

# Uxbridge Fire Department



## 2019 Annual Report

Township of Uxbridge  
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Mayor Barton and Members of Council:

It is my pleasure to present you with the 2019 Annual Report of the Uxbridge Fire Department. In 2019, our Fire Department responded to 5% fewer calls than 2018, however, the trend to increasing call volume continued as we were still 13% higher call volume than 2017. The Uxbridge Fire Department continues to evolve as our community grows and the fire prevention and protection requirements change.

One thing that hasn't changed is the Township's reliance on the dedication of our part-time first responders. After twenty-five years of service, Firefighter-Mechanical Officer Glenn Forsythe retired. Acting Captain Andy Moores and Firefighter Scott Evans both left to pursue new adventures after serving with us for more than 13 years each. We salute them for their combined 51 years of service.

Although our call volume was down slightly, there were a number of significant incidents in 2019. In January, the Department was called to search for four snowmobilers who had fallen through the ice on the Zephyr Creek. On a very cold and snowy evening in February, we battled a large house fire on Foster Drive along with our mutual aid partners. Early in March, our staff was engaged for two days in the mitigation of a hazardous materials incident on Parkside Drive. There were three more serious structure fires in March. Between October 19 and December 20 we responded to 5 structure fires and a tank truck fire. These incidents (and more) speak to the importance of having the necessary tools and equipment and preparation through training to respond in a safe and effective manner.

We did not hold a recruitment in 2019, but our 2017 and 2018 recruits continued through their classification exams. Three of our 2018 recruits completed their National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) certification and several of our staff completed additional NFPA certifications as Company Officers, Fire Inspectors, Fire Instructors or Fire and Life Safety Educators. A number of our Department staff as well as other Township staff completed Emergency Management training through the Emergency Management Office of the Province.

We continue to deliver our public education programs in schools and at community events and maintain our presence in local print and on social media and radio. With the addition of a part-time Fire Prevention Officer we have been able to increase our fire inspection activity in commercial and multi-unit residential occupancies. We cited fewer smoke alarm violations in private residences this year than last, but we anticipate our smoke alarm program will be a central focus for many years. We have also had increased demand for pre-consultation and

plans examination as we respond to changes in the built form and planning changes in the Township.

The Township completed the annual Emergency Preparedness compliance requirements again in 2019. The required annual exercise took place April 3. The planned functional deployment exercise of our emergency operation centre for a spring storm flooding event coincided with the real time events in much of central Ontario and the James Bay Region.

We were fortunate to host our neighbours from Brock and Scugog Townships in a fire protection seminar for elected officials and municipal decision makers in October. Council has many challenges as we strive to deliver valued services to our community. We thank Council once again for its' support in 2019.

Best Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Phil Alexander', written in a cursive style.

Phil Alexander  
Fire Chief/CEMC

## ADMINISTRATION DIVISION

The offices of the Uxbridge Fire Department are located at the new Fire Station location at 301 Brock Street West. Business hours for the administration are 08:30 to 16:30, Monday to Friday. From this location, you can obtain fire permits (including oversized), display fireworks permits and guidance on approvals for Special Occasion Liquor Permits and Fire Code compliance. Open Burning Permits and Recreational Fire Permits are also available at the Municipal Offices and Recreational Fire Permits (only) are available at the Zephyr Library branch. In 2019, a total of 1285 burning permits were issued; 11 times during the year charges resulted from incidents involving burning outside the guidelines of the permit or burning with no permit at all. Once a permit has been issued, applicants are required to check the automated permission line each day before burning. There were no bans placed on burning in 2019.

## FIRE PERMITS ISSUED

	Oversize	Open Air	Recreational	TOTAL
<b>2019</b>	51	594	640	1285
<b>2018</b>	54	570	659	1283
<b>2017</b>	58	541	577	1176
<b>2016</b>	57	516	515	1088
<b>2015</b>	54	520	451	1025

## NEW INITIATIVES

Following up to the smoke and CO alarm initiatives in the previous year, the numerous home owners and tenants were issued Provincial Offences tickets for neglecting or disabling alarms. Unfortunately, in addition to the disappointment of finding residential occupancies in an unsafe fire condition, valuable department resources were spent pursuing these matters through the legal system



Throughout the spring, we were involved in preparation and planning for the annual municipal emergency exercise required under the Emergency Management and Civil Protection Act, culminating in the drill on April 3.



