

WARRENVILLE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

Annual Report



2023

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MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF

Dear Residents and Stakeholders of the Warrenville Fire Protection District,

I am pleased to present the 2023 Annual Report of the Warrenville Fire Protection District, reflecting our commitment to excellence in serving and protecting our community. This report highlights our achievements, challenges, and initiatives over the past year as we continue to uphold our mission of ensuring the safety and well-being of all residents.



Throughout 2023, the dedicated members of the Warrenville Fire Protection District have demonstrated unwavering dedication and professionalism in responding to emergencies, conducting fire prevention activities, and engaging with the community. Our department's efforts have been focused on enhancing our preparedness, response capabilities, and community outreach initiatives to better serve the needs of Warrenville.

In this annual report, you will find a comprehensive overview of our operational activities, training programs, community events, and partnerships that have contributed to our success in fulfilling our mandate. We have made significant strides in improving our firefighting capabilities, enhancing emergency medical services, and implementing innovative technologies to better serve our community.

I would like to express my gratitude to the members of the Warrenville Fire Protection District for their hard work, dedication, and commitment to excellence. Their tireless efforts have been instrumental in achieving our goals and ensuring the safety and security of Warrenville residents.

As we look ahead to the future, we remain steadfast in our commitment to continuous improvement, collaboration, and community engagement. The challenges we face may evolve, but our resolve to protect and serve the community remains unwavering.

I invite you to review the 2023 Annual Report to gain insight into the accomplishments and progress of the Warrenville Fire Protection District. Your feedback and support are invaluable as we strive to enhance our services and meet the evolving needs of our community.

Thank you for your continued trust and confidence in the Warrenville Fire Protection District. Together, we will continue to make Warrenville a safer and stronger community for all.

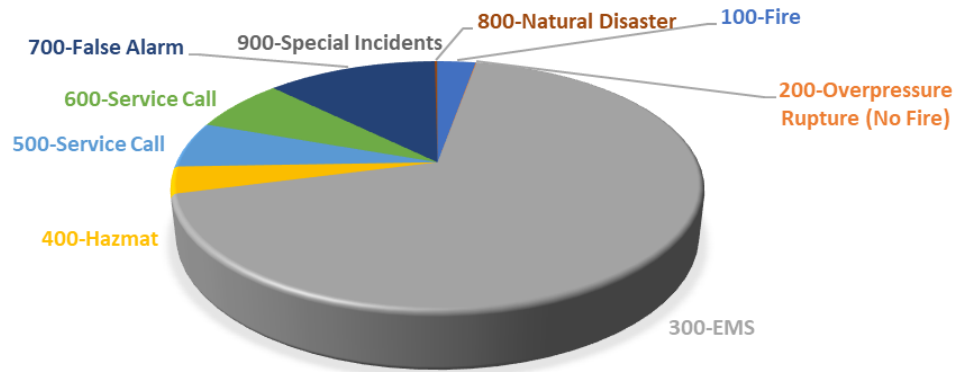
Sincerely,

Andrew Dina
Fire Chief

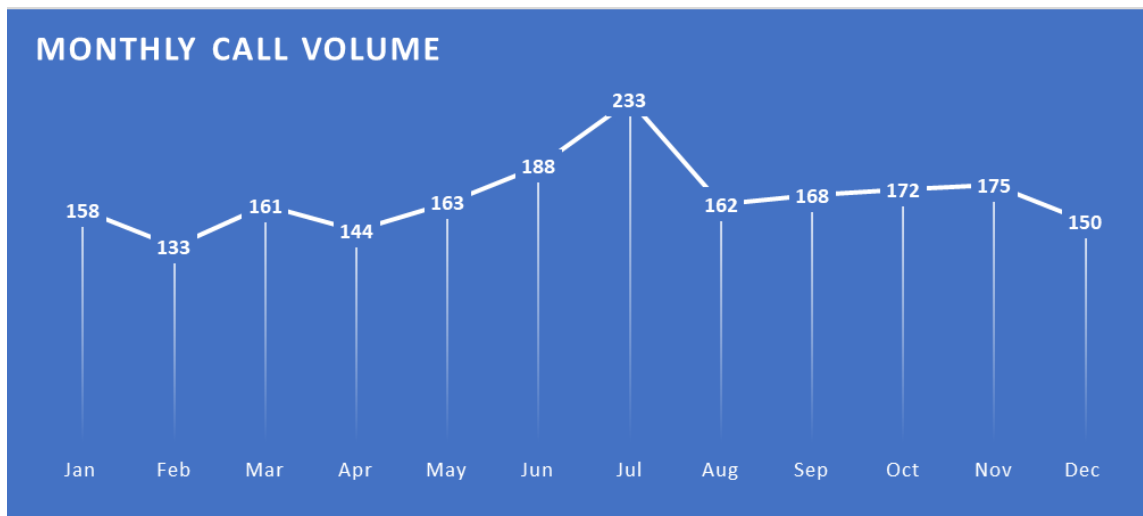
2023 RESPONSES

The summary by incident type chart provides a comprehensive overview of patterns and trends, enabling the organization to allocate resources efficiently. By categorizing incidents, we can identify commonalities and prioritize preventive measures.

SUMMARY BY INCIDENT TYPE



The monthly call chart is a vital tool that offers a dynamic visual representation of call volume patterns over time. Analyzing the fluctuations in call volume provides valuable insights into peak periods, enabling the organization to optimize staffing levels and resources accordingly.



By tracking trends and patterns, we can make informed decisions, refine strategies, and ultimately enhance customer satisfaction through a more responsive and well-prepared approach.

