



LTF&R

OCTOBER 2022 MONTHLY REPORT



~Michigan Statewide Mutual Aid Deployment to Menominee~

On October 9th a request was made to Michigan MABAS Division 3701, which Leland Township Fire & Rescue is a part of and Chief Besson oversees, for manpower and equipment to help the Menominee Fire Department at the scene of a large warehouse fire.

Firefighter Brandon Morse was deployed, on October 10th, along with other local and regional resources to assist Menominee. Brandon spent four days on scene before being cleared for home.

On October 14th Fire Chief Besson was deployed as a strike team leader to relieve the original Division 3701 strike team leader. He was released on October 16th when a fresh team arrived to help.

Units assigned to the call: Utility 585.

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Fire – Rescue Services

Total Fire-Rescue Calls 23

Building Fires	1
Chimney/Fuel Burner Fires	0
Vehicle Fire	0
Forest, Wildland, or Grass	0
Burning Complaint	1
Utility Problems (i.e.: Gas leak, power lines, CO, etc.)	17
Fire Alarm, Smoke Alarm, or Carbon Monoxide Alarm	4
Assist Law Enforcement	2
Lift Assist/Assist Invalid	0
Other	12
Cancelled en route to the call	5

Mutual Aid / Automatic Aid

Given: 13 calls Received: 1 calls

Training

Fire Personnel completed a total of **64 hours of classroom or practical training**. Personnel also completed **50.5 hours of online training** too. Training consisted of new employee orientation and other on-the-job training. One training session was cancelled due to the windstorms.

Calls by Shift

SHIFT	ASSIGNED PERSONNEL	CALLS FOR THE MONTH	SHIFT CALLS - YTD
RED	FF Morse & FF Howard	18	127
GREEN	Captain Korson, FF VanZandt, & FF Pehrson	9	139
BLUE	FF Johnson & FF. Rosselle	42	170

Zone Statistics

ZONE	OCTOBER 2022	YEAR TO DATE
Box 501 – North	8	54
Box 502 – East	7	18
Box 503 – South (LL)	23	131
Box 504 – Southwest	6	25
Box 505 – West (Leland)	10	104
Box 506 – Fishtown	1	12
Mutual Aid – Out of Leland Township	14	92
TOTAL	69	436

Overlapping Calls

Overlapping calls are two or more calls occurring at the same time before the Duty Crew can respond to it. For instance, the Duty Crew could be responding to, arriving at, or at the scene of an incident when another call for service comes in. In 2021 we had an overlapping average of about 15.8% (as compared to 11.9% in 2020 and 9% in 2019). In October we had **39** overlapping calls for a total of **56.5%** of our calls. This year our overlapping call average is about **15.6%** (68 of 436).

Apparatus Responses:

This chart identifies our top five (5) busiest apparatus, based on incident responses, for the month of October:

Apparatus Call Sign	Type of Vehicle	Number of Responses
Alpha 591	2017 Ford Ambulance	36
Engine 511	2014 Rosenbauer Engine	25
Chief 501	2014 Ford Explorer	9
Utility 585	2020 Ram 1500 Pickup	7*
Echo 595	2018 Ford Explorer	7*

*=tied (if applicable)

Birthday Wishes:

Upcoming birthday wishes for our personnel include –

- None

Department Anniversaries:

Members celebrating their Leland Township Fire & Rescue Department service anniversaries in October were (years in parenthesis):

- Scott Moore (1)
- Tim Newton (3)
- Chase Schelling (4)
- Brandon Morse (2)
- Nick Bierschbach (3)

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Call Staffing:

This chart provides the duty crew staffing levels for the number of incidents. Our minimum is two (at least one Paramedic). 24 calls involved the response of off-duty/paid-on-call staff.