In May, the Department participated in preliminary discussions with Durham Regional Police, Region of Durham Paramedic Service and the Region of Durham regarding the implementation of “Farm 911 – The Emily Project”. This initiative assigns 911 addresses to farm properties where there are no building addresses associated with the property. Project development continued throughout the year with the Region acting as lead.

In June, the Fire Underwriters provided the results of the survey of municipal fire protection services begun in October 2018. The ratings in most areas showed improvements, largely due to the efforts of staff to deliver impactful training, public education and fire prevention programs. In addition, the modernization of apparatus and the increase of pumping capacity (including a second tanker for rural operations) improved ratings for fire response. Third party testing of safety equipment such as ground ladders, breathing apparatus and fire pumps also validates that the fire service is in a ready state.



For several months the Fire Department, like other municipal departments in many municipalities, was engaged in developing plans to respond to the Provincial guidance regarding the amalgamation of some or all municipal services. In July, staff participated in facilitated workshops focused on managing change. The Provincial review was concluded in October, however, the Department used the opportunity to review current best practices for our current service delivery model.

In October, we hosted our bi-annual Fire Station Open House to coincide with Fire Prevention Week.



In conjunction with Uxbridge Councilors and Senior Staff, representative from Brock and Scugog Townships participated in the “Fire Department Essentials for Municipal Managers” seminar run by the Office of the Fire Marshal and Emergency Management.

## **FIREFIGHTING DIVISION**

In 2019, Uxbridge Fire Department responded to 332 incidents; a decrease of 5% from 2018. Included in the total responses were 9 incidents into the Township of Scugog fire protection agreement area or for Mutual Aid. An additional 46 incidents in Uxbridge Township were attended to in the Fire Protection areas serviced by the Whitchurch-Stouffville and East Gwillimbury Fire Departments.

Eleven (11) structure fires resulted in an estimated fire loss for 2019 of \$1,646,500. There were no fire related injuries recorded in 2019. Further, eight (8) vehicle fires contributed to a loss of \$461,002.

During the course of the year there were 92 motor vehicle incidents of which 3 involved significant patient extrications; the remainder required investigation to contain fluid spills or eliminate fire hazards associated with damaged vehicles. There was one (1) trail rescue incident and one (1) ice/water rescue incident.

In 2019, 267\* Uxbridge incidents recorded the following:

Average personnel on scene:	9 firefighters
Average personnel responding:	17 firefighters
Average turnout time: (includes 9-1-1 call transfer to Oshawa Dispatch then acknowledged by UFD)	3 min 40 sec
Average travel time:	6 min 04 sec
Average response time: (from Dispatch receiving the call to FD arriving on location)	10 min 10 sec

\*Administration and cancelled incidents are not included in the above.

### **Fire Department Responses in Each Electoral Ward**

Ward 1	137**
Ward 2	73**
Ward 3	58
Ward 4	62
Ward 5	36

\*\*includes Whitchurch-Stouffville and East Gwillimbury responses





## Firefighter Appreciation Night – May 11, 2019

Bill Graham – 35 years  
Ken Maynard – 35 years  
Glenn Forsythe – 25 years  
Dave Beare – 15 years

Dan Dawson – 15 years  
Brian Stewart – 15 years  
John Verhoog – 15 years  
Sean Edwards – 10 years

## RETIREMENTS AND RECRUITMENT



First Class Firefighter/Mechanical Officer Glenn Forsythe tendered his resignation in March. Glenn joined the Department March 1994. In addition to his regular duties, Glenn assumed the role of Mechanical Officer in 1999. Glenn's mechanical knowledge and desire to keep current on new technologies has been an important factor in the care and maintenance of our equipment. Glenn earned the Federal Long Service Medal in 2014 and qualified for the Provincial Exemplary Service Medal in 2019.

