



BRISTOL FIRE DEPARTMENT
181 NORTH MAIN ST.
BRISTOL CT

OFFICE OF THE FIRE CHIEF
RICHARD HART
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Fire Chief's May Monthly Report

May 25, 2023

To the Honorable Fire Commissioners;

The month of May saw the BFD respond to 255 calls for service. There were 7 residential structure fires, 8 total structure fires (\$134,000 est. property loss), 1 vehicle fire, 88 EMS, extrication/rescue, and 40 false alarms.

Mutual Aid: 1 given

Personnel:

PFF Ogonowski graduated from the CFA and is assigned to Engine 1 D shift

Employee recognition: none

Correspondence:

Thank you card from Terry Auclair for a birthday drive by for her 97th birthday

Apparatus/equipment:

Eng. 8 (formally Eng. 5) had \$8,200 of repairs completed

New Stair mill ordered and received for Headquarters from Cigna Health and Wellness Grant.

New Tahoe reserved from Blasius Chevrolet (\$46,000)

New battery powered hand tools received for Tower 1 (\$3018)

New Rapid Attack Monitors (RAM) placed in service

New rope equipment (hardware and software) ordered for Tower 1 (\$5,200)

New emergency escape packs ordered for Tower 1 (\$7,500)



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140 Smoke/CO detectors received

New EV shutoff tool received for Fire 2 (\$950)

Stations and Facilities:

Electrical issues at Station 2 fixed, generator changeover to occur the week of June 12th.

Meetings and Public Functions:

Station 3 project moving forward, bid for Commissioning agent out

Met with the Career Chiefs Association to discuss issues facing the Fire Service in Connecticut.

Miscellaneous:

BOF transfer request of \$50,000 from commodities to public utilities, motor fuels, and natural gas accounts approved.

Received a \$1,000 grant from Thomaston Savings Bank for the purchase of a new combustible gas meter. Thank you note was sent.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Richard Hart".

Richard Hart

Fire Chief

	NUMBER OF CIVILIAN FIRE CA	
	NUMBER OF FIRES	DEATHS
Private Dwellings (1 or 2 family), Including mobile homes	5	0
Apartments (3 or more families)	2	0
Hotels and Motels	0	0
All Other Residential (dormitories, boarding houses, tents, etc.)	0	0
TOTAL RESIDENTIAL FIRES	7	0
Public Assembly (church, restaurant, clubs, etc.)	0	0
Schools And Colleges	1	0
Health Care And Penal Institutions (hospitals, nursing homes, prisons, etc.)	0	0
Stores And Offices	0	0
Industry, Utility, Defense, Laboratories, Manufacturing	0	0
Storage In Structures (barns, vehicle storage garages, general storage, etc.)	0	0
Other Structures (outbuildings, bridges, etc.)	0	0
TOTALS FOR STRUCTURE FIRES	8	0
Fires In Highway Vehicles (autos, trucks, buses, etc.)	2	0
Fires In Other Vehicles (planes, trains, ships, construction or farm vehicles, etc.)	0	0
Fires outside of Structures with Value involved, but Not Vehicles (outside storage, crops, timber, etc.)	3	0
Fires in Brush, Grass, Wildland (excluding crops and timber), with no value involved	3	0
Fires in Rubbish, Including Dumpsters (outside of structures), with no value involved	0	0
All Other Fires	1	0
TOTALS FOR FIRES	17	0
Rescue, Emergency Medical Responses (ambulance, EMS, rescue)	88	
False Alarm Responses (malicious or unintentional false calls, malfunctions, bomb scares)	40	
Mutual Aid Responses Given	1	
Hazardous Materials Responses	9	
Other Hazardous Responses (arcing wires, bomb removal, power line down, etc.)	25	
All Other Responses (smoke scares, lock-outs, animal rescue, etc.)	75	
TOTAL FOR ALL INCIDENTS	255	
		NUMBER OF
	NUMBER OF	NONCONFINED
	CONFINED FIRES	FIRES
Residential Fires	3	3
Structure Fires	1	0

