



BELLA VISTA FIRE DEPARTMENT

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Date: Sept. 14, 2017

Subject: Aug. 2017 Activity Report

Month and Year	Aug. 2017	YTD 2017	YTD 2016	YTD 2015	YTD 2014
Total Emergency Calls	247	2194	2412	2780	2085
Total Fire Responses	50	537	577	688	604
1. Fire	7	68	67	67	73
2. Overpressure/Rupture	0	2	0	3	1
3. Rescue & EMS	197	1657	1835	2092	1481
District #1	77	670	1055	1355	916
Station #2	44	382	392	426	321
Station #3	21	148	251	268	206
Station #4	52	429	93	0	0
Mutual Aid	3	28	44	43	38
4. Hazardous Condition	3	43	22	32	56
5. Service Call	23	295	302	373	298
6. Good Intent	8	107	114	127	114
7. False Alarm	9	52	70	78	55
8. Severe Weather	0	9	2	5	5
9. Special incident	0	1	0	3	2



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Chief Sims and the Department's Activity:

- 8-2: Chief Sims, Chief Graves and Admin. Assist. Marla Bennett met with Ken Miner to discuss Heroes and Hamburgers.
- 8-2 & 8-3: Captain Leon Lieutard, EMS Coordinator and Assist. EMS Coordinator William Coker attended The Arkansas EMT Association Conference in Hot Springs, AR.
- 8-3: Chief Sims met with Lou Kaufman and discussed Bella Vista United Men's annual Presentation/Awards Meeting on Oct. 11, 2017.
- 8-9: Chief Sims, and Chief Graves toured Simple Pleasures facility.
- 8-17: Chief Sims attended Metro Chiefs Meeting
- 8-21: Chief Sims attended Special Council Meeting, and work session.
- 8-23: Retirement Lunch was held for John Cottingham- 13yrs of service.
- 8-26: C-Shift provided a fire truck and ambulance for Champion on Wheels benefiting NWA Women's Shelter.
- 8-30: Chief Sims met with Richard Stewart of First United Methodist Church of Bella Vista, and discussed the churches role in future disaster relief.

Fires & Mutual Aid:

- 8-4: Building fire at 30 Dalton Dr., Bella Vista AR.
- 8-5: Building fire at Suits US Dr., Bella Vista, AR
- 8-6: Building fire at 19 Neffwood Ln., Bella Vista, AR.
- 8-6: Mutual Aid given PRFD Pea Ridge Fire Department by Station 2- DOA/coroner to transport.
- 8-9: Grass fire at 1 St. Bernard Lane, Bella Vista, AR.
- 8-9: Camper or recreational vehicle (RV) fire at 103 Town Center, Bella Vista, AR.
- 8-22: Mutual Aid given to Gravette Fire Department- Station 4 dropped off patient at Ozark Community Hospital of Gravette.
- 8-27: Fire, Other at 4 Skye Ln., Bella Vista, AR.
- 8-30: Dumpster of other outside trash receptacle fire at 1794 Forrest Hills Blvd, Bella Vista, AR.
- 8-31: Mutual Aid given to Pea Ridge Fire Department- Station 2 dropped off a patient at Northwest Medical Center in Bentonville, AR.



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Station Coverage:

- Station 1 called for coverage **14 times** in the month of July, meaning that there were **too few or no personnel to cover the main fire station or the city.**
- Bentonville Fire Department provided coverage for fire station #1 twice in the month of August due to not enough Bella Vista Fire personnel for coverage.

Fire Inspection Activity of Inspector Gary Bowman:

- General Fire Inspections– 8
- Follow up Inspections –2
- Plan Reviews –3
- Alarm Plan Reviews – 1
- New Construction Site visits – 6
- Vent Hood Tests – 0
- Sprinkler Inspections – 0
- Alarm Inspections – 1
- Safety Meetings– 1
- Hydrant checks – 4
- Water Dept. Meetings –0
- Alarm Meetings– 0
- Fire Drills – 0
- Meetings with contractors and architects – 4
- Knox Box– 5
- Training classes – 0
- Fire Wise Inspection – 3
- Home Inspection – 0
- Rental Inspection – 3
- Rental Recheck Inspection – 2

Violations Noted to Date: 2450

Confirmed Violations Corrected: 1785

FireWise, Home, and Rental Inspections

- 8-8: Rental and Firewise Inspection at 5 Aust Circle, 19 Skye Dr., & 8 Cambria Ln., Bella Vista, AR.
- 8-31: Inspection at 5 Aust Circle, and 20 Winsford Ln., Bella Vista, AR.
- Control burn at 9276 Suite US Dr., Bella Vista, AR.