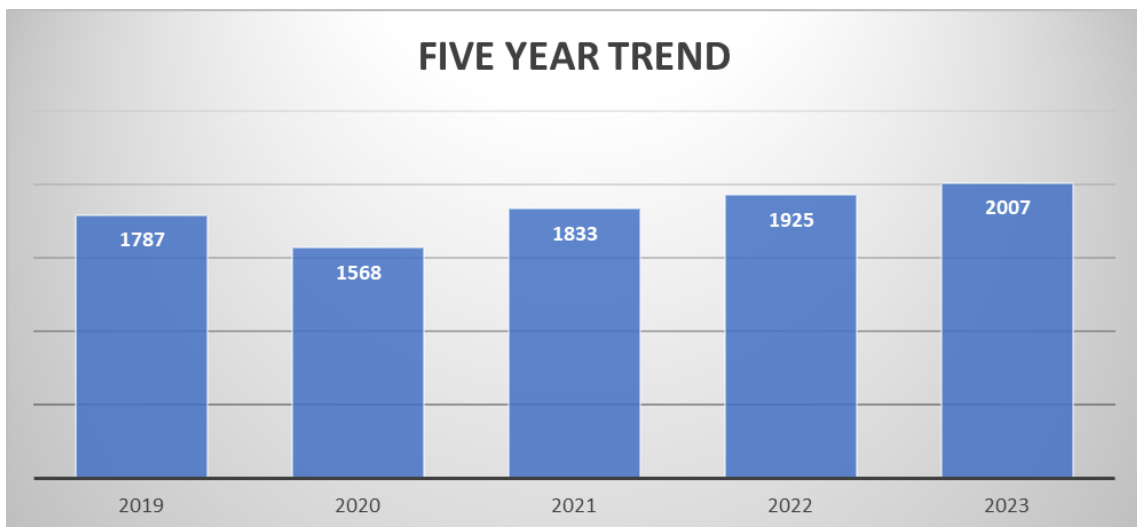
2023 RESPONSES

2023 Responses Continued

All Illinois fire departments are required by state law to report all incidents, including medical incidents, to the National Fire Incident Reporting System (NFIRS) which is administered by the United States Fire Administration.



The sustained surge in calls for service reflects the dynamic and evolving demands placed on the Warrenville Fire Protection District, resulting in the experience of our busiest year in history. This increase can be attributed to a combination of factors, including residential development and population growth.



ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

- **Successfully awarded the following grants**
 - Successfully awarded the Illinois Public Risk Fund \$8,092.00 towards the purchase of automotive extrication equipment

- **New Hires**
 - Firefighter Paramedic David Koelper
 - Firefighter Paramedic Zachary Gloodt
 - Firefighter Paramedic Kevin Sheahan from part-time to career
 - Firefighter Paramedic Alec Stump from part-time to career
 - Cadet Benjamin Schrage
 - Cadet Peter Banaszek
 - Paid on-call Firefighter/EMT Andrew Miller
 - Paid on-call Firefighter/EMT Evan LeMaster
 - Paid on-call Firefighter/EMT Joshua Ruiz
 - Paid on-call Firefighter/EMT Andrew Janiec

- **Accomplishments**
 - Chief Dina was installed as President of the Metropolitan Fire Chiefs Association of Illinois.
 - Chief Dina and Assistant Chief Levy went from provisional to full Chief Fire Officer Certification, the highest level of certification in the State of Illinois.
 - Chief Dina was appointed as Chair of the DuPage County Emergency Telephone System Board Policy Advisory Committee.
 - Financial Analyst Amber Nadeau received Illinois Office of the State Fire Marshal Executive Support Personnel certification.
 - Administrative Assistant Jenna Reavy completed the Illinois Firefighter Peer Support Workshop.
 - Successfully settled a new three-year contract with Local 5036.
 - Carcinogenic PFAS firefighting foam was removed from the station and disposed of by a hazardous materials waste disposal company.

- **Purchases**
 - Purchased new state-of-the-art Zoll X-Series Advance cardiac monitor and defibrillator.
 - Purchased a second Lucas automatic chest compression device.
 - Purchased and installed a new server and virtual server.
 - Purchased and installed new pre-plan software Flow MSP.

MUTUAL AID BOX ALARM SYSTEM

The Warrenville Fire Protection District is a member of the Division 16 Mutual Aid Box Alarm System (MABAS). MABAS Division 16 consists of Seven full member agencies, one associate member agency, three dispatch centers, and the DuPage County Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management.

MABAS Division 16 Agencies:

Warrenville Fire Protection District

Naperville Fire Department

Lisle Woodridge Fire Protection District

Downers Grove Fire Department

Bolingbrook Fire Department

Darien Woodridge Fire Protection District

Argonne National Laboratory Fire Department

Fermi National Laboratory Fire Department (Associate Member)

Oftentimes, communities face emergencies that overtax their own fire and emergency medical service operations, as well as their specialty response team capabilities. The Warrenville Fire Protection District receives and provides aid to these communities in the form of apparatus and manpower.

MABAS Division 16 was the only DuPage county MABAS division to be selected by the Department of Homeland Security to participate in the Securing the Cities program.

