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**Police & Fire Commission
Fire Department Monthly Report
October 1st through October 31st**

In the News:

10/10 One of the more daunting disaster drills in recent memory tested the mettle of La Crosse County responders Wednesday when they were dispatched to a practice scenario in which a school bus carrying 35 students slammed into a railroad tanker car carrying diesel fuel. The crisis scene, which included a school bus knocked onto its side, with the tanker car lodged against it, took place at the La Crosse Fire Department Training Facility on Isle le Plume. The drill included not only firefighters but also first responders and rescuers from several other agencies.

10/20 The La Crosse Fire Department, along with the Town of Campbell Fire Department, assisted Onalaska Fire Department with a fire that affected two homes.

10/25 The La Crosse Fire Department welcome seven of our newest firefighters at a badging and oath ceremony that took place at City Hall.

Personnel:

All 17 participants passed their written and practical exams for the aerial certification class.

Ryan Rushton and Jordan Shackleton were both assigned to the Firefighter Paramedic Program.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Activity/Performance Summary

October 2018

Performance Measures	Aug-18	Aug-17	Difference
October Incidents	549	568	-3%
October Fire Prevention Activities	312	423	-36%
October Call Processing Time	1:45	1:28	19%
October Turnout Time	1:56	1:50	5%
October Travel Time	5:12	4:28	16%
October 90th Percentile Total Response Time ¹	7:32	6:37	14%
October Percent Achievement of Response Goal ²	77%	85%	-10%
	2018	2017	Difference
YTD Incidents	5,589	5,409	3%
YTD Fire Prevention Activities	4,290	3,966	8%
YTD Call Processing Time	1:33	1:31	2%
YTD Turnout Time	2:00	1:54	5%
YTD Travel Time	4:38	4:29	3%
YTD 90th Percentile Total Response Time ¹	7:04	6:47	3%
YTD Percent Achievement of Response Goal ²	81%	87%	-7%

Notes

¹ 90th percentile response is a measure of quality and reliability; only 10% of the responses will exceed this time. Priority responses are included when calculating response times.

² The total response time goal is to respond to 90% of all calls for service within 6:20 or less. This number reflects the percentage of time we achieve this total response time goal.



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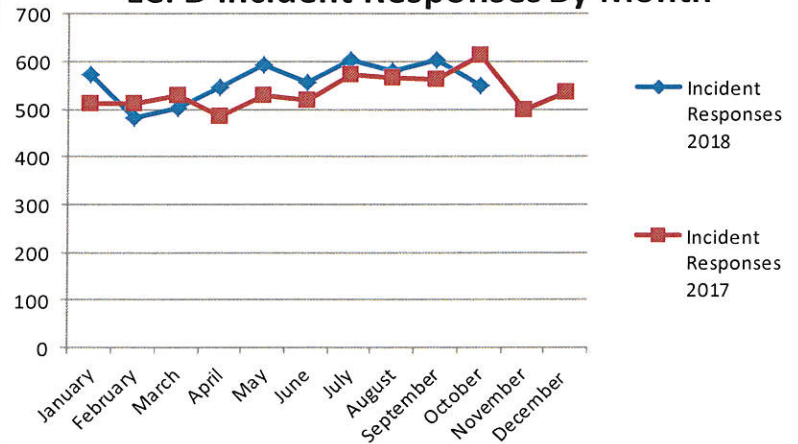


