



Corporation of the Municipality of Temagami

Memo No.
2024-M-093

Memorandum to Council

Subject:

MARTEN RIVER FIRE DEPARTMENT (MONTHLY REPORT)

Agenda Date:

Attachments:

RECOMMENDATION

BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council for the Corporation of the Municipality of Temagami does hereby receive the monthly report from the Marten River Fire Department for information.

INFORMATION

TRAINING

April 2nd

The Marten River Fire Department took part in numerous practical exercises reviewing First Aid techniques, including but not limited to... the use of oxygen; different types of breathing masks, and Bag valve masks. C Collar applications, including how to, when and where they are to be used. Spinal board Immobilization techniques, including lifting and carrying techniques. Kendrick Device applications.

April 16th

Members began what will be ongoing training on the new MSA G1 SCBA's. Topics covered were Component details, Cleaning and decontamination, Inspection and function tests, Donning and operation, and practical exercises.

April 23rd

Members split into two teams to undertake building and equipment maintenance. Vehicles were inventoried. Various Fire Dept. apparatus were reconfigured and rearranged for summer. Fund raising event items were reorganized for more efficient use of our limited storage space. Some of the department equipment was organized for future inventory, and the office was also purged of old and outdated items and reorganized for more efficient use.

April 30th

Members attended the hall for SCBA facemask F.I.T. testing.

INCIDENTS

April 2nd Incident #5 ~ 3:41am
31 Red Cedar Road

Medical Call ~ 76 year old male with COPD was short of breath. Marten River Fire team quickly attended, provided oxygen and gathered patient medical information and history for the EMS crews who attended the scene and transported the patient to the hospital.

April 3rd Incident #6 ~ 4:02pm
Highway 64 near Red Cedar Road

OPP requested Marten River Fire Departments assistance. A transport truck had broken down in a live lane of Highway 64. Both north and southbound lanes were passing the truck in the same single lane at high speeds. A serious collision imminent, Fire Department Crews slowed and directed traffic until the hazard could be relocated.

April 12th Incident #7 ~ 7:18am
Highway 11 near Beaverland Road

OPP requested Marten River Fire Departments assistance. A transport truck had broken down in a live lane of Highway 11. Both north and southbound lanes were passing the truck in the same single lane at high speeds. A serious collision imminent, Fire Department Crews slowed and directed traffic until the hazard could be relocated.

April 21st Incident #8 ~ 10:12am
1189 Highway 64

Medical Call ~ 80 year old female with chest pains and short of breath. Once Marten River Fire team arrived, the patient was feeling slightly better. Patient medical information and history was noted for the EMS crews who attended the scene and transported the patient to the hospital.

FIRE PREVENTION INITIATIVES

Members of the Marten River Fire Department changed the sign out front of the Fire Hall to encourage residents to adhere to safe fire practices within their homes.

Additional Information

Fire Chief Christie had the standby generator serviced and the garage doors serviced with one requiring minor repairs. F.I.T. testing for the new SCBA facemasks was started and will be completed for all firefighters in the coming days.

The Breathable Air Compressor at the firehall was reconfigured to accommodate the new SCBA air bottles, some further work may be required on it to have it operating efficiently.

All fire extinguishers, on the Firetrucks, in the hall, and issued to the firefighters were serviced and/or replaced.

Chief Christie also acquired access to the O.F.M. Sharepoint site and is now inputting the Standard Incident Reports directly to the O.F.M.

The Marten River Fire Department welcomes 2 new firefighters to their ranks Jeff Drysdale and Dave Vassallo. They have begun training and will no doubt become valued members of our team.

Respectfully Submitted

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Pete Christie

M.R.F.D. Fire Chief