



BELLA VISTA FIRE DEPARTMENT

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Date: June 2, 2016

Subject: May 2016 Activity Report

Month and Year	May 2016	YTD 2016	YTD 2015	YTD 2014	YTD 2013
Total Emergency Calls	300	1651	1693	1287	1250
Total Fire Responses	77	380	375	389	313
1. Fire	3	44	45	58	44
2. Overpressure/Rupture	0	0	0	0	0
3. Rescue & EMS	223	1271	1318	898	937
Station #1	128	771	819	553	565
Station #2	50	283	289	188	208
Station #3	38	192	186	130	155
Mutual Aid	7	25	24	27	9
4. Hazardous Condition	5	17	19	38	31
5. Service Call	35	202	206	189	150
6. Good Intent	19	78	70	74	50
7. False Alarm	14	38	35	28	36
8. Severe Weather	1	1	0	1	1
9. Special incident	0	0	0	1	1



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Chief Sims and the Department's Activity:

- 5-2: Inspector Bowman met with POA Environmental about chemical storage.
- 5-3: Inspector Bowman performed a rental and FireWise inspection at 30 Walter Drive. Chief Sims spoke at the Highlands Methodist Church men's group.
- 5-4: Chief Sims met with IT, Elaine Cox, to discuss computer issues. Captain Earley attended a HAZ-MAT meeting in Springdale.
- 5-5: Inspector Bowman performed a rental and FireWise inspection at 2 Taunton Lane, 7 Sleton Drive, 4 Williamsburg Lane, and 38 Dunsford Drive. Community Paramedic visit.
- 5-6: Chief Sims conducted the monthly EMS meeting. Chief Sims and available members attended FF Davis' Paramedic Graduation at NWACC.
- 5-9: Community Paramedic visit. Chief Sims spoke to the Stephen Ministry at Bella Vista Lutheran Church about who we are as a department and what we do.
- 5-10: Two Community Paramedic visits. Chief Sims attended the City Staff meeting. He also attended the 457 meeting. HAZ-MAT members met for their monthly meeting and trained on explosives.
- 5-11: Chief Sims assisted NWACC in paramedic testing.
- 5-12: Chief Sims and Wolfgang met with Clinard Construction to discuss options for a burn building. Chief Sims and Farmer met with Ken Miner to discuss the Heroes & Hamburgers event.
- 5-13: Inspector Bowman performed a rental and FireWise inspection at 18 Kirkcaldy Drive. Chief Sims assisted with EMT testing at NWACC.
- 5-16: A Gravette Elementary class came for the Truck Naming event and a station tour.
- 5-17: Chief Sims and Wolfgang went bargain shopping for furniture for Station 4.
- 5-18: Community Paramedic visit. Water Rescue Team members participated in static water training on Lake Norwood.
- 5-20: Chief Sims conducted the monthly Officer's meeting.
- 5-19: Members took the ladder truck to Cooper Elementary's Fun & Field Day from 9-2. Chief Sims attended the Metro Chiefs Meeting in Rogers.
- 5-21: Chief Sims gave a presentation over Station 4 to the Presbyterian Church of Bella Vista.
- 5-24: Chief Sims, Wolfgang, Mayor Christie and Marshal Watson had a meeting with Cencom to discuss using them as an option for dispatching. Battalion Chief Hamilton and Captain Earley taught fire extinguisher training to Concordia Independent Living residents. Chief Sims attended the City Staff meeting.



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- 5-25: Community Paramedic visit.
- 5-26: Inspector Bowman performed a rental and FireWise inspection at 64 Buckingham Drive. B-shift members took a fire truck to Little Sprouts Preschool and spoke about fire safety. Battalion Chief Johnson conducted the monthly run report QA meeting.
- 5-30: B-shift members took an ambulance for standby at the Bella Vista Cemetery Memorial Garden for the American Legion.

Fires & Mutual Aid:

- 5-9: EMS mutual aid given to White Rock Fire Department.
- 5-11: Building fire at 44 Merritt Drive.
- 5-14: EMS mutual aid given to Freeman Ambulance Service.
- 5-14: Bentonville ambulance covered Station 1 for over an hour.
- 5-20: Chimney/Flue fire at 3 Hanley Circle.
- 5-25: Building fire at 2 Elmdon Lane.

Station Coverage:

- Station 1 called for coverage **24 times** in the month of May, 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—32
- Follow up Inspections –0
- Plan Reviews –5
- Alarm Plan Reviews – 1
- New Construction Site visits – 8
- Vent Hood Tests – 0
- Sprinkler Inspections – 2
- Alarm Inspections – 1
- Safety Meetings— 0
- Hydrant checks – 0
- Water Dept. Meetings –0
- Alarm Meetings— 1
- Fire Drills – 1
- Meetings with contractors and architects – 4
- Knox Box— 5
- Training classes – 4
- Fire Wise Inspection – 7
- Home Inspection – 0
- Rental Inspection – 7

Violations Noted to Date: 2170

Confirmed Violations Corrected: 1751