Full Members



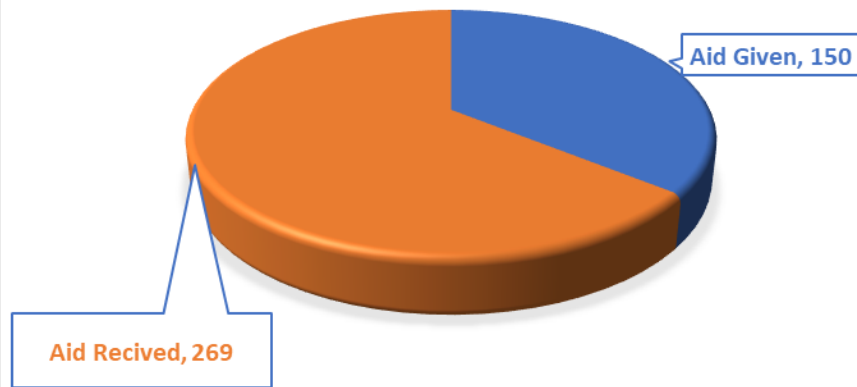
Associate Members



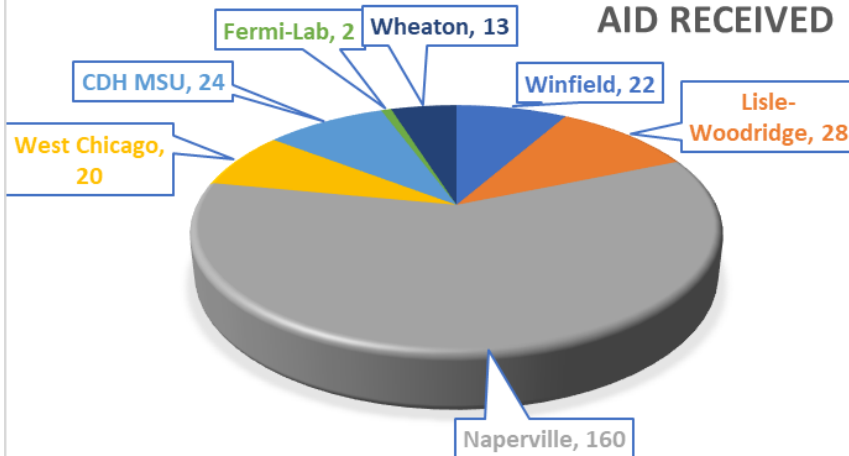
MUTUAL AID BOX ALARM SYSTEM

MABAS Continued

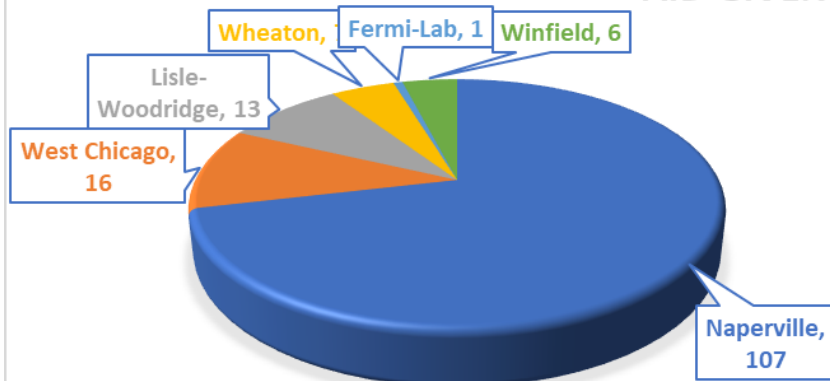
AUTOMATIC & MUTUAL AID



AID RECEIVED



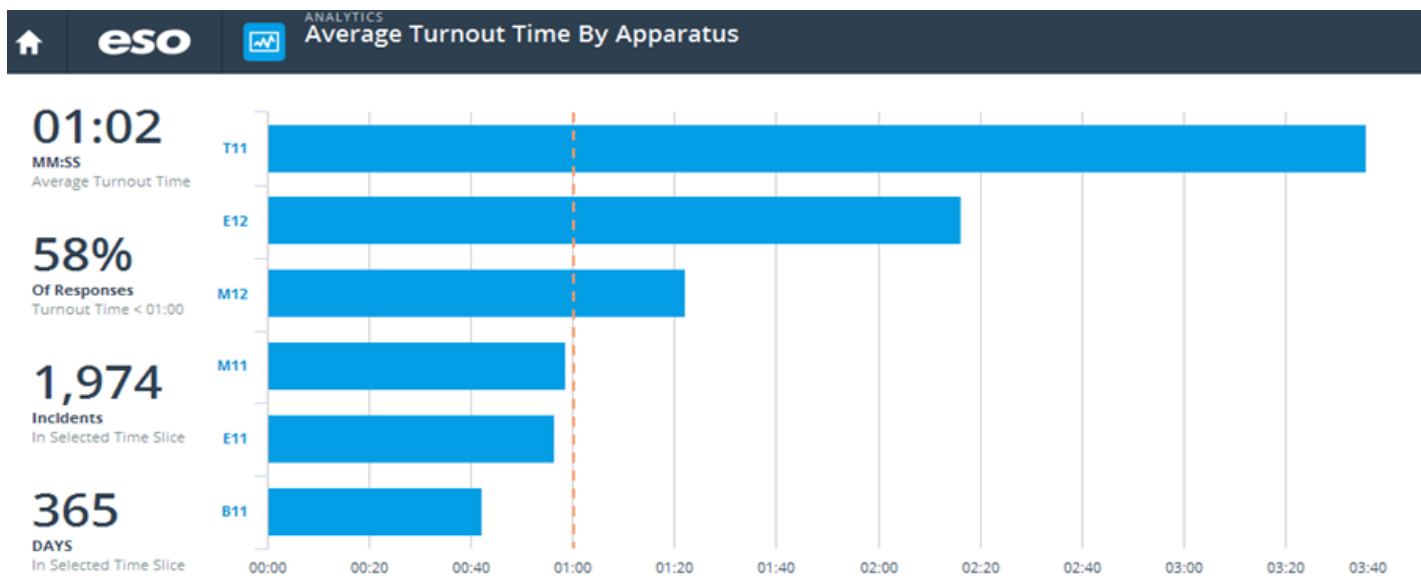
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RESPONSE TIMES

According to NFPA 1710, fire companies should strive for a turnout time of no greater than 80 seconds. Turnout time is defined as the time from when the alarm comes in when the apparatus pulls out of the station. Additionally, this standard states that the first arriving engine company should arrive on the scene within 240 seconds (4 minutes) for 90% of responses.

Response times are a critical factor in measuring the efficiency and effectiveness of an emergency response organization. In the fire service, response times can determine the amount of property lost to fire and smoke damage and even determine the survivability of a person trapped within a structure fire. In EMS, response times are a critical factor when "time is of the essence." Put simply, in trauma, cardiac arrest, or stroke victims, the patient's outcome is directly impacted by the time in which effective emergency care is initiated.



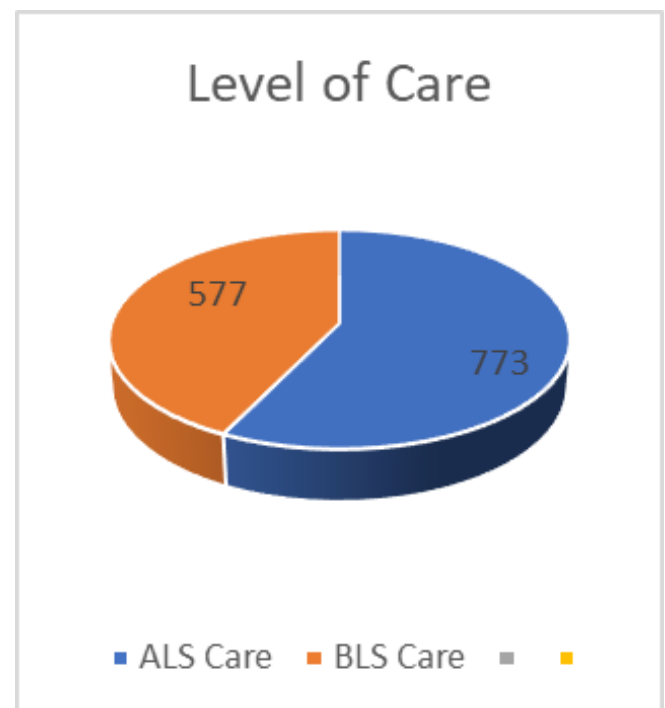
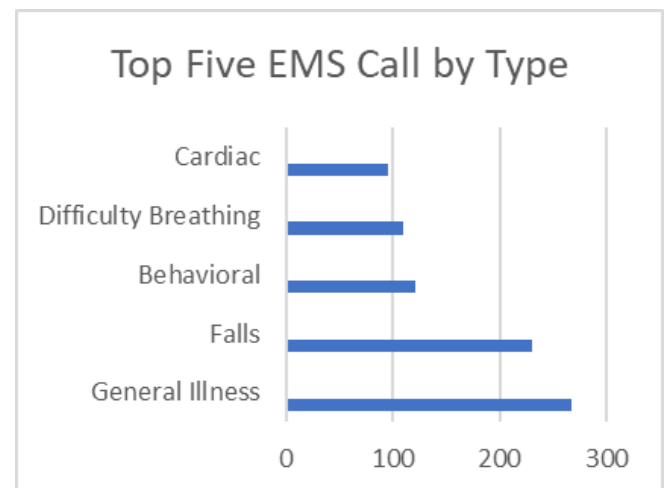
AVERAGE TURNOUT TIME (MM:SS)	01:02
TURNOUT TIME (<01:00)	58%
AVERAGE 1ST APPARATUS TURNOUT TIME (MM:SS)	00:48
90TH PERCENTILE 1ST APPARATUS TURNOUT TIME (MM:SS)	01:37

