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# FIRE DEPARTMENT UPDATE: March 2024

## ***Emergency Response***

- Please see the attached ESO Report

## ***Community Relations***

- Crews responded for EMS transport in Gunlock for the Rock Sand Bike Event (3/9)
- Planning for PGA with John Coolbaugh (3/12) & Heritage Days is in process
- Crews provided EMS standby coverage for TrueGrit & PBR at Tuacahn (3/28&3/29)
- Crews participated in several interviews regarding the Rube Franke case with ABC News & KSU2
- Ivins CERT Prevention/Earthquake Class Ivins City Hall *April 11th, 7 PM*
- Ivins great shakeout CERT drill is set for *April 18th, 6 PM (Center Street Station)*
- Crews will be participating in the Vista School Carnival on *April 20th, 5 PM*
- Personnel will be participating in the Ivins public safety talk-about on *April 24th at 7 PM (Rocky Vista University)*

## ***Administration***

- Monthly fire chiefs meeting at Washington City fire – VHF radio site repairs 230k (3/25)
- City Managers and elected officials participated in Public safety planning discussions
- Gold Cross EMS billing is implemented & effective (3/22)
- EMS Director Moore in submitting for FRG grant 6k, (3/28)
- 3k in wildland revenues received from STG (3/12)
- Consideration for new "Streamline Inspection" software 3k per year (3/5)

## ***Risk Reduction (Fire Prevention)***

- March 5th & 6th Chief Fulde, Parker & Capt. Youngberg inspected Tuacahn Theater production and stage area
- Crews burned several tamarisk piles in Kayenta for the DPI (3/7&3/13)
- Annual hydrant inspection will begin April 3rd,10th,24th
- Prevention Inspections: BD Golf Village E, BD Family Village J, BD Building D Level 3, BD Standpipe Building A/B/D, Jersey Mikes, Orange Peel, Old 91 RV Resort, Palisades Gates, Reserve Sprinkler System
- Arson policies being reviewed including the use of force & firearms handling storage (3/25)

***Stations & Vehicles***

- Radios were re-programmed in preparation for the UCA upgrades slated for September (3/8)
- Quotes for Center Street dorm partitions are being procured "waiting on contractors" (3/15)
- Center Street BE332 Build Progress Link: https://www.bmefire.com/truck-backlog/3576-santa-clara-ut-ivin-fire-rescues-type-4-aspen/

***Training***

- Mark Youngberg completed the annual UFRA testing instructor training (3/28)

***Personnel Development***

- Firefighter/AEMT Mayhew Completed his 6-month probationary exam (3/12)
- Supervisors completed leadership & management training provided by UTAH Trust at SCCity Hall (3/21)
- Firefighter/Paramedic Moore was elected Dixie ATC EMS chairperson (3/20)
- Firefighter/Paramedics Costello (3/27) & Benoit (4/4) were hired with Dammeon Valley Fire & Hurricane Fire – the recruitment process is in the planning stages with HR for fiscal 25 recruitment pending budget approval

***Volunteer Programs***

- Fire explorers completed fire dynamic training with staff (3/6)