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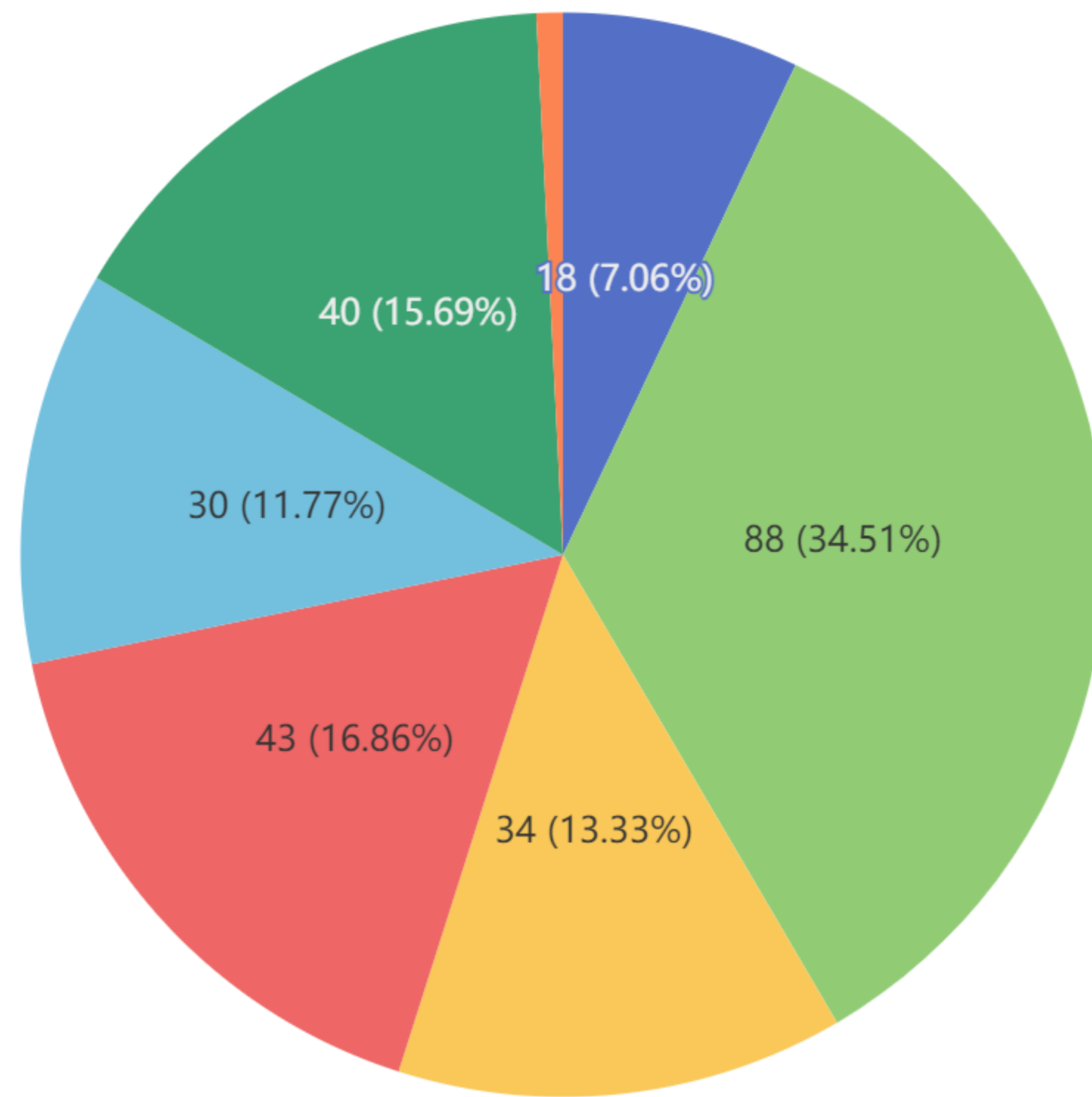
TYPE OF FALSE ALARM	NUMBER O
Malicious, Mischievous False Call	1
System Malfunction	7
Unintentional (tripping on interior device accidentally, etc.)	20
Other False Alarms (bomb scares, etc.)	12