Acting Captain Andy Moores tendered his resignation in November. Andy joined the Department April 4, 2006, progressing through classification exams and achieving First Class Firefighter in April 2009. In 2011, Andy was promoted to Acting Captain. Andy has been a member of the Joint Occupational Health and Safety Committee, serving as co-chair in 2012. Andy's extensive knowledge of the construction trades is highly regarded both on the fire ground and in the fire station.



Firefighter Scott Evans tendered his resignation in September. Scott also joined the Department April 4, 2006 and was promoted to First Class Firefighter in April 2009. Scott was a qualified pump operator and water rescuer.

In June, we held our recruit graduation for the class of 2018. All successfully completed their probationary exams and were recognized with a ceremony and reception in the fire station. Congratulations Justin Amyotte, Michael Goodyear, Kris Gyivicsan, Ben Smith and Jon Wonch.



## TRAINING DIVISION

The Uxbridge Fire Department is committed to providing high-quality services through persistence in acquiring the most up-to-date technical skills and knowledge in the realm of fire protection.

The Uxbridge Fire Department accomplishes this by providing training to qualify firefighters to perform specific tasks and functions as well as regular ongoing in-service training to maintain those knowledge, skills, and abilities.

### Qualification and Certification

#### Recruit Firefighter Program

The Recruit Firefighter Program is designed to prepare new firefighters to serve the Township of Uxbridge as a front-line suppression firefighter. The training program is based on NFPA 1001 requirements. Firefighters may enter the program with previous certification, or attend the Ontario Fire College (OFC) in Gravenhurst or a Regional Training Centre (RTC) in Norwood to become certified to NFPA 1001 Firefighter Level I and II.

In addition to training in fire suppression and search and rescue, recruits are trained in:

- Auto extrication operations
- Firefighter survival and rapid intervention
- Emergency first aid, CPR, defibrillation and naloxone administration
- Ice/water rescue awareness

Following completion on the Recruit Firefighter Program, recruits are classified as Firefighter 4<sup>th</sup> class and participate in annual testing and evaluation, comprised of a written exam, practical exam, and interview.

In 2019 the following activities were conducted under the Recruit Program:

- (5) firefighters were promoted from Firefighter 4<sup>th</sup> Class to Firefighter 3<sup>rd</sup> Class
- (5) firefighters were promoted from Firefighter 3<sup>rd</sup> Class to Firefighter 2<sup>nd</sup> Class
- (1) firefighter was promoted to Acting Captain



*In 2019 all five members of the 2018 recruit class graduated from the Recruit Firefighter Program after successfully completing their Classification Exams and probationary period.*



### Ice/Water Rescue Program

The Ice/Water Rescue Program is designed to train firefighters to respond to emergencies involving bodies of open water and ice. The program is based on NFPA 1006 requirements and teaches standardized tactics using Uxbridge Fire Department equipment and resources.

Following graduation from the Ice/Water Rescue Course, firefighters are qualified to respond as “GO” rescuers and enter into open bodies of water or onto ice for the purposes of conducting a rescue.



*Two Uxbridge Firefighters familiarize with Ice/Water Rescue Immersion Suits in confined water while other firefighters standby to assist them if needed*

In 2019, eight (8) additional firefighters were qualified as GO Rescuers.

### Emergency Vehicle Operator Program

The Emergency Vehicle Operator Program qualifies firefighters to drive Uxbridge Fire Department fire apparatus and operate all fixed onboard equipment, including generators, scene lighting equipment and fire pumps. The program follows NFPA 1002 Driver/Operator recommendations, as well recommendations made by the Ontario Fire Service Health and Safety Advisory Committee under Section 21 of the Occupational Health and Safety Act.