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

The Warrenville Fire Protection District responded to 1,369 EMS incidents in 2023, which is 10% more than in 2022. These incidents included ambulance requests for cardiac and other medical problems, trauma, mutual aid requests, and various other potentially life-threatening emergencies.

EMS incidents in 2023 represented 62% of the Warrenville Fire Protection District's total response. All firefighters are licensed by the Illinois Department of Public Health as either an EMT-Basic or EMT-Paramedic providing advanced life support (ALS) and basic life support (BLS) emergency medical care to the citizens and visitors of Warrenville. The department is part of the Edward Hospital Emergency Medical Services System. The system ensures that paramedics are properly trained and that victims of injury or illness are assessed, treated, and transported to local Emergency Room Departments in a timely manner.

The Stryker LUCAS Compression Device that was purchased in 2022 made such a big impact on the outcome of patients in Cardiac Arrest that the district purchased a second device. Now we currently have a LUCAS device on both ambulances. The newly embarked partnership with Northwestern's Mobile Stroke Unit (M34) was used 24 times in 2023. This partnership provided immediate care to the residents of Warrenville who were showing signs of a stroke.



TRAINING REPORT

The Training Division at the Warrenville Fire Protection District provides training in fire suppression, Special Operations, & Vehicle Operations. The Division provides an annual training schedule that meets the National Fire Protection Association standards for Firefighters (NFPA 1001), Technical/Special Operations Rescue (NFPA 472 & 1006), Fire Officer (NFPA 1021), & Fire Instructor (NFPA 1041). We also meet the training benchmarks for the Insurance Rating Office (ISO) and the newly added recertification requirements for a number of Illinois State Fire Marshal's Office certifications.

Along with weekly training opportunities, the Division supports the training of firefighters by financially funding the cost of attending courses at several outside training academies including Romeoville Fire Academy, NIPSTA (Northeastern Illinois Public Safety Training Academy), and the State Fire Academy IFSI (Illinois Fire Service Institute).

MABAS Division 16 Training Officers also formulate a monthly training schedule that enhances the training that involves the use of multiple crews to complete. This includes Live Fire, Active Shooter, and large-scale Special Operations scenarios.

The Training Division also oversees the Cadet Program. The Cadet program allows high school seniors to experience a taste of what the profession of a firefighter is all about. The year-long program hits the highlights of traditional fire academies and allows them to decide if the profession is for them. After our program, the cadets are allowed to attend the Explorer/Cadet Weekend at IFSI and sponsorship to a Regional Fire Academy to be certified as a Firefighter, The academy of choice has been the College of DuPage.

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TRAINING REPORT

Training Continued

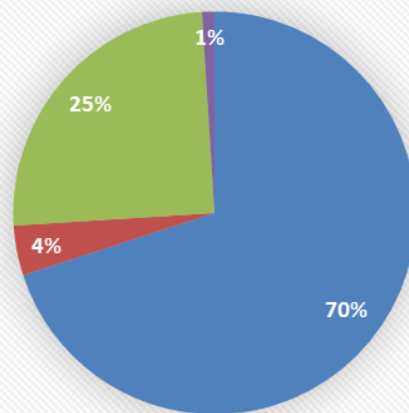
Highlights:

- 5 Sponsored for Fire Academy (Basic Operations FF Certification)
 - 3 Sponsored for Fire Apparatus Engineer Certification
 - 4 Sponsored for Vehicle & Machinery Operations Certification
 - 2 Sponsored for Fire Service Instructor I Certification
 - 1 Sponsored for Rope Operations Certification
- 4 Completed the Fire Service Vehicle Operations Certification
- 14 Other Misc. Non-certification course completed by Personnel

The Annual Training hours completed by personnel was 9,846. Below is a breakdown by month and by personnel type.

Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
955	719	907	846	861	841	655	678	745	1017	783	839	9846

Percentage of Training Hours of Firefighters by Classification:



■ Career ■ Part-Time ■ Paid-on-Call ■ Cadet

CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION (CPR), AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATOR (AED) AND FIRST-AID

The Warrenville Fire Protection District provides up-to-date American Heart Association-based CPR, AED, and First-Aid training to both citizens of the community, as well as employees of the fire district. The district offers three courses. The first course is called BLS Provider. This course is geared toward individuals involved in the healthcare setting (ex; EMTs, Nurses, Doctors). The second course is called Heart Saver CPR/AED. This course is geared towards individuals who are not involved in a healthcare setting. The last course offered is First-Aid, a basic medical, traumatic, and environmental emergency class that provides the knowledge and hands-on skills for providing First-Aid care until more advanced medical personnel arrive.

These courses provide the rescuer/bystander with the cognitive and psychomotor training needed to give a person in cardiac arrest or having a medical/traumatic emergency the best possible outcome. Each course successfully completed nets the student a course completion card that is valid for two years. This year, WFPD CPR Instructors taught 9 classes and issued a total of 46 American Heart Association CPR cards. WFPD Instructors obtain their BLS Instructor certification through Edward Hospital's simulation and training department. This year we gained 1 new instructor to help keep an adequate student-to-instructor ratio of 1 instructor to 5-6 students. We also lost one instructor. WFPD currently has a total of 3 CPR instructors. Our goal is to provide our community and fire district employees with the most current knowledge and hands-on training in Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation, Automated External Defibrillator, and First-Aid. In 2024, with the increasing prevalence of workplace and school mass violence, our instructors will be looking into taking the "Stop the Bleed" instructor course. This course will certify our instructors to be able to teach a 4th course for the fire district, "Stop the Bleed". This course provides basic steps to take in stopping life-threatening bleeding. This course is proving to be popular in today's communities with the unfortunate increase in mass violence.



