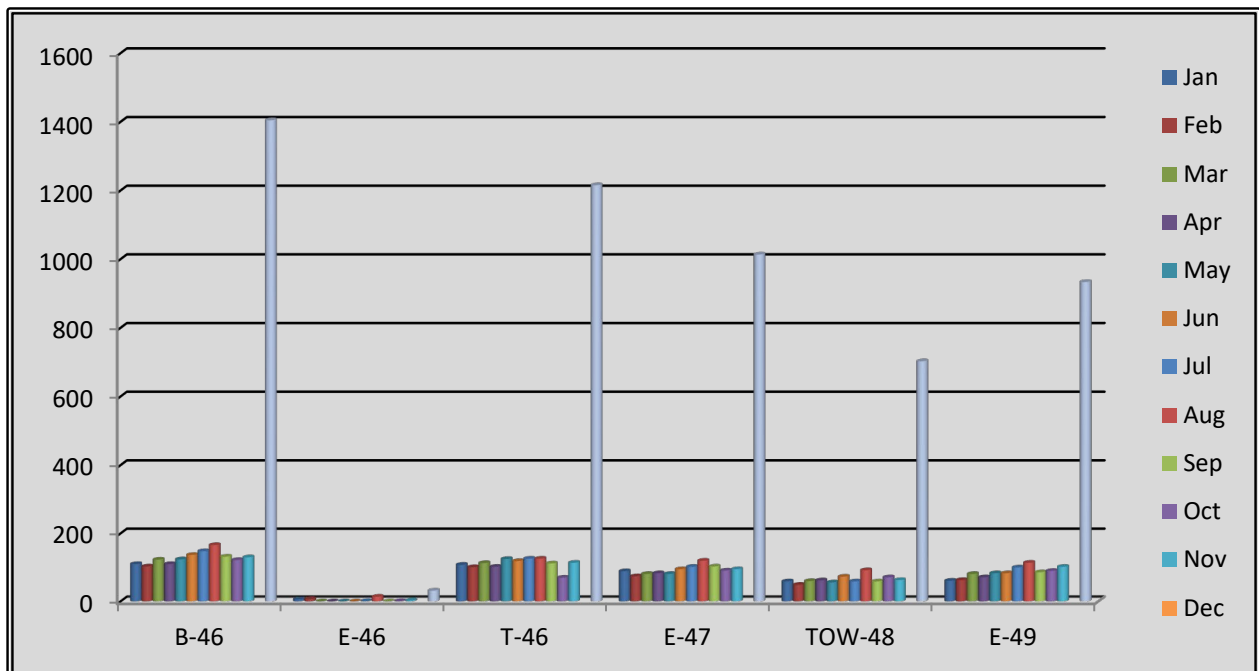
**Year to date totals as of: November 30, 2022**

	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>
Accident with Injuries/Delayed/Dual	455	523
Fire Response Incidents	1016	936
Auto / Mutual Aid Response	219	195
Ambulance / Medical Related	5864	5885
Service Related Responses	469	475
Other Types	18	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,041</b>	<b>8,026</b>