- Two FFs on duty: 35
- Three FFs on duty: 29
- Four or more on duty: 5

Miscellaneous Things Involving Our Department:

- Responded to Menominee as part of a regional strike team request. Firefighter Brandon Morse and Fire Chief Dan Besson spent a week in the UP, combined, assisting local resources in extinguishing the fire or bringing the incident under control. See attached pictures.
- Had a significant wind incident come through the county. On October 18th the Leland Township Fire & Rescue responded to 21 calls for service.
- Concluded our application process for our vacant full-time firefighter position. Interview and further testing will take place in November.
- Partnered with the Leland Lodge to provide a “haunted house” experience to the local community. We used to do it at the Leland Fire Station, but the set-up and teardown was too time consuming and found the facility at the Leland Lodge to be a better fit operationally.
- Lieutenant/EMS Coordinator Chase Schelling (part-time) attended and graduated from a state-sponsored EMS Leadership Academy. Way to go Chase!
- Brush 542 was taken in for a GMC Factory Recall for its airbags. The work was completed.
- Spoke with EV+, our ambulance vendor, about the reported backlog of chassis and ordering. Mark Genzink, our salesperson, said that new ambulances are forecasted to take about 36 months from the initial process to delivery. LTFR plans to begin the process of getting approval to go out and “get in line” to begin the process to replace Alpha 591 (purchased in 2016).
- Fire Chief Besson attended a MI-CIMS (Critical Incident Management System) to facilitate his role in the county’s Emergency Operation Center – in the event of a large-scale incident in Leelanau County.
- Echo 595 was repaired and returned to service. An insurance claim was made when another LTFR vehicle had backed into it while it was parked. The damage “totaled” a rear passenger door -causing a new door to be purchased and a graphics to be reapplied.

- Provided CPR and AED instruction to staff members of St. Mary's School.



Fire Chief Besson

Our Month in Pictures...



On October 17th, and continuing the 18th, the winds started picking up and gusts of over 50 miles an hour hit the peninsula – taking trees, powerlines, and an assortment of other hazards with them.

In a 60-hour period we responded to 36 calls – 21 of them on October 18th.

Saws, cones, caution tape, and fire apparatus were deployed!





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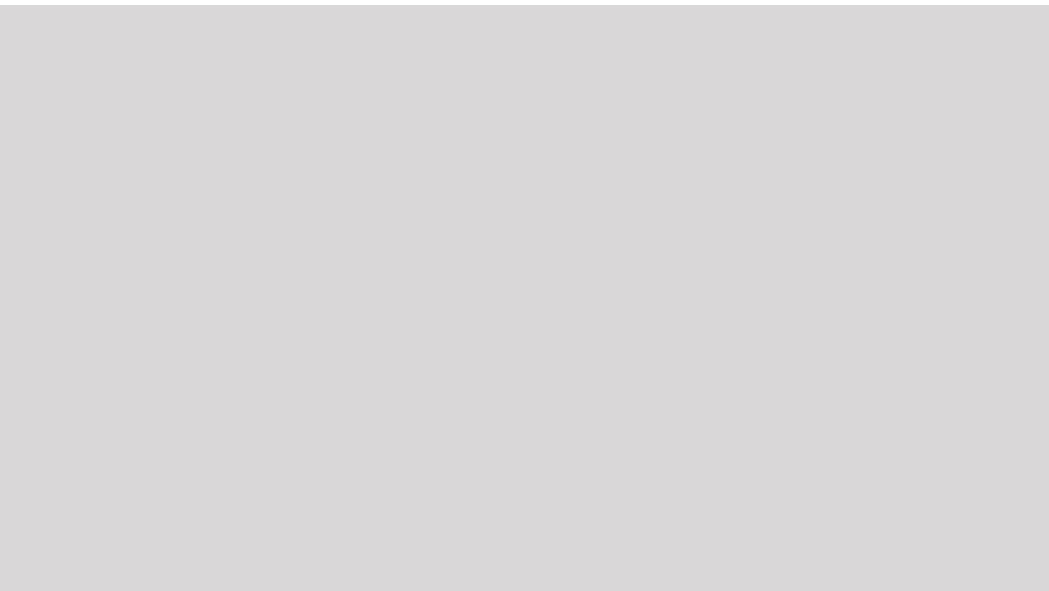
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