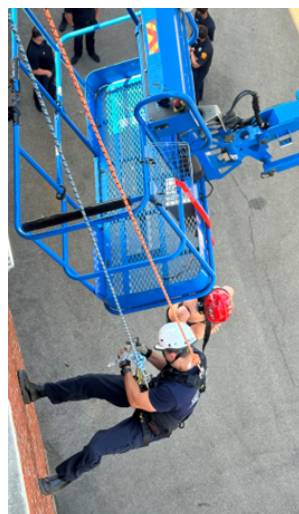
TECHNICAL RESCUE TEAM

Technical rescue operations at the Warrenville Fire Protection District are supported by a member who holds all technician-level certifications in technical rescue disciplines, including rope rescue, trench rescue, confined space rescue, and structural collapse. Several other District members hold certifications and can provide valuable assistance during incidents. The Warrenville Fire Protection District collaborates with the MABAS Division 16 Technical Rescue Team to handle technical rescue incidents in and around Warrenville. MABAS Division 16 is made up of members from various area fire service agencies, including the Warrenville Fire Protection District, Lisle-Woodridge Fire Protection District, Darien-Woodridge Fire Protection District, Argonne National Laboratory, Bolingbrook Fire, Downers Grove Fire, Fermilab Fire, and Naperville Fire Departments. Monthly training sessions are conducted at the division level, covering various disciplines and hosted by different departments.



In 2023, Warrenville hosted a rope rescue drill as part of the training, simulating a scenario where a window washer was stuck and required medical attention. Team members typically attend approximately 40 hours of technical training each year. The Warrenville Fire Protection District possesses basic technical rescue equipment and operates at an operations level. This equipment, along with trained personnel in technical rescue, plays a crucial role while awaiting the arrival of more specialized equipment from the MABAS Division 16 technical rescue team. The district's equipment is stored on the ladder truck, and financially, the district consistently invests in replacing outdated equipment and acquiring state-of-the-art gear in the industry.

The Office of the Illinois State Fire Marshal's Office has set requirements for multiple certifications that require a specific number of training hours to maintain. Training at the District and MABAS Division level contributes to the State recertification process. The Warrenville training division is focused on familiarizing personnel with the technical rescue discipline. Training begins with basic knots and mechanical advantage systems and concludes with various scenario-based incidents to prepare personnel for command and operational roles during a technical incident.



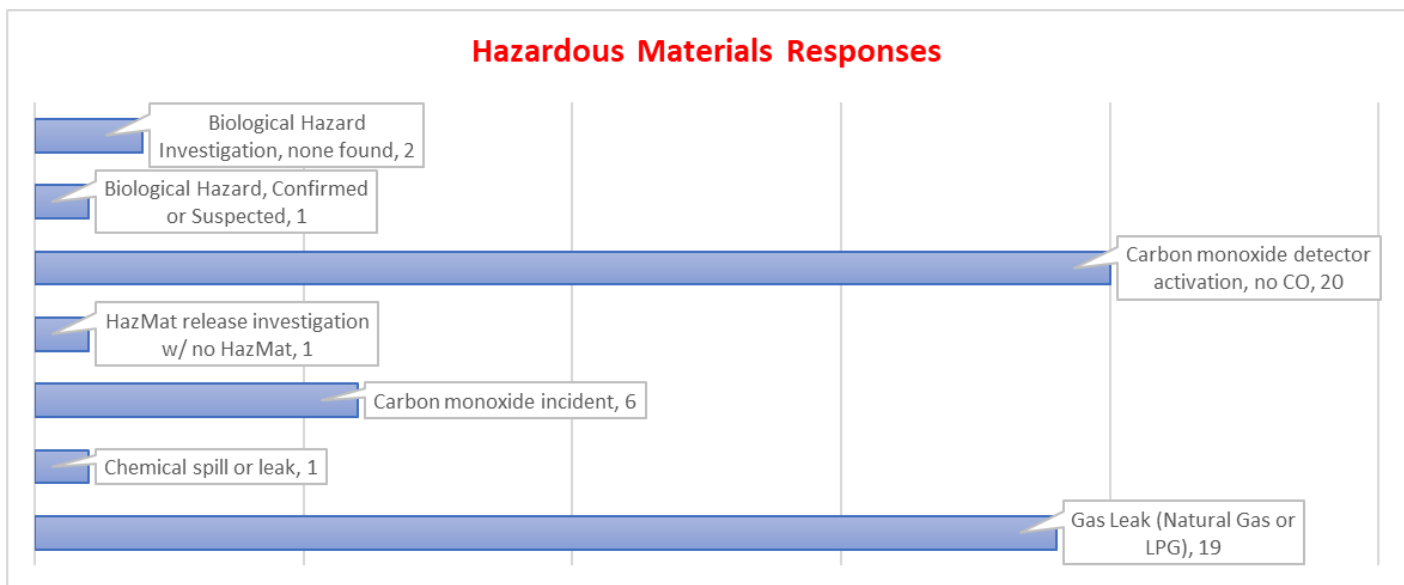
HAZARDOUS MATERIALS INCIDENT RESPONSE TEAM

The Hazardous Materials Response Team is one of the six teams that make up the MABAS Division 16 Hazmat Team. The members are a group of individuals that are specifically trained to handle hazardous materials or dangerous goods, i.e. radioactive materials, toxic chemicals, and substances, or any hazardous vapors that present an asphyxiating inhalation hazard.



All firefighters are certified to the Hazardous Materials First Responder-Operations level. Members assigned to the Hazardous Incidents Response Team are further trained to the Technician level. The Warrenville Fire Protection District has two (2) technicians ready to deploy with the MABAS Division 16 Hazardous Materials Team to mitigate chemical, radiological, or biological emergencies within the division's borders.

