



The Hydrant

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OUR MISSION

The mission of the Millington Fire Department is the protection of life and property from the adverse effects of fires, medical emergencies or exposure to dangerous conditions through fire suppression, rescue, disaster preparedness, fire prevention and community education.

The members of this department, working together, will provide a professional and caring environment that is fair, honest, and ethical and that treats all individuals with respect and dignity.

DEPARTMENT UPDATES

Department evaluations have been completed and turned into City Hall.

A new AED has been put on E335.

Ground breaking has been done for the resiliency grant.

The department celebrated Christmas with their annual Christmas dinner for each shift.

The City COVID policy has been updated.

CALLS OF SERVICE

TRAINING

Incident Type		Training type	Hours
Fire	8	EMS	0
Overpressure Rupture	1	Driver/pump operations	3
Rescue/EMS	125	Extrication	0
Hazardous Conditions	2	Fire Suppression	28
Service Calls	21	Haz-mat	0
Good Intent	21	Safety	30.5
False Alarm/Call	13	Special Operations	3
Severe Weather/Disaster	0	Other	4
Special	0	Supervisory	0
Totals:	191	Totals:	68.50

Community Involvement

- The Department participated in the annual Christmas parade and tree lighting event.
- The Department installed 4 smoke detector this month.
- Upon Request the Department is willing to give tours and provide fire prevention materials to individuals within the city limits of Millington. Please contact our administration office to schedule an appointment.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Fire Admin will be closed on 12/31 in observance of New Years.



WINTER FIRE FACTS

Nearly half (46.8%) of all fatal fires occur between November and February.

January leads all other months in residential fires, heating fires and fatal fires.

When the temperature drops below 32 degrees, Tennesseans are 40% more likely to have a home fire than if it were above 32 degrees.

Heating equipment is the leading cause of home fire deaths nationally and the second leading known cause in Tennessee.



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Firefighter Quiz

GPS

- 1. What is the GPS format that we commonly use?**
- 2. What is the best site accuracy we can expect from an average GPS receiver?**
- 3. How long can it take a receiver to fully orient that has been off for a long time?**

UPCOMING JANUARY EMPLOYEE ANNIVERSARIES	UPCOMING JANUARY EMPLOYEE BIRTHDAYS
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