**Responses per unit for 2022**



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**Hours worked summary:**

TINLEY PARK FIRE DEPARTMENT					
Employee Shift Hours - 2022 - (By Average Hours)					
January 2022 - December 2022					
	Nov '22	Average		Nov '22	Average
ADKINS, DAVID	37.5	80.68	LOUGHLIN, LOGAN	144	144.00
ALVAREZ, ANDRES	84	60.18	LUDKE, RANDY	72	68.95
ANDREWS, CHRISTIAN	48	37.09	MARIANOVICH, PETE	161	216.61
BARRY, JOHN	23.5	27.18	MAZZIOTTA, ANTHONY	142.5	165.45
BERK, MATTHEW	72	84.00	MAZZIOTTA, DAN	238	195.18
BEST, TIM	48	75.18	MILAZZO, MIKE	192	130.55
BLACKMORE, MATTHEW	280.75	241.45	MILLERICK, BRIAN	111	158.98
BLOMBERG, TOM	59.25	90.20	MULDER, DAVID	85	43.00
BOHLSSEN, NICK	161	142.82	MURPHY, JOHN	132	58.23
BRENNAN, JOHN	82.5	84.59	MURRAY, BILL	59	83.86
BROOKS, TIM	108	101.55	NAGLE, JOHN	12	32.86
BULVAN, MARK	121	124.36	NOONAN, TREVOR	24	24.13
BUTERA, TONY	84	109.70	O'DETTE, JOE	0	13.73
CASNER, ADAM	84	142.45	O'HAGAN, HARRY	94.5	91.69
CORDERO, PAUL	96	56.95	O'HAGAN, TIM	217	259.95
COTRANO, MARK	110	116.00	PEASLEE, SEAN	11	40.41
CULBERTSON, ADAM	110	157.95	PETERS, ERIC	215.5	247.18
CURTIN, NICHOLAS (NEW MEMBER)	168	168.00	PROSZEK, TREVOR	0	32.59
CURTIS, STEVE	36	52.45	PRUGER, LOUIS	60	58.93
DALUGA, JOE	0	113.27	REYES, PAUL	210	191.32
DeADAM, TONY	161	130.95	REYNOLDS, BOB	120	181.36
DUNN, KRIS	239	268.00	RICHARDS, SHAWN	96	133.09
ENGEL, LUKE (NEW MEMBER)	24	24.00	ROEMER, BRAD	86	90.91
FEINBERG, JEREMY	290.5	150.09	RONEY, NORM	302.5	333.95
FIGUEROA, ANTHONY	60	83.14	SARHAGE, SEAN	24	64.00
FITZMAURICE, LIAM	112	111.82	SCANLON, BECKY	12	37.23
FORD, RICK	97	83.59	SCHARNHORST, ROBERT	118.5	114.43
FRENCH, SCOTT (LOA)	0	91.66	SIMON, RYAN	34.5	100.59
GARREN, SHANE	74	91.07	SLEPSKI, TOM	110	118.14
GIL, DEREK	71	80.73	SMITH, NICK	71.5	74.64
GILGENBERG, MIKE	158	112.68	SMULEVITZ, JOE	108	77.14
GRANT, DAN	109	99.50	SOBIERAY, ADAM	95	116.09
GRECO, JOE (LOA)	0	107.36	STUBE, CHRIS	175	177.95
GRIFFIN, TIM	145.5	167.68	SUTKUS, MATTHEW	144	100.00
GRZESZKIEWICZ, STEVE	85	97.59	SWARTZENTRUBER, JOSH	72	45.66
GUDYKA, BRYAN	32	34.64	SWARTZENTRUBER, TODD	84	107.36
HAAGA, JOE	121	157.32	TONRA, TOM (LOA)	0	4.36
HAJKOWICZ, ERIK	22.5	33.77	TORNGA, DANIEL	22.5	60.39
HICKEY, KEVIN	265	233.80	TROOGSTAD, SCOTT	61	76.63
HOGAN, RYAN	72	72.00	TURNER, BILL	0	17.59
HOOGERVORST, BRIAN	204.5	231.11	UTHE, STEVE	84	67.36
HOOPE, ANYAETTA	62	89.02	VALSECCHI, GIANNI	13	15.98
IWANAGA, JEFF (LOA)	0	29.68	WATERS, JOHN	0	14.75
KRUG, CHARLES	86	71.41	WITTMAN, MIKE	240.5	268.00
KUSHNER, JEFF	57.5	77.05	WOOTEN, JIM	0	56.45
LITKENHUS, JACOB	0	30.82	ZANTA, MATT	23	26.55
LOPEZ, JOHN	276	264.08	ZANTA, RYAN	48	88.00