Hazardous Materials Responses



Significant Incidents:

- March 12 - Carbon Dioxide Leak
- May 3 - Div. 16 Hazmat responded to Naperville for Box Alarm for the MVA with a Chemical Spill/Leak.
- August 17 - Div. 16. Hazmat responded to Warrenville for the Box Alarm for the Chemical Spill/Leak

FIRE INVESTIGATIONS

Fire investigation is a field that requires a high level of skill and knowledge as well as particular attention to detail. The Illinois General Assembly enacted the Fire Investigation Act (425 ILSCS 25) in 1909. This required all Fire Chiefs, or their designee, to investigate and report all fires in their legally organized municipal fire departments and fire protection districts within the state of Illinois. The goal of the Fire Investigation Program is to provide an adequate, effective, and efficient program directed toward the identification of the origin and cause of fires and explosions, and to continue to train a sufficient number of members to serve the needs of the Warrenville Fire Protection District and the community effectively.



Team Members:

A/C Joe Levy
Capt. Bill Zabler
Inv. Theresa McBride

In 2023, the Fire Investigation Team (FIT) worked closely with the Warrenville Police Department, DuPage County Fire Investigation Task Force, Illinois State Fire Marshal's Arson Investigators, and the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms to determine the origin and cause in six (6) investigations throughout the county.



Following an established scientific method, fire investigators will evaluate fire scene evidence, conduct interviews, take photographs, and create sketches in an attempt to determine the origin and cause of each fire.

Significant Incidents:

- May 10, 2023 - A/C 11, Naperville
- May 24, 2023 - Inv. McBride, Elmhurst
- May 26, 2023 - A/C 11 and Inv. McBride, Bloomingdale
- May 29, 2023 - DCFITF, Warrenville
- July 8, 2023 - A/C 11, West Chicago
- December 29, 2023 - A/C 11, Roselle

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH & SAFETY

The Health & Safety Committee, comprised of union, non-union, and management, plays a pivotal role in fostering a secure and healthy work environment. This committee serves as a forum for collaborative discussions on workplace safety, identifying potential hazards, and formulating preventative measures.

The 2023 Health & Safety Committee was represented by the following members:

- Executive Manager: Fire Chief Andrew Dina
- Chairperson/Secretary: Assistant Chief Joseph Levy
- Safety Director: Captain William Zabler
- Career Member: Captain Dominic Tosto
- District Member: Firefighter Aaron Carstens



The committee acts as a proactive mechanism for risk assessment and ensures compliance with safety regulations. Through regular inspections, incident investigations, and safety training initiatives, the committee helps mitigate risks, reduce accidents, and ultimately creates a workplace that prioritizes the well-being of its personnel.

The committee took actions on the following:

- Implemented General Order 02.74 – Stretching Program which defines the shift and pre-training stretching policy for line personnel.

Fire District Work Related Injuries

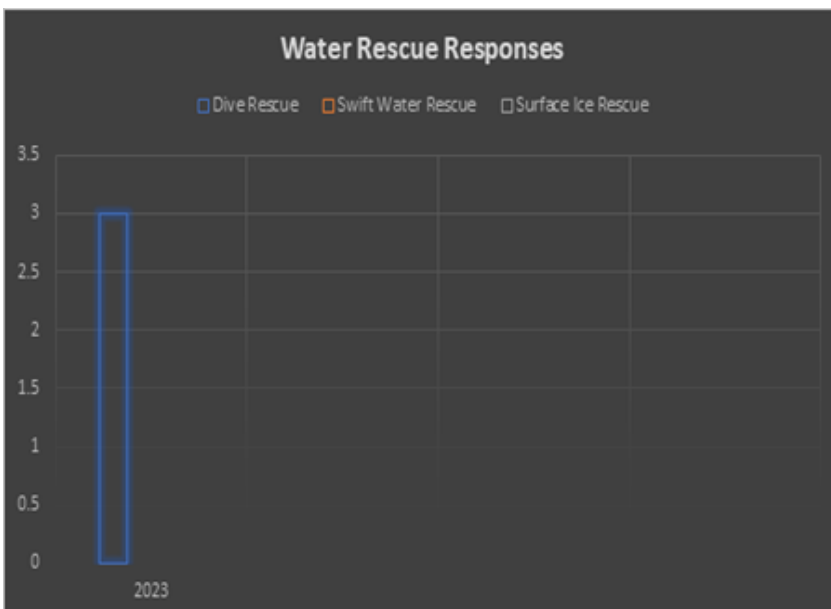
The committee reviewed five (5) district employee work-related injuries.

- None of these injuries resulted in any lost workdays

WATER RESCUE TEAM

The Warrenville Water Rescue Team consists of four members who are certified in dive, swift water, and boat operations. These members are dedicated to providing the highest level of service through training and when responding to water-related incidents. Within the district we serve, there are multiple lakes, ponds, and a portion of the DuPage River. Our team is part of the MABAS 16 Water Rescue Team and utilizes its resources and personnel for every water-related incident.

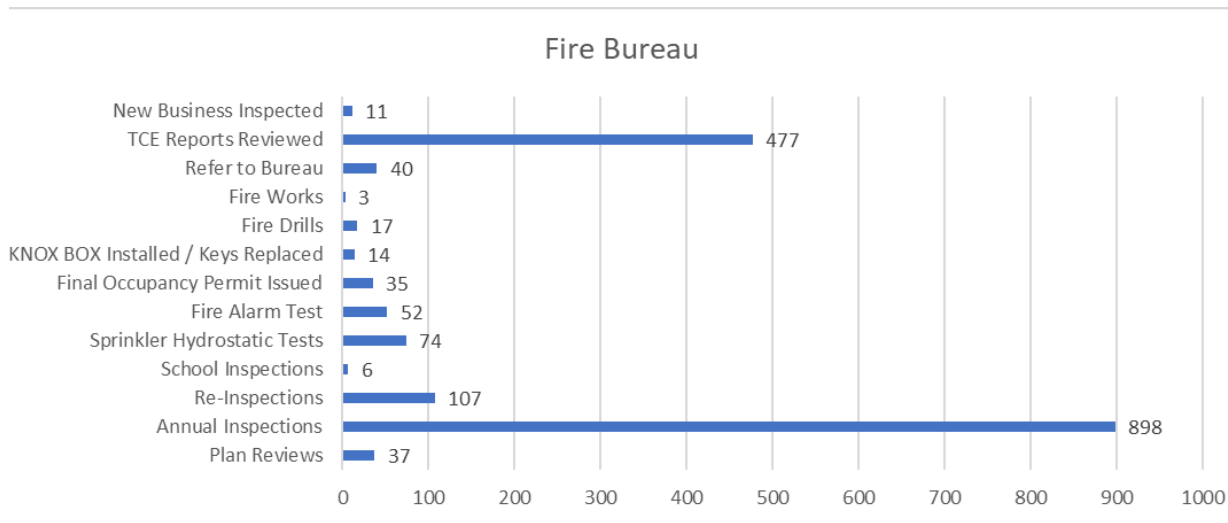
Our Water Rescue Team is currently working on recruiting new members to improve our level of response. To become a water rescue member, these individuals will have to attend three drills so they can observe what their expectations will be. After the individuals attend the three mandatory drills, they will have to take multiple classes to become certified water rescue members. Once they are certified in multiple areas of water rescue, they can then perform the duties as a team member. Training is a top priority for our members. Most of our open water drills are held at the Blackwell Forest Preserve. This location provides our members with the ability to train on subsurface and surface water operations. We have also utilized the DuPage River to enhance our members' skills in swift water operations.



