



# CLEARCREEK FIRE DISTRICT

## Monthly Report

July 2021

### Above and BEYOND

On July 30, Ohio Task Force 1 (OH-TF1), including our brother, Lieutenant Brian Petry, deployed to Surfside Florida, near Miami, to aid in the search and rescue mission after the Champlain Towers collapse. The team spent nearly two weeks conducting search and rescue operations in 12-hour shifts, with temporary delays due to concerns of additional structural collapse and the looming threat of Hurricane Elsa. Despite the long hours, hindrances, and little rest, OH-TF1 recovered 14 victims and assisted other Task Forces with numerous recoveries. At midnight on Sunday, July 11, the team received stand-down orders. Task Force leadership scheduled Monday as a rest day. However, reports say that team members were "far from inactive," returning to the collapse site to assist in breaking down tents and provide logistics support.

We are immensely proud of Brian and all the Task Force members answering the call to action.



Meet Captain Justin Buehler. Justin joined our family as a part-time FF/EMT in 2003. In 2004, Justin earned his Paramedic Certification and started full-time in 2005. In October 2018, he received his promotion to Captain. Justin is our EMS Coordinator and leads the newly created EMS Division. Along with holding several Fire Officer Certifications, Justin is a Fire and EMS Instructor, completed the Ohio Fire Executive Program, and earned both the Firefighter and the Paramedic of the year awards. He brings experience from West Carrollton and Miami Township fire departments.



Justin lives in Springboro with his wife, Kelly, and their Golden Retriever, Honey. They have two children, Jack and Eva, of whom they are exceedingly proud. Justin enjoys spending his free time remodeling, camping, hiking, attending concerts, and spending time with family.

Justin says, "I love this community and the people in it. I have always enjoyed serving others, and this is a great way to do that."

### Tip of the HELMET

Kudos to FF/PM Tim Salas on his appointment as the new Team Commander for the Warren County Technical Rescue Team. Well done, Tim!

From the ER Staff at Atrium Medical Center, kudos to FF/PM Tim Salas and FF/PM Alex Buchholz for their high-level medical care, technical competence, and professionalism to a stroke victim. Exceptional work, gentlemen!

Kudos to FF/PM Kevin Stevens and FF/EMT Nate Waters for their professionalism and care while assisting an elderly resident with a flooded basement. Way to go, Kevin and Nate!

The ER Staff at Atrium Medical thanks FF/PM James Whitney and FF/EMT Joe Schubert for their expert care of a patient in cardiac arrest. Keep up the excellent work, gentlemen!

Ms. Carol Stephens thanks Unit 1, Station 21 Crews for their compassion, integrity, and professionalism while assisting her. Outstanding job, gentlemen!