PSAP CALL DATE/TIME	INCIDENT NUMBER	ADDRESS	ACTUAL INCIDENT TYF
5/30/2023 23:40	BFD-2023-0001311	70 GAYLORD ST	735 - Alarm system so
5/28/2023 22:15	BFD-2023-0001295	38 LINCOLN ST	733 - Smoke detector
5/27/2023 23:55	BFD-2023-0001287	572 BROOK ST	733 - Smoke detector
5/25/2023 16:56	BFD-2023-0001262	123 NELSON FARM RD	733 - Smoke detector
5/19/2023 10:35	BFD-2023-0001203	339 DIVINITY ST	733 - Smoke detector
5/15/2023 19:31	BFD-2023-0001167	47 COMMERCE DR	735 - Alarm system so
5/12/2023 22:55	BFD-2023-0001140	283 PARK ST	733 - Smoke detector
5/10/2023 10:16	BFD-2023-0001115	470 BREWSTER RD	735 - Alarm system so
5/3/2023 8:35	BFD-2023-0001052	47 COMMERCE DR	735 - Alarm system so
5/2/2023 10:38	BFD-2023-0001044	1019 FARMINGTON AVE	733 - Smoke detector

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Total (255)



- 1 - Fire
- 3 - Rescue & Emergency Medical Service Incident
- 4 - Hazardous Condition (No Fire)
- 5 - Service Call
- 6 - Good Intent Call
- 7 - False Alarm & False Call
- 8 - Severe Weather & Natural Disaster



Proposed New Fire Station No. 3

Bristol, CT
SPACE PROGRAM

6/8/2023 Meeting : Issued 6/12/2023

SPACE COMPONENT	PROPOSED SQUARE FOOTAGE			CONCEPT 1			Net Change	Comments
	No.	Area NSF	Total NSF	No.	Area NSF	Total NSF		
MAIN LEVEL								
Apparatus Bays	3	1100	3,300				-3,300	Single depth - drive through 18' x 60' bays (14'x14' bi-fold doors preferred) trench drains, plymo-vent, 18' ceiling, electricity/air/water to (3) w/ individual wall shut offs, slop sink, ceiling fans, epoxy floors - Ladder (40' - 2")
Gear Locker Area	1	300	300				-300	28 lockers required (24" wide) - separate room - dedicated exhaust - gear grid open lockers
Lobby/Entrance1	1	200	200				-200	
Watch Room	1	220	220				-220	2 desks w/ counters - equipment incl. radio bank - apparatus and exterior views
SCBA	1	150	150				-150	compressor
Work Room / Storage	1	150	150				-150	work bench
Gear Wash Room	1	150	150				-150	commercial gear washer/dryer - adj. to gear locker/apparatus
Decon Room	1	100	100				-100	adj. to gear/wash room
Storage - Consumables & Equipment	1	500	500				-500	double doors
ADA Toilet Room	1	80	80				-80	watercloset & lav. (no shower)
Janitors Closet/Storage	2	40	80				-80	
Electrical Room	1	100	100				-100	
Sprinkler Room	1	100	100				-100	
Boiler/Water Heater Room	1	160	160				-160	
Private Bunk Rooms	8	140	1,120				-1,120	24" x 24" lockers - (4) per bunk - counter/desk area - 2 access corridors to apparatus
Private toilet/shower room (unisex)	4	100	400				-400	adjacent to bunk rooms - toilet/lav/shower
Residential washer/dryer	1	75	75				-75	adjacent to bunk rooms
Dayroom/Dining	1	450	450				-450	fits 8 - (8) recliners - table for 8
Semi-Commercial Kitchen	1	350	350				-350	hood, 6 burner + grill, commercial dishw.,micro., 2 pot sink w/ garbage disposal (2) Ref (1) Frz, pot filler above stove - (4) food lockers (12 x 12) - stainless counters - prep table, single sink (handwash), ice maker standard height counters (36"), coffee maker dedicated water line
Exercise Room	1	750	750				-750	room for (8) to work out - 10' ceiling minimum, athletic flooring
General Notes								House PA and station alerting system, epoxy flooring throughout
Total Net square footage (Program)			8,735			0	-8,735	
30% Circulation/Building Structure			2,621			0		
Total Building Gross Area			11,356			0		