



SUNSTITES-PEARCE FIRE DISTRICT

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Fire Chief's Report for September 17, 2024

Call Volume as of August 31st:

August Call Volume: 68

Fire: 34

EMS: 34

2024: 548 Total

Training:

1. EMS training completed on Childbirth, OB, and neonatal emergencies.
2. Training on new incident management software was held here yesterday to begin implementation.
3. Live fire training in coordination with Whetstone Fire is being conducted tomorrow.

Wildland:

1. E308 Returned this evening from the Siphon Fire.

Out of District Services:

1. Dragoon annexation map is complete with no split parcels. Draft impact statement will be sent to our attorney next week for review and brought to the board next meeting.

Emergency Medical Services:

1. AZDHS has responded to our rate adjustment application with the following numbers.

Base Rates	A.L.S.	B.L.S.	Mileage	Standby
Current Rates	\$1,052.48	\$1,052.48	\$21.05	\$263.11
Applicant Proposed Rates	\$1,800.00	\$1,800.00	\$21.05	\$450.00
Bureau Proposed Rates	\$2,014.85	\$2,014.85	\$13.53	\$503.71

AZDHS has been posting our rate increase in the Herald news paper as a public notice. Pending any feedback from the community there may or may not be an administrative hearing. Things are finally progressing.

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Hazardous Materials and Technical Rescue:

1. Nothing new to report

Maintenance

1. E302 is back in service
2. Station and vehicle maintenance continues.

Communications:

1. SCBAs from the FEMA grant have been ordered and are scheduled to be delivered in a few weeks.

Staffing

1. We currently have a Full-Time Paramedic vacancy that we are actively trying to fill.
2. Most part-time and volunteer employees have been engaged with training and staffing. We have a new employee on orientation and additional applicants in the hiring process.

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