In 2019 the program was revised to reflect recent and future changes to the department’s fleet of apparatus. The program is now divided into four qualification levels:



*Firefighters receive extensive training on the apparatus before they are qualified to drive an apparatus or operate its fixed systems.*

- EVO I – Rescue apparatus. This level qualifies firefighters to drive department apparatus and vehicles under emergency conditions, as well as begin building emergency driving experience on the smallest and lightest emergency vehicles in the fleet.
- EVO II – Pumpers. This level qualifies firefighters to drive the single-rear axle pumpers. It also qualifies firefighters to operate the fire pumps and supply the proper amount and pressure of water to firefighters attacking the fire or defending exposed structures.

- EVO III – Tankers. This level qualifies firefighters to drive mobile water supply apparatus, also known as “tankers.” Tankers are used to provide a reliable source of water at fires in non-hydrant, rural areas of the township. Because of their large water tanks, they are much larger and heavier apparatus, and often operate remotely from the incident under indirect supervision, requiring more experienced drivers with additional training.
- EVO IV – Reserved. This level is reserved for future fleet changes, such as replacing an existing pumper with an elevated device.

The revised Emergency Vehicle Operator Program is rolling out in Quarter 1 2020.

### Ontario Fire College

The Ontario Fire College has adopted the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) professional qualification standards for fire service training in Ontario, and firefighters may attend these courses at the Ontario Fire College (OFC) campus or at Regional Training Centres such as the Eastern Ontario Emergency Training Academy (EOETA). Following successful completion of the course, firefighters may apply for additional testing to qualify for 3<sup>rd</sup> party accreditation and certification.



*The Ontario Fire College is operated by the Government of Ontario and consists of the main campus in Gravenhurst, as well as numerous Regional Training Centres (RTCs) throughout the province.*

In 2019, the Uxbridge Fire Department personnel completed the following training programs, seminars, and certifications.

- NFPA 1072 Hazardous Materials Operations (four personnel)
- NFPA 1021 Fire Officer I (three personnel)
- NFPA 1035 Fire & Life Safety Educator I (two personnel)
- NFPA 1035 Fire & Life Safety Educator II (two personnel)
- NFPA 1041 Instructor I (two personnel)
- NFPA 1041 Instructor II (one personnel)
- Ontario Fire Code Division B Part 4 (one personnel)

## **In-Service Training Sessions**

### Emergency First Responder (EFR) Medical Training

Administered by the Central East Prehospital Care Program, the EFR Program consists of Continuing Medical Education (CME), annual certification in CPR and Semi Automated External Defibrillation, and Quality Assurance. In 2019, the following CME modules were covered:

- Primary and Secondary Assessments
- Head, Spine, and Spinal Cord Injuries
- Triage
- Airway Management
- Altered Mental Status Emergencies
- Automated External Defibrillator (AED) and CPR Recertification

### New Apparatus and Equipment

Two new apparatus entered service in 2019, and all qualified Emergency Vehicle Operators (EVOs) received orientation and qualification on the apparatus. In addition, all remaining staff were qualified on fixed equipment that they would be required to operate.

Tanker 75 represented a significant increase in the water shuttling capabilities of the Uxbridge Fire Department, greatly improving services in the rural area of the township. Firefighters were trained in the operation of the apparatus, and several exercises were conducted to allow the officers to understand how the additional capabilities will affect their decision making during the critical initial minutes of the response to a structure fire.

Rescue 79 is the department's new Rescue apparatus, which allows for an improved response to ice/water rescue incidents, rescues in the Township's trail systems, and emergency incident support functions, such as lighting and a climate controlled environment for assessing and treating firefighters at major incidents.



*Firefighters were trained on Tanker 75 (top) and Rescue 79, both of which were placed into service in 2019.*



### Additional In-service Training

In addition to the above, in-service maintenance training sessions were delivered on the following topics:

- SCBA - inspection and maintenance, emergency air drills, and donning drills
- Public Education Programs
- Rapid Intervention – assessing and packaging downed firefighters
- Firefighter survival – emergency egress, wall breaches, wire entanglements
- Air monitoring
- Fire Protection Systems
- Fire Hose Loads – modified flat preconnect, modified scorpion load
- Rural Water Supply Operations
- Portable Fire Extinguishers
- Structural Fire Search and Rescue Operations
- Relay pumping operations
- Tanker shuttles (joint exercises with Brock FD and Scugog FD)
- Search and rescue exercises (acquired structure)
- Ice/Water Rescue exercise
- Fire Exercise with Markham-Stouffville Hospital (Uxbridge Site)



