



# BELLA VISTA FIRE DEPARTMENT

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**Subject:** April 2016 Activity Report

<b>Month and Year</b>	<b>April 2016</b>	<b>YTD 2016</b>	<b>YTD 2015</b>	<b>YTD 2014</b>	<b>YTD 2013</b>
<b>Total Emergency Calls</b>	<b>272</b>	<b>1351</b>	<b>1397</b>	<b>1005</b>	<b>1003</b>
<b>Total Fire Responses</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>256</b>
<b>1. Fire</b>	12	41	34	51	38
<b>2. Overpressure/Rupture</b>	0	0	1	0	0
<b>3. Rescue &amp; EMS</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>1048</b>	<b>1097</b>	<b>701</b>	<b>747</b>
<b>Station #1</b>	192	720	683	428	441
<b>Station #2</b>	0	187	230	145	171
<b>Station #3</b>	0	128	160	107	127
<b>Mutual Aid</b>	0	13	24	21	8
<b>4. Hazardous Condition</b>	3	12	11	34	21
<b>5. Service Call</b>	44	167	167	140	125
<b>6. Good Intent</b>	15	59	59	57	42
<b>7. False Alarm</b>	6	24	25	21	29
<b>8. Severe Weather</b>	0	0	2	0	0
<b>9. Special incident</b>	0	0	1	1	1

The totals for the Month and Year to Date calls won't match the FireHouse report this month because one of the Fire incidents involved 2 structures, resulting in a use of the same run number twice.



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## Chief Sims and the Department's Activity:

- 3-1: Chief Sims attended the City Staff Meeting.
- 3-2: Chief Sims attending the NWACC Fire Science Advisory Board meeting.
- 3-3: Community Paramedic visit. Chief Sims, Chief Farmer, and Mayor Christie attended a lunch with Ken Miner of Simple Pleasures in regards to Heroes & Hamburgers.
- 3-4: Community Paramedic visit. Battalion Chief Johnson conducted the monthly EMS Meeting. Chief Sims and Wolfgang attended a pyrotechnics class.
- 3-5: Community Paramedic visit.
- 3-7: Community Paramedic visit. HAZ-MAT members met for their monthly training and reviewed HAZMAT IQ.
- 3-9: Chief Sims attended the Public Safety Meeting.
- 3-10: Community Paramedic visit.
- 3-11: Captain Osburn taught a CPR class for POA staff members.
- 3-15: Chief Sims attended the City Staff Meeting.
- 3-16: The Water Rescue team met for their monthly training.
- 3-17: Chief Sims attended a critique at the University of Arkansas to review the EAP for the Bentonville soccer fields.
- 3-18: Chief Sims conducted the monthly Officer's Meeting. Chief Sims and Farmer attended a meeting with the POA in regards to the firework celebration.
- 3-18—20: Members Holt, Morgan, and Kobylinski attended Swift Water I in Ozark, on the Mulberry.
- 3-21: Chief Sims and Wolfgang met with Mark Clinard to discuss the emblem for Station 4.
- 3-22: Chief Sims met with Xyta Lucas at the old water tower to discuss helping with a control burn.
- 3-26: Community Paramedic visit.
- 3-28: Chief Sims met with Ken Miner at City Hall to discuss Heroes & Hamburgers.
- 3-29: Inspector Bowman performed a Rental and FireWise Inspection at 20 McKenzie Drive. Chief Sims attended the City Staff Meeting.
- 3-30: The Rotary Club had an evening social at the Fire Department to get a tour and do Q & A.
- 3-31: Battalion Chief Johnson conducted the monthly run report QA Meeting.



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## Fires & Mutual Aid:

- 3-1: Outside trash fire at 19 Eaton Circle.
- 3-3: Wildland fire on Dogwood Drive.
- 3-7: Building fire at 14 Little Drive.
- 3-15: Cooking fire at 2 Sugar Creek Center.
- 3-16: Natural vegetation fire on Lower Dogwood by the creek.
- 3-22: Building fire at 38 Nantucket Drive.
- 3-23: Bentonville Ambulance and Engine covered Station 1.
- 3-25: Flue fire at 1 Ponton Circle.
- 3-30: EMS mutual aid given to Freeman Ambulance Service.
- There were 6 brush fires throughout the month.

## Station Coverage:

- Station 1 called for coverage **33 times** in the month of March, meaning that there were **too few or no personnel to cover the main fire station or the city.**

## Fire Inspection Activity of Inspector Gary Bowman:

- General Fire Inspections—47
- Follow up Inspections —2
- Plan Reviews —3
- Alarm Plan Reviews — 1
- New Construction Site visits — 4
- Vent Hood Tests — 0
- Sprinkler Inspections — 0
- Alarm Inspections — 1
- Safety Meetings— 0
- Hydrant checks — 8
- Water Dept. Meetings —0
- Alarm Meetings— 1
- Fire Drills — 0
- Meetings with contractors and architects — 2
- Knox Box— 0
- Training classes — 1
- Fire Wise Inspection — 1
- Home Inspection — 0
- Rental Inspection — 1

**Violations Noted to Date: 2110**

**Confirmed Violations Corrected: 1751**