### Meet your RESCUER

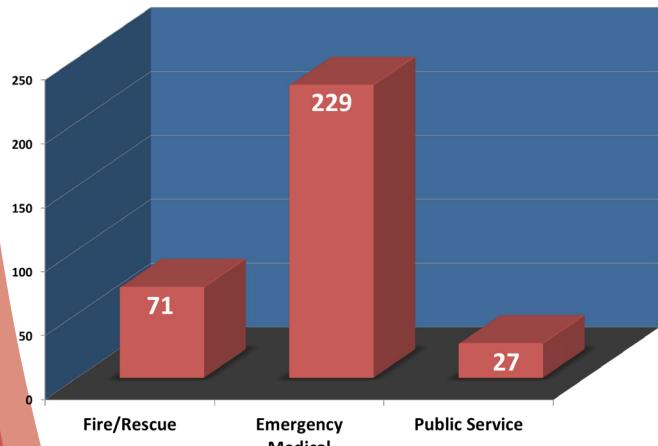




## TOTAL ALARMS

JULY	YEAR TO DATE
2021 = 327	2021 = 2,126
2020 = 332	2020 = 1,898

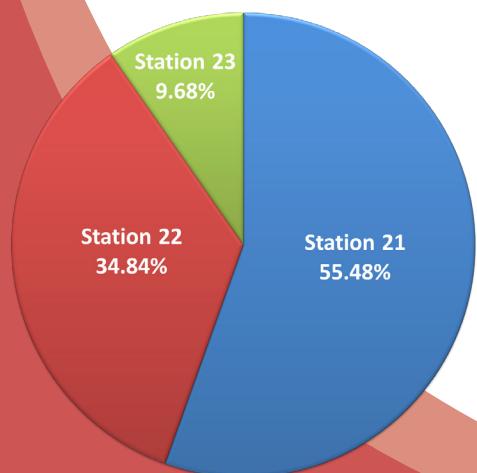
## ALARMS BY SERVICE TYPE



## RESPONSE TIMES

JULY	YEAR TO DATE
2021 = 06:30	2021 = 06:24
2020 = 06:04	2020 = 06:06

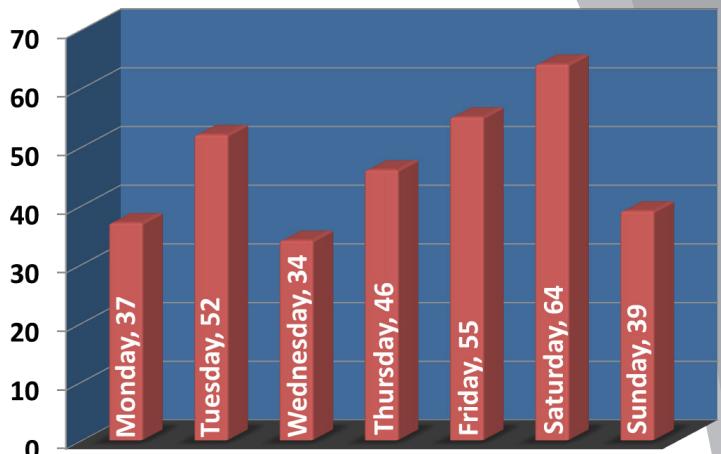
## RESPONSE PERCENTAGES



## Dollars Saved/Loss

<b>TOTAL POTENTIAL PROPERTY LOSS</b>	<b>\$5,121,330</b>
<b>TOTAL PROPERTY LOSS AS A RESULT OF FIRE</b>	<b>\$0</b>
<b>TOTAL PROPERTY SAVED FROM FIRE DAMAGE</b>	<b>\$5,121,330</b>

## RESPONSE BY DAY OF WEEK



## JULY MUTUAL AID

AID GIVEN 2021	AID GIVEN 2020
<b>FIRE = 5</b>	<b>FIRE = 10</b>
<b>EMS = 12</b>	<b>EMS = 4</b>
AID RECEIVED 2021	AID RECEIVED 2020
<b>FIRE = 1</b>	<b>FIRE = 2</b>
<b>EMS = 2</b>	<b>EMS = 3</b>

## MUTUAL AID YEAR TO DATE

AID GIVEN 2021	AID GIVEN 2020
<b>FIRE = 34</b>	<b>FIRE = 44</b>
<b>EMS = 41</b>	<b>EMS = 20</b>
AID RECEIVED 2021	AID RECEIVED 2020
<b>FIRE = 16</b>	<b>FIRE = 5</b>
<b>EMS = 12</b>	<b>EMS = 7</b>

# SIGNIFICANT RESPONSES

On 7/7/21 @ 19:47 hours, Crews responded to a business for a reported structure fire. Crews arrived to find a single-story strip mall with arcing wires from a neon sign with no active fire or smoke. Crews entered the business and located the main power to de-energize the lights. Upon investigation, crews found no smoke or fire in the interior of the building. Crews turned off the breaker to the light and tagged out the breaker box for safety. Finding no further hazards, crews contacted Duke Energy and secured the doors to the building.

On 7/30/21 @ 14:41 hours, Crews responded to a residence for a reported structure fire. Upon arrival, crews found a two-story multi-family building with nothing showing from the exterior. Crews entered the building and found the fire confined to an oven and extinguished before their arrival. Upon investigation, crews found no fire extension into the kitchen space. The oven sustained minimal damage. Finding no further hazards, crews allowed the residents to re-occupy the building.

