



MONTHLY FIRE CHIEFS REPORT

Regular Meeting: December 14, 2021

Operations:

- We responded to 43 calls in November.
- Will just brought on 7 new volunteers: 1 in-district, 6 shift-firefighters (3 of which have prior experience).
- On December 5, we were requested to assist with the Miners Candle Fire in Clear Creek County. We had a great response from in-district and shift-firefighters and were able to send 3 trucks and 10 people, while staffing multiple trucks with 12 additional personnel in-district.
- Continue to monitor COVID-19 and adjust our policies accordingly.
- Special thank you to the Schneider family for making Thanksgiving dinner for the on-duty crew.
- Gilpin County preliminarily funded our \$25,000 request to complete 1000 hours of mitigation work on county property.

Wildland:

- Gilpin County Sheriff enacted Stage 1 Fire Restrictions on November 19th at 8 am. This will likely stay in effect until we see significant snow. Boulder County and the Forest Service followed shortly thereafter with their restrictions.

Administration:

- Tomorrow, I have a hearing for the small RETAC grant we submitted. Grant was a small request for EMS equipment.
- Friday, our grant writer will submit the AFG grant for a fire alarm system at Station 7.
- Friday, we will also be submitting the FFDDP Grant (Firefighter Safety and Disease Prevention Grant) for 6 sets of bunker gear.
- Submitted a state CDPHE COVID grant for \$1622.50 which was used to purchase more TFPD masks.
- 2016 SAFER Grant to fund the R&R position is nearly closed out, the 2020 SAFER Grant co-owned with Golden Gate Fire began on November 25, 2021.
- All hands meeting on the 19th was a success, thank you to the Board for serving food.
- The HCA donated an additional \$17,500, funding 10 sets of wildland gear and 3 sets of structure gear.
- Huge thank you to the TVFF who purchased charcuterie boxes for the All-hands dinner, as well as a holiday \$25 gift card for every firefighter.