

Volunteer Firefighters Update

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Introduction

- Basic overview:
 - Firefighter Staffing Levels
 - Fire Calls Per Year
 - Calls per Career/Composite
 - Calls per Volunteer Station
 - Vehicles per Station
 - Improving retention

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Firefighter Staffing Profile

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	5 year Average	5 year Average Turnover Rate
Career Stations	97	98	99	100	93	97	3.5%
Composite Station	9	9	9	9	9	9	
Volunteer Districts:							
District 2	87	91	99	88	82	89	9.8%
District 3	77	86	85	80	84	82	13.0%
District 4	70	77	74	67	65	71	11.9%
District 5	86	76	84	90	91	85	9.9%
Total Volunteers	320	330	342	325	322	328	

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Fire Calls Per Year

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	5 Year Totals	Yearly Average
Career Stations	2928	3089	3054	3467	3098	15636	3127
Composite Station	243	240	314	398	359	1554	311
Volunteer Districts:							
District 2	200	165	189	179	194	927	185
District 3	277	307	365	328	355	1632	326
District 4	162	130	87	84	98	561	112
District 5	212	181	208	221	185	1007	201
Total Volunteer Calls	851	783	849	812	832	4127	825

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Calls per Career/Composite

Stn #	Station Name	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	5 Year Totals	Yearly Average
Career Stations								
1	Main	1567	1675	1523	1777	1590	8132	1626
2	Minnow Lake	294	282	380	384	346	1686	337
3	New Sudbury	532	552	536	610	569	2799	560
4	Long Lake	535	580	615	696	593	3019	604
Career Totals		2928	3089	3054	3467	3098	15636	3127
Composite Station								
16	Val Therese	243	240	314	398	359	1554	311

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Calls per Volunteer Station

Stn #	Station Name	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	5 Yr Totals	Yearly Average
5	Copper Cliff	30	12	20	19	21	102	20
6	Waters	53	50	63	75	88	329	66
7	Lively	83	66	62	41	42	294	59
8	Whitefish	29	30	39	36	35	169	34
9	Beaver Lake	5	7	5	8	8	33	7
District 2 Totals		200	165	189	179	194	927	185.4
10	Azilda	64	74	81	87	113	419	84
11	Chelmsford	97	129	148	112	120	606	121
12	Dowling	83	74	106	104	109	476	95
13	Vermillion Lake	0	1	2	0	1	4	1
14	Levack	33	29	28	25	12	127	25
District 3 Totals		277	307	365	328	355	1632	326.4

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Calls per Volunteer Station

Stn #	Station Name	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	5 Yr Totals	Yearly Average
15	Val Caron	42	30	13	14	30	129	26
17	Hanmer	46	23	11	2	14	96	19
18	Capreol	74	77	63	68	54	336	67
District 4 Totals		162	130	87	84	98	561	112.2
20	Garson	115	98	119	116	109	557	111
21	Falconbridge	7	8	14	8	4	41	8
22	Skead	10	6	9	8	9	42	8
23	Coniston	35	35	37	46	34	187	37
24	Wahnapitae	39	29	25	39	26	158	32
25	Red Deer Lake	6	5	4	4	3	22	4
District 5 Totals		212	181	208	221	185	1007	201.4

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Vehicles per Station

Career Stations									
1	Main	Arial 16	Pumper1	Rescue 1	Ice water Rescue	Zodiac Boat	Trailer	P/C	Van 1
2	Minnow Lake	Pumper 2							
3	New Sudbury	Pumper 3	Bush 3	Reserve 1					
4	Long Lake	Pumper 4	Tank 12	Haz Mat 1					
Composite Station									
16	Val Therese	Pumper 16	Support 16	Bush 16	Pumper 26				

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Vehicles per Station

Volunteer Stations							
District 2							
5	Copper Cliff	Pumper 5	Support 5				
6	Waters	Aerial 6	Support 6	Tanker 6			
7	Lively	Pumper 7	Support 7				
8	Whitefish	Pumper 8	Rescue 8	DC 2	Tanker 8		
9	Beaver Lake	Support 9	Pumper 9				
District 3							
10	Azilda	Pumper 10	Rescue 10	Zodiac Boat	Trailer		
11	Chelmsford	Aerial 11	Support 11	Bush 11	Tanker 11	Reserve 3	DC3
12	Dowling	Pumper 12	Rescue 12	Tanker 12			
13	Vermillion Lk	Pumper 13					
14	Levack	Pumper 14	Bush 14				

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Vehicles per Station

Volunteer Stations							
District 4							
15	Val Caron	Pumper 15	Tanker 15				
17	Hanmer	Pumper 17	Tanker 17				
18	Capreol	Pumper 18	Rescue 18	Bush 18	Tank 9	Reserve 6	
District 5							
20	Garson	Pumper 20	Rescue 20	Bush 20			
21	Falconbridge	Squirt 21	Tanker 21				
22	Skead	Pumper 22	Bush 22	Boat	Trailer		
23	Coniston	Pumper 23	Bush 23				
24	Wahnapitae	Pumper 24	Tanker 24				
25	Red Deer Lk	Pumper 25	Support 25				

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Improving Volunteer Firefighter Retention

- “Live Fire Training”
- Joint training
Volunteer Firefighters
& Career Firefighters
- focus on the retention
of highly qualified
and dedicated
Firefighters



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Questions?

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