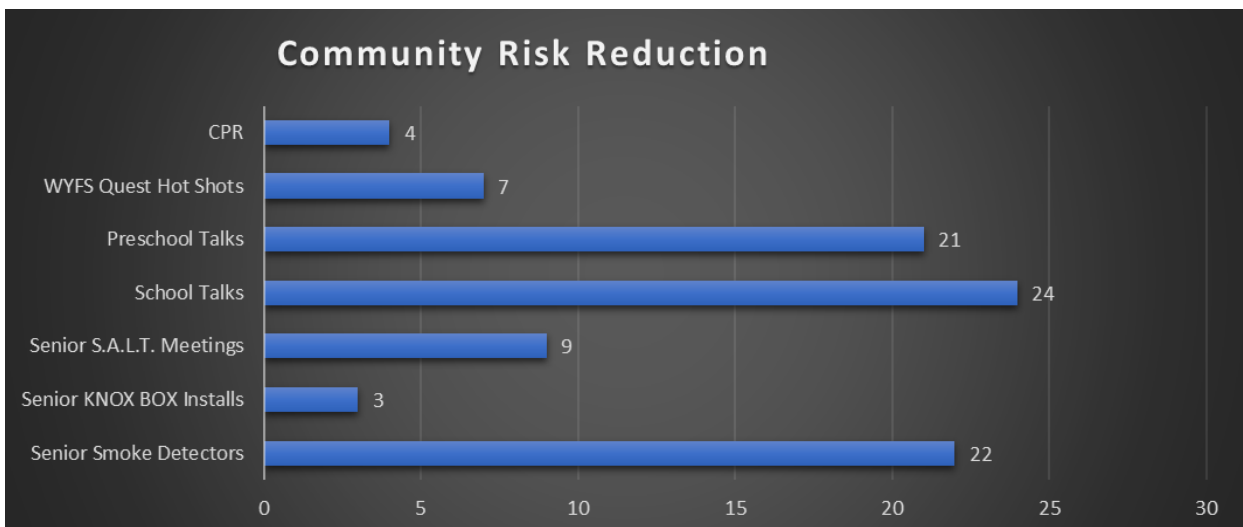
In 2023, our team responded to three incidents. Our divers responded to Naperville as part of the MABAS 16 water rescue response for a person in the water that can no longer be seen on the surface. One of our dive members searched to locate the victim but after interviewing the witnesses, it was confirmed that there were no victims in the water. Our divers also responded to a local pond within our district to assist an outside agency. This incident spanned over two days and additional divers were received by neighboring fire departments.

FIRE PREVENTION & COMMUNITY RISK REDUCUTION

Building safety and code compliance is of extreme importance to the Warrenville Fire Protection District. Fire Marshal Carl Voda works to ensure all buildings and occupancies remain in compliance with International Building and Fire Codes. Inspector Michael Landers has a thorough knowledge of these codes and strives to maintain compliance in all construction and remodels of existing buildings within the District.



Community Risk Reduction (CRR) is a term relatively new to the fire service. CRR encompasses public education and fire prevention but uses data-driven analyses to discover and manage all types of risks to the community. The Warrenville Fire Protection District works diligently to improve the health and safety of the District residents, their guests, and the community overall. In addition to delivering education programs to target audiences, the Fire District works with other City departments to ensure all building renovations and new construction meet current life safety codes through fire prevention plan reviews, occupancy inspections, and other initiatives.



PUBLIC EDUCATION

Throughout the year, we had an active and impactful outreach to the public. We conducted educational sessions at various preschools including Crème De La Crème, Bloom Child Care, Gardner School - Warrenville, Gardner School - Naperville, and Waldorf School of DuPage. Additionally, we expanded our reach to elementary schools such as Bower Elementary, Johnson Elementary, and Waldorf, teaching fire safety to children of different age groups.

Furthermore, we conducted fire extinguisher classes at Northwestern Medicine Surgical Center, Fuel tek, and Sanata Bio, educating a total of 46 adults. Our participation in events like the Bike Rodeo and National Night Out with the Warrenville Police allowed us to engage with the community and promote fire safety awareness.

Our efforts also extended to senior citizens through Carl Voda's participation in the SALT program, focusing on fall prevention and home smoke alarms for 20 seniors. An open house event attracted approximately 400 attendees, showcasing a significant increase in participation compared to the previous year.

In the preschool program, we reached 223 children aged 3-5, covering topics such as smoke alarms, home escape planning, and fire drill procedures. For elementary school students aged 6-10, we delivered similar sessions in longer durations, educating a total of 653 children throughout the school year.

Our collaboration with Warrenville Youth and Family Services and the Police Department in the Hot Shots program aimed to educate high-risk youth aged 11-14 on fire safety and public safety. Station tours, off-site fire safety events at locations like the Warrenville Public Library and Lifetime summer camp, and participation in community events like Touch a Trucks, collectively reached 654 community members.

By attending block parties and public events, we engaged with 200 individuals within the community, bringing the total number of people reached to 2,487. This marked an increase of 825 individuals compared to the previous year, demonstrating our commitment to enhancing fire prevention and safety education in our community.