*Uxbridge firefighters conduct annual Ice/Water rescue training to ensure that they are capable of rescuing residents who may fall into the water or through the ice. In addition, much of our training is conducted at night, under challenging conditions.*



*Firefighters train annually on how to survive a sudden hazardous event on the fireground, including how to breach walls and reach a safe area. How to respond to becoming entangled in wires and bail out of windows was also practiced in 2019.*





*Uxbridge firefighters conducted several rural water supply training sessions with the objective of determining the capabilities of the water supply with the addition of Tanker 75. The training also involved relay pumping operations, master stream operations, advancing attack lines, and conducting tanker shuttles. The training also allowed for joint training with Brock FD, one of Uxbridge's mutual aid partners, improving interoperability.*



*Uxbridge firefighters assessed various locations in the township that can be used for water supplies. Fill sites are revisited periodically to ensure that they are reliable in the event of a fire nearby.*



*The Uxbridge Fire Department trains with many different businesses and organizations within the community. Each year firefighters visit several different locations to familiarize with the building and plan how to respond. In 2019 the department partnered with Markham-Stouffville Hospital to conduct another joint training exercise.*



## **PUBLIC EDUCATION DIVISION**

The Uxbridge Fire Department continues a dedicated approach to Public Fire & Life Safety Education. In 2019 through a variety of programs and events, over 5,000 residents participated in fire and life safety education.

### **OPEN HOUSE**

The 2019 Uxbridge Fire Department Open House was a success. With over 400 residents attending the event, it gave the Department the opportunity to showcase the services provided to the community and promote fire and life safety. Smoke alarm information, fire extinguisher training, truck tours, equipment familiarization and an auto extrication demonstration were some of the many experiences provided to the public.



Face-to-face interaction with residents gave the Department the opportunity to answer questions and concerns regarding fire and life safety.



### **MEDIA CAMPAIGNS**

Utilizing media outlets continued in 2019. Radio interviews were conducted on 105.5 Hits FM delivering important fire and life safety messages. A "Twelve Days of Christmas" campaign was continued for a second year. This Uxbridge Fire Department partnered with the Scugog Fire Department in 2019. Listeners were given a fire safety tip each day which they had to call in and repeat to win a prize. Prizes were supplied by the Fire Marshal's Public Fire Safety Council. Website banners and newspaper articles were published to support all initiatives and messages throughout the year.



## LEARN NOT TO BURN

In 2019, the “Learn Not to Burn” Fire and Life Safety program was delivered in all seven public schools in Uxbridge and was presented to 1,998 students. The program delivers grade specific fire safety learning outcomes from kindergarten to grade 8. A continued emphasis was put on developing and practicing Home Fire Escape Plans. Positive feedback from parents, teachers, and students continues to emphasize how important this program is in the community.

## FIRE PREVENTION WEEK – “NOT EVERY HERO WEARS A CAPE”

This year’s topic for Fire Prevention week was “Not every hero wears a cape. Plan and Practice your Escape”. An added effort was put forward during the week to influence families to develop and practice their home fire escape plans. The Uxbridge Fire Department visited Rona and Canadian Tire through an initiative from the Ontario Association of Fire Chiefs. The OAFCh provided promotional items for children and smoke alarms from First Alert to hand out. A colouring contest was also incorporated in which the winner was given a private station tour and a ride on “Betsy” during the Santa Clause parade.



## STATION TOURS AND PUBLIC EVENTS

In 2019, the Uxbridge Fire Department hosted 5 station tours, coordinated 5 on site truck tours, and attended 8 special events. There is a continued interest in visiting the station. Many additional walk-in tours occur on a monthly basis. These tours and events give staff the chance to deliver fire safety messages as well as the chance to respond to questions or concerns that people have. 2019 was another successful year for community involvement and relations.