LCFD Statistical Analysis

October 2018

LCFD Incident Responses	YTD 2018	YTD 2017
Total	5589	5409
Percent Change	1.03%	

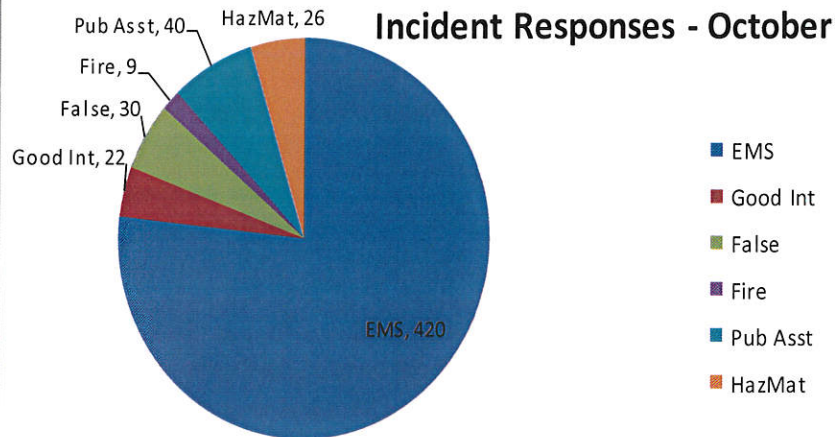
LCFD Incident Responses By Month



2018 October Response By Incident Type

Incident Type	Incident Responses
EMS	420
Good Int	22
False	30
Fire	9
Pub Asst	40
HazMat	26
Other	2
October Total	549

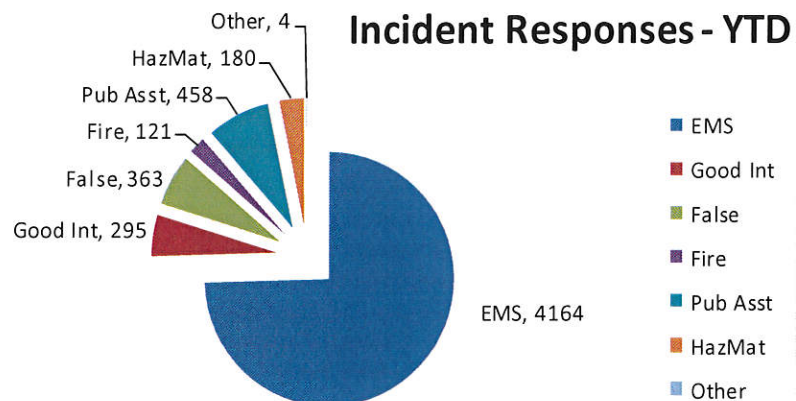
Incident Responses - October



2018 YTD Response By Incident Type

Incident Type	Incident Responses
EMS	4164
Good Int	295
False	363
Fire	121
Pub Asst	458
HazMat	180
Other	4
Rupt/Exp	4
YTD Total	5589

Incident Responses - YTD





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**Police & Fire Commission
Fire Prevention & Building Safety
October 1st through October 31st**

Monthly Stats:

Inspections.....265
Violations.....124
Corrections.....58
Referrals.....0

Complaints.....0
Citations.....0
Permit Fee Totals.....\$77,246.39
Building OTCs.....406

Fires Investigated: None.

Monthly Activities:

Festival and Tent Inspections:

10/5 Cameron Park & Green Island Ice Arena & 10/12 Wafer, 403 Causeway Blvd

Sprinkler System Installation:

10/2 & 10/12 Menards, 223 Lang Dr & 10/16 Kwik Trip Bakery, 1801 Elm St

Occupancy Inspection:

10/12 Menards, 223 Lang Dr & 10/30 The Exchange, 110 Causeway Blvd

Fire Alarm Installation:

10/12 Menards, 223 Lang Dr

License Inspection:

10/16 New Taste of India, 1812 Jackson St

Respectfully Submitted,

Craig Snyder
Assistant Chief of Fire
Prevention & Building Safety

Kyle Soden
Captain of
Inspection

Steve Cash
Lieutenant of
Inspection



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Police & Fire Commission Training Report October 1st through October 31st

Training Events

Fire Ground Operations
EMS
Extrication
Technical Rescue
Water Rescue
Haz Mat
Apparatus Operations
Recruit Academy
Tactical EMS
Management / Officers
Fire Prevention / Public Education

Total Training Hours for August	1,880
Number of LCFD Staff Attending	99
Average Training Hours per Staff	19

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Frank G. Devine".

Frank Devine
Division Chief of Training
La Crosse Fire Department

THANK YOU, LACROSSE FIREFIGHTERS

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JILLIAN GRACE



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September 2018

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