



## MONTHLY FIRE CHIEFS REPORT

Regular Meeting: February 8, 2022

### Operations:

- We responded to 53 calls in January:
  - 26 medicals
  - 7 smoke scare/investigation
  - 5 auto accidents
  - 2 fire alarms
  - 2 dispatch error
  - 1 structure fire
  - 1 car fire
  - 1 lock out
- We continue to work with the Sheriff's Office to finalize the new Search and Rescue plan.
- We received NARCAN and will be rolling out the training soon. Once complete they will be on select department vehicles.

### Wildland/Mitigation:

- On February 1<sup>st</sup> USFS ignited 100 machine piles (large) in the Pickle and Cold Springs area. We have been working with them since to keep an eye on the piles as well as providing them water when needed.
- Working with the county to finalize the mitigation work plan. Our first target will likely be Missouri 1 roadside and slash removal. We have received the county funds.
- Timberline attended the CSU extension community wildfire presentation at the library.

### Administration:

- I would like to congratulate Will Doerrmann and Garth Wagner on their new positions with Timberline Fire.
- Timberline has received \$5,211 in donations this year. This included a \$2,500 donation from the Ameristar Casino through their "My Heroes" program.
- The RETAC grant was successful. \$1188.94 was awarded for medical equipment.
- DOLA Energy and Minerals Grant will be submitted by the end of the month.
- The FEMA Fire Prevention and Safety Grant will be submitted by the 18<sup>th</sup>.
- Plan to have a new Auto/Mutual aid agreement for the BOD at the March 8<sup>th</sup> meeting.

**Training:**

- Saturday was the first day of our 4-month Fire Academy. 18 students from TFPD, GGFPD and DFPC.
- Lt. Bell and FF. Colgan completed Strategy and Tactics at NFA in Grand Junction.
- Chief Bondus, Chief Schimanskey, FF Schimanskey, Captain Bosworth, FF Lutz are in Peer Support training this week.
- Captain Watson is teaching Hazmat for the first six Saturdays of academy.
- This weekend is our first in-house Fire Instructor 1 class. Eleven people will be attending.