Public Education	
Presentations / Public Education	64
Hall Tours	10
Public Displays	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>82</b>

## **FIRE EXTINGUISHER SIMULATOR / ENBRIDGE**

The Uxbridge Fire Department was the recipient of a grant provided by Enbridge to purchase a fire extinguisher simulator. The grant was in the amount of \$12,000 to purchase a Pyrosoft Flare portable fire extinguisher simulator. These simulators have been rented and used in the past to provide extinguisher training to the public. Acquiring the simulator gives the Department the ability to delivery training at future events and education sessions.

## **TAPP-C**

The Uxbridge Fire Department participated in a joint Tapp-C program with Central York Fire and Emergency Services. The program was delivered to a family who had suffered a house fire in Newmarket as a result of an adolescent who was experimenting with fire. The family had moved to Uxbridge and the program was completed in Uxbridge to reduce the risk of future fire setting. Three sessions were completed including two at the family's home and one at the Uxbridge Fire Department.

## **UXBRIDGE FALL FAIR**

The Uxbridge Fire Department made another presence at this year's Fall Fair. Materials were purchased from NFPA to promote fire and life safety. Over 1,000 fire safety promotional items were handed out.

## **FIRE PREVENTION DIVISION**

The Fire Prevention staff continue to address the community fire safety needs as prescribed by the Ontario Fire Marshal and the Ontario Fire Code and these activities are referred to as the first lines of defense in achieving a fire safe community.

The division continues to inspect premises as per our formal inspection schedule. This schedule is broken down into quarterly segments that focus on specific occupancy types and provides consistency to our inspection program.

The Fire Prevention division continues to strive for voluntary compliance by our building owners and occupants to The Ontario Fire Code requirements. If compliance to the Ontario Fire Code is not being met, enforcement options include Notices of Violations, Inspection Orders, ticketing and legal action. The Fire Prevention division is pleased to advise that we were able to achieve 100% Ontario Fire Code compliance in 2019.

The Fire Prevention division, as required by The Fire Marshal's directive 2014-002, conducted its annual comprehensive inspections and evacuation drills of care occupancies, care and treatment occupancies, retirement homes and selected group homes with all reports required to be forwarded to the Office of the Fire Marshal for the government registry.

The department is also responsible to ensure the fire protection and life safety equipment requirements of the Ontario Building Code are complied with, installed and functioning in all new or renovated buildings. To ensure these requirements are addressed the Fire Prevention division attends pre-consultation meetings, inspects the buildings while under construction and conducts a final inspection prior to occupancy.

The Fire Protection and Prevention Act requires the cause of a fire to be investigated. This responsibility is tasked to the Fire Prevention Division. In 2019, the fire department conducted eight major investigations to determine the cause of these fires. After the explosion and fire was extinguished at a residential occupancy in Zephyr, the Fire Prevention Officer assisted the investigator from the Office of the Fire Marshal with their investigation.

In October, the department hired a part-time fire inspector, working an average of one day per week. This inspector was assigned to perform general inspections of routine building and occupancies. In addition this inspector was utilized in the inspection of large complex inspections with the Fire Prevention Officer to assist in the mandatory evacuation drills of the care and treatment occupancies located in the township.

The fire prevention staff continues to focus on the needs of the community to provide assistance to all of our residents and visitors to make our township a fire safe community.

## FIRE PREVENTION

Inspection By Occupancy Type	Number
Assembly	49
Institutional ( including Schools )	28
Residential ( Including multi-unit )	49
Mercantile, Business & Professional Services	172
Industrial	22
Re-Inspections / Follow-up	71
Business License ( Including Chip Trucks)	14
Incident Follow-up	12
Requests / Complaints	18
Occupant Load	12
Customer Service / Consultations	87
<b>Total</b>	<b>524</b>

New Construction & C.O.A	Number
Plan Reviews	25
Committee Of Adjustments	28
New Building Construction Inspections	31
New Building Construction Final Inspections	10
Pre-Construction Meetings	20
<b>Total</b>	<b>114</b>