On 7/9/21 @ 23:11 hours, Crews responded to State Route 73 and Bunnell Hill Road for a reported vehicle accident with injuries. Upon arrival, crews found two cars with moderate damage. Clearcreek PD and Engine 22 shielded the scene while crews stabilized the vehicles and began patient assessment. Crews transported one patient with minor injuries to Franklin Emergency Care. After securing the roadway of hazards, crews released the scene to Clearcreek PD.



On 7/19/21 @ 15:31 hours, Crews responded to the intersection of East State Route 73 and North State Route 48 for a reported vehicle accident with injuries. Upon arrival, crews found two vehicles with moderate damage. Clearcreek PD and Engine 22 shielded the scene while crews stabilized the vehicles and began patient assessment. CCFD crews transported two patients with minor injuries to Dayton Children's Hospital South. After securing the roadway of hazards, crews released the scene to Clearcreek PD. Washington Township provided mutual aid assistance.

On 7/27/21 @ 17:55 hours, Crews responded to Weidner Road for a reported vehicle accident with injuries. Upon arrival, crews found a single vehicle that rolled over with the occupants trapped. Crews utilized stabilization and forcible entry tools to free the occupants from the vehicle. Crews transported one patient with minor injuries to Atrium Medical Center. After securing the roadway of hazards, crews released the scene to Clearcreek PD. Joint Emergency Medical Services and the City of Franklin provided mutual aid assistance.



On 7/21/21 @ 12:33 hours, Crews responded to a residence for a reported non-breather. Upon arrival, crews found the patient in cardiac arrest with Springboro PD performing CPR and attaching the AED. Crews initiated ALS interventions with no change in the patient's condition. Medical control provided a field termination of resuscitation efforts order. Crews contacted the coroner and released the scene to Springboro PD.

On 7/31/21 @ 04:09 hours, Crews responded to West State Route 122 for a reported vehicle accident with injuries. Upon arrival, crews found the patient on the side of the road with an obvious leg fracture. A vehicle struck the patient who was riding a bicycle. Crews stabilized the leg fracture, activated a trauma alert, and transported the patient to Atrium Medical Center.

On 7/24/21 @ 22:47 hours, Crews responded to a residence for a reported gunshot. Crews staged while Springboro PD secured the scene. Upon arrival, crews found the patient DOA. Crews contacted the coroner and released the scene to Springboro PD.

On 7/31/21 @ 22:14 hours, Crews responded to a residence for a reported non-breather. Upon arrival, crews found the patient DOA. Crews contacted the coroner and released the scene to Springboro PD.

# Excellence *via* **TRAINING**

## FIRE & RESCUE TRAINING

Crews completed a Fire Core Competency-based training on Hand-Line Deployments.



Crews began the annual Firefighter Competition. This yearly training is a fun way to emphasize firefighter fitness and competencies with a timed obstacle course. This year's test involves nine stations. Firefighters perform tasks such as climbing an extension ladder, carrying a hose line, carrying two 50-pound dumbbells, dragging a 185-pound manikin, and other core competencies. The unit with the best average times receives a free lunch, and the individual with the best time receives bragging rights.

## EMS TRAINING

Crews completed a competency-based evaluation on Trauma Patient Assessments.

## COMPANY TRAINING

Each Station completed three individual hours of company development.

## PREVENTION TRAINING

Fire Inspectors completed an Ohio Fire Code Review for Means of Egress.

## COMPLIANCE TRAINING

Crews conducted a check of their individual Personal Protective Equipment.

## SPECIAL TRAINING

FF/EMT Nate Waters completed an Ohio Fire Academy online course over code enforcement.

Lieutenant Tim Haggard completed the online courses "Fire Investigation for Fire Officers" and "Fire Investigations for Fire Officers Concentrations."

