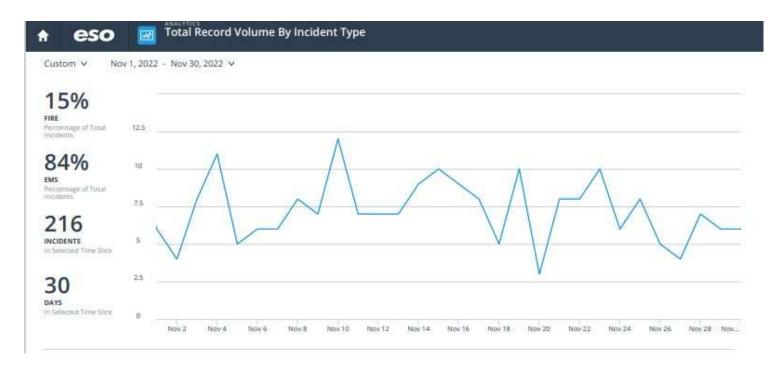


November was another steady month of calls, as has been typical throughout this year. As in past months, EMS is the highest volume of calls. One thing to keep in mind is the amount of double and triple calls that we seem to get on a daily basis. Those are the times when our coverage is the weakest, so call-back response is a big key to continuing to provide service.



Just a reminder that the Holden Christmas Festival will be held from Friday 12/9 through Sunday 12/11. The annual Christmas tree lighting will be Saturday 12/10. The recreation department is taking reservations for children to meet Santa individually starting at 16:00. Go to their Facebook page for more info. The Christmas Lights Drive-Thru will be Sunday 12/11, if interested in taking part, please contact LT. Montiverdi for more info.

Vehicles

1. Both Forestry Units have been winterized as of today. The pumps and pump cans have been drained in anticipation of the freezing winter temps. Currently, the tanks still have water in them.

Training

1. We will be hosting the MFA MTU trailer on January 21-22. The class is scheduled for 8-4 both days and sign ups need to be done through the Academy LMS system. This is a good live fire prop and excellent training to sharpen your skills. Any questions in how to sign up, please contact an officer.

Stations

- 1. Adams Road: The DPW has moved to their new facility. The fuel pumps are not active as of yet, so fuel will still be at the existing pumps on Adams Road. Other parts of the building have not come on line yet, we will keep you updated as things change.
- 2. With winter upon us, please make sure to close the apparatus bay doors behind you when leaving on calls at both stations and especially the Station 2 ambulance annex building.