TACTICAL EMERGENCY MEDICAL SUPPORT

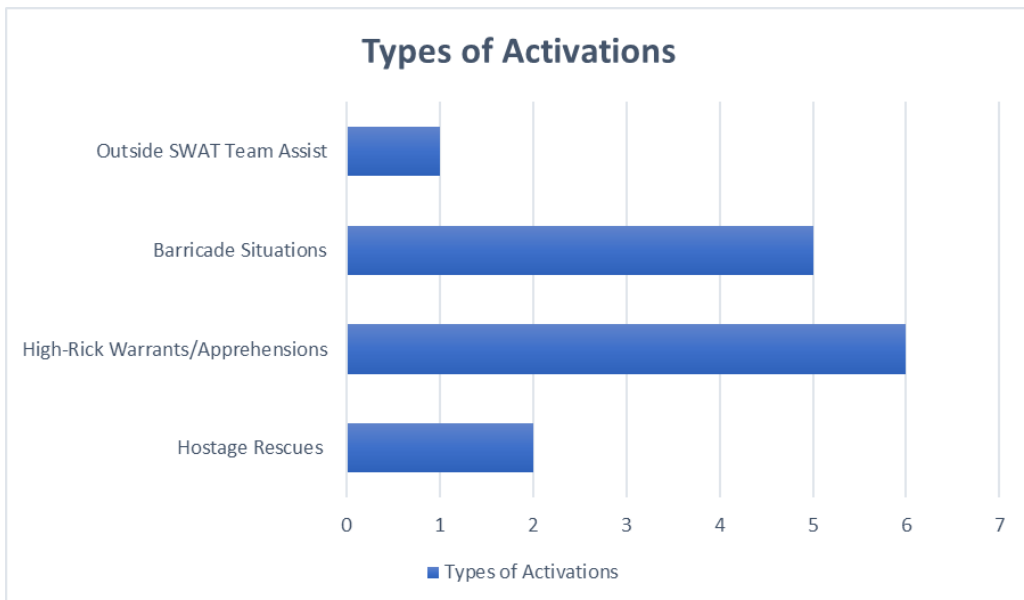
DuPage Metro SWAT is comprised of 83 total members including 1 Commander, 3 Assistant Commanders, 1 Assault Force Commander, 7 Team Leaders, 10 Assistant Team Leaders, 28 Operators, 5 Forward Observers, 8 Tactical Medics, 5 Tactical Dispatchers, 11 Drivers, 3 Intelligence Analysts, and 1 Quartermaster. In 2023 Metro SWAT added 11 Operators, 3 Medics, and 2 Drivers.

Warrenville Fire Protection District currently has one active TEMS on Metro SWAT, Capt. Tosto.



In 2023, Metro SWAT had 15 activations, including 1 shooting, 5 High-Risk Warrants/Apprehensions, 8 Barricade situations, and 1 search of a building.

For 2024, Metro SWAT participated in an active shooter tabletop exercise and has initiated the planning process for the team’s participation in an exercise at Argonne Laboratory. Working through NEMRT, in 2024 Metro SWAT Operators will receive state mandate credit for applicable training days.



LOGISTICS

Logistics is responsible for maintaining Warrenville Fire Protection District's main station located at 35472 Batavia Rd. Logistics assists administrative personnel with both turnout gear and working with service companies in maintaining the District's only station.



2023 various completed maintenance projects:

- Six electrical projects/repairs (including low voltage)
- Two drywall projects/repairs
- Two insulation projects/repairs
- Four plumbing projects/repairs
- Four clothing washer/dryer repairs
- Extractor (gear washer) repaired
- Gear Grid Locker door installation
- Station sprinkler leak repair
- Installation of workshop cabinets
- Kitchen door repair
- Multiple oven repairs
- Screen insulation on west side, north gable vents (above stairwell)
- Hose tower second floor window ledge repair

2023 turnout gear:

- 10 sets of turnout gear (coat & pants) purchased
- 6 pairs of structural firefighting gloves
- 2 pairs of extrication gloves
- 15 pairs of PVC gloves ordered (please note, this is not turnout gear)
- Thirteen disposed of turnout gear pieces

HONOR GUARD

Purpose of the Honor Guard: To provide, as a line of duty death benefit, dignified, honorable services for fallen fire service members and their surviving family members through organization of, and participation in, funeral and memorial services.

The Warrenville Fire Protection District Honor Guard is currently in its 5th year of service and continues its proud tradition to Honor, Cherish, and remember the men and women of the fire service. The Warrenville Fire Protection District Honor Guard operates under the Associated Firefighters of Illinois State Honor Guard guidelines.

In addition to funeral duties, the Honor Guard is responsible for maintaining and presenting the colors of the Warrenville Fire Protection District and Warrenville Professional Firefighters Union L5036 for parades, celebrations, and memorials.

In 2023, the Honor Guard was active in the funeral services for FF Frank Nunez, Itasca FPD, FF Andrew Price, Jermaine Pelt, Lt. Jan Tchoryk, and Lt. Kevin Ward of the Chicago FD respectively.

Current Warrenville Fire Protection District Honor Guard Members:

- Asst. Chief Joseph Levy
- Capt. William Zabler (AFFI Member)
- Lieutenant Michael Vaughn (AFFI Member)
- Lieutenant Joshua Hamman
- Lieutenant Mia Ingram



OUR MISSION, VISION, AND VALUES

Mission

The mission of the Warrenville Fire Protection District is to respond to and mitigate emergencies in a safe and efficient manner. We will serve our community by providing high-quality public education, fire prevention, and risk reduction services all while displaying a high level of respect and compassion for our residents, our visitors, and one another.

Vision

Our vision is to pursue excellence in emergency and non-emergency services through continuous improvement in all that we do while honoring the foundation of selfless service, tradition, family values, and fiscal responsibility which our institution was built upon.

Values

Respect

Respect is a guiding value for all members of the Warrenville Fire Protection District. We will treat others in the same way we would like to be treated ourselves. Open and honest communication is key to building a respectful environment in which trust and transparency thrive.

Integrity

Integrity is the foundation on which relationships and trust are built. We are honest with ourselves, with each other and with the community we serve. When faced with difficult decisions and hard choices, we do the right thing even in the face of adversity.

Passion

Passion is the value that drives and motivates us. It is a love for what we do, why we do it, and whom we do it with. Passion is the fire that fuels our desire to accomplish great things.

Dedication

Dedication is complete and committed loyalty. It is connecting oneself physically, mentally, and principally to a course of action and seeing it through. It is the last of our core values because, without dedication, the other values are meaningless.

I would like to thank all members of the Warrenville Fire Protection District for their professionalism and commitment at every level of the organization. I would also like to thank our elected and appointed officials for their continued support. Together we will meet the fire, rescue, emergency medical, community risk reduction, and public education needs of our growing community.

-Chief Andrew Dina