## OFF-SITE TRAINING

FF/PM Justin Biel attend a virtual National Incident Management System - ICS 300 course.

FF/PM Nate Baldridge Completed the National Fire Academy Self-Study Course entitled Introduction to Strategic Community Risk Reduction.

Lieutenant Levi Sargent and FF/PM Matt Walker conducted new employee orientation and training at Warren County Career Center.



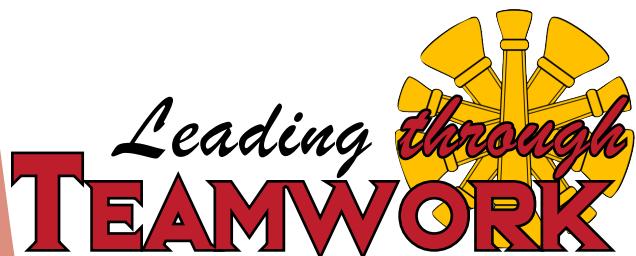


## PREVENTION

On 7/1/21, Lieutenant Carman attended a meeting with the City of Springboro on Bike the Boro.

On 7/4/21, Station 22 crews participated in a Bike Parade in the Laurel Glen Community.

On 7/6/21, Station 21 crews participated in a Pub-Ed event at Ultimate Leadership Martial Arts Academy.



## ADMINISTRATIVE ACTIVITY

A/C Urban met with employees throughout the month to discuss their Professional Development progress.

A/C Urban completed designing new job descriptions for all ranks within the organization.

A/C Urban conducted a Firefighter competition training over several days throughout the month.

From 6/28/21 – 7/9/21, A/C Cox managed the two-week recruit academy. Lieutenant Sargent lead the Hands-on Training classes at Warren County Career Center. The academy covered an introduction to all policies and procedures, as well as systems and techniques of the department.

7/1/21  
Chief Agenbroad and Assistant Chief Simpson attended the Warren County Fire Chiefs' Association meeting.

7/6/21  
Chief Agenbroad conducted virtual quarterly shift meetings from 7/6/21 - 7/8/21.

7/12/21  
Chief Agenbroad attended the annual Ohio Fire Chiefs' Association Conference from 7/12/21 - 7/16/21.

On 7/17/21, Station 21 crews participated in a Pub-Ed event on Spinney Drive in Woodgrove Community.

On 7/23/21, Station 22 crews participated in a Pub-Ed event at Coffman YMCA.

## PLANS REVIEW

Lieutenant Carman reviewed the following plans during July 2021:

1. General Kitchen Renovation, 85 West Central Avenue (Latin Arepas & Tropical Smoothies)
2. General Fire Alarm, 189 Old Pond Road

## INSPECTION ACTIVITY

On 7/27/21, Lieutenant Carman conducted a Hydrostatic Testing at 243 West Central Avenue (Kettering Sure Care).

7/13/21

A/C Simpson attended a virtual meeting relating to the 2021 Southwest Ohio Fire Benchmarking project.

7/21/21

Lieutenant Scott visited Middletown Fire to review dash cameras for use in our new staff-vehicles.

Chief Agenbroad and A/C Cox met with KZF Architecture to review Station 21 concept drawings. This meeting shared potential concepts for Station 21 to determine if remodeling is possible. KFZ will use this information in preparing more concepts.

7/26/21

Department Chiefs and Captain Buehler met to discuss the current state of the department and continued growth.

7/27/21

Chief Agenbroad, A/C Simpson, A/C Urban, Captain Buehler, and Lieutenant Henry attended a Miami Valley South Hospital facility update presentation/tour concerning trauma care and interventional cardiology capabilities.

7/28/21

Chief Agenbroad attended the International Association of Fire Chiefs' Fire Rescue International Conference in Charlotte, NC from 7/28/21 - 7/30/21.



### Station 21

925 South Main Street  
Springboro, OH 45066

### Station 22

346 East Lytle Five Points Road  
Springboro, OH 45066

### Station 23

3809 North State Route 48  
Lebanon, OH 45036

