

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

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- No activations in October

Training:

- Moved meetings to Monday nights (to accommodate firefighters)
- 3 meetings this month - no meeting on holiday Monday (Thanksgiving)

Fire Prevention:

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

Fire Education:

- Regular radio "fire safety" announcements on CJTT
- Monthly community newsletter - Fire Safety messages
- Fire prevention display at Temagami Public School & Senior's Home Support during Fire Prevention Week; posters & pamphlets at library & Municipal office,
- Annual ride to school for one lucky student on Oct 25th as part of the fire prevention week colouring contest; fire safety presentation at Temagami Public school on October 25th

Other:

- Purchase orders update: radio antenna & cable refresh early November, Fire Hose tender completed, delivery late November, & diesel exhaust filter system installed mid to late November
- Working on purchasing "off the shelf" bunker gear (evaluating brands) – moving away from custom fit – multiple brands to evaluate
- Working with MNRF on promoting Fire Smart (for possible council presentation in 2019)
- Mutual Aid requirement to present E&R Bylaw for council approval at the beginning of new term (4 years), must identify core services, & approve Mutual aid participation.
- 1 new member in October, completed 16 hour basic training, Interviewed 3 individuals interested in joining – waiting for applications from 2.
- Chief attended Temiskaming fire chief's meeting, Nipissing East Parry Sound mutual aid meeting, Ontario Association of Fire Chiefs meeting PAC 7 meeting
- Chief attended October 31st PPP meeting
- Chief doing a number of EM workloads normally responsibility of CEMC, including attending EM sector meetings (presentations on forest fire emergency), completing and submitting request for exercise substitution & After Action Report, MEMPC meetings (chair, minutes);

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Alternate CEMC

Date: *November 5, 2018*