

Temagami Fire Department
Monthly Report of Activities
for the month of: *September 2018*

4 Activations

- September 9th – 6:35AM – tractor trailer in lake – Hwy 11 at Rabbit lake Road (Angus Lake) – dual response – assistance not required from MRFD (released) – wait for Hydro to kill power before extinguishing pole on fire, placed few booms at lake’s north outlet – 6 firefighters responded
- September 21st – 12:07AM – vehicle fire – Hwy 11, 1 Km north of Lake Temagami Access Road – 6 firefighters responded
- September 21st – high winds / multiple calls with regarding trees on Hydro line on fire – (4:04PM) 1724 Lake Temagami Access Road – 2 firefighters investigate, nothing found; (4:07PM) Hwy 11 just north of Red Squirrel Rd., contacted MNRF requested they attend; (8:27PM) 5760 Hwy 11 north – wires sparking over cottage, 6 firefighters responded, 4 stayed on scene for Hydro to attend +2 hrs.

Training:

- 4 regular meetings – ladder theory & practical sign-offs, 1 meeting for equipment inspection/maintenance
- Deputy Chief attended Ontario Fire College for Fire Instructor 1 training
- 1 firefighter attended / participated in live fire training with Coleman Fire Department

Fire Prevention:

- Several Fire Safety Plans in various stages of review
- Prepared letter for October 1st mail-out advising Community the department needs members, currently unable to provide interior fire suppression or rescue

Fire Education:

- Regular radio “fire safety” announcements on CJTT
- Monthly community newsletter - Fire Safety messages

Other:

- Pumper # 1 in for annual safety inspection
- SCBA annual flow testing completed
- Ladder testing (bi-annual) completed
- Battery Charger on Rescue replaced
- Request for Quotations for fire hose initiated
- Purchase order for main communications antenna replacement issued
- Purchase order for Diesel Exhaust Capture Filtration System issued.
- Chief preparing After Actions Report for council (re: Forest Fire Emergency)
- Chief met with MNRF regarding Fire Smart, promoting at community level
- Chief attended Nipissing East Parry Sound Fire Chief’s meeting, in Nipissing Township – informed of requirements for Mutual aid & E&R bylaw review at beginning of council term.

- Chief attended Emergency Management Program Committee (EMPC) meeting, reviewed/developed revisions to the Emergency Plan, for council approval in October
- Another firefighter resigned (moved away) – daytime response ability very limited

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Alternate CEMC

Date: *October 17, 2018*