Other Duties	Number
Oversized Fire Permits / Fireworks Permits ( Inspections )	36
Fire Safety Plan Reviews	47
Fire Drills	21
Burning Complaints	7
Administration Calls ( Carbon Monoxide and Alarms Ringing )	22
Lawyers Request for File Search	9
Fire Investigations	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>149</b>

Enforcement	Number
Part One Tickets Issued	13
<b>Total</b>	<b>13</b>



## MECHANICAL DIVISION

Our Mechanical Officer is responsible for maintaining our equipment in operational condition. In addition to the individual trip-checks that each vehicle movement requires, our staff complete weekly inspections and operational checks on all our apparatus and the individual pieces of equipment that each carries – everything from the main fire pumps to defibrillators. Repairs are completed in-house, in the Township mechanical facility or by external service providers as the situation warrants. All of our fire hose is pressure tested annually in-house. In 2019, our self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA), ground ladders and fire pumps completed annual third-party verification. The apparatus also completed their regular service and maintenance checks, annual commercial vehicle safety inspections and rust proofing treatments.

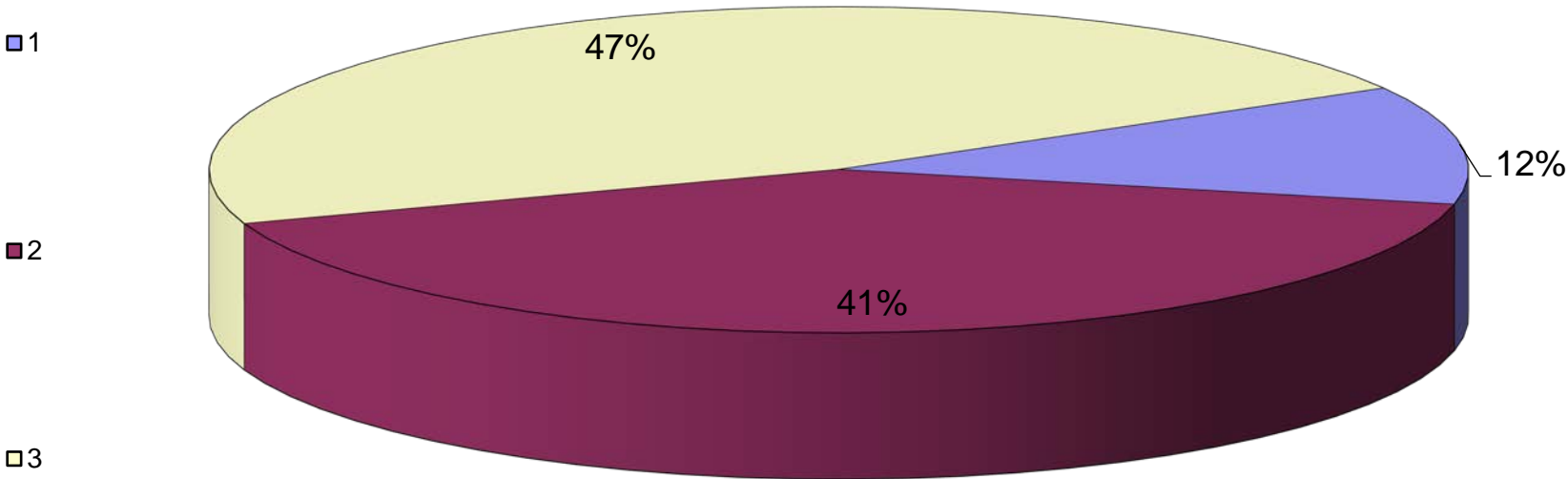
In 2019, we received two new apparatus which were ordered in 2018. In April, we received a new tandem tanker which significantly increased our capacity to deliver water to non-hydrant areas in the Township. This was an addition to the fleet. It is the largest and heaviest apparatus in our fleet and staff undertook additional driver training before it was placed in service. A new rescue truck was received in November to replace our small rescue unit. After years of service, the old unit no longer met our requirements for carrying equipment and staff.

An additional defibrillator and water rescue equipment were also purchased and placed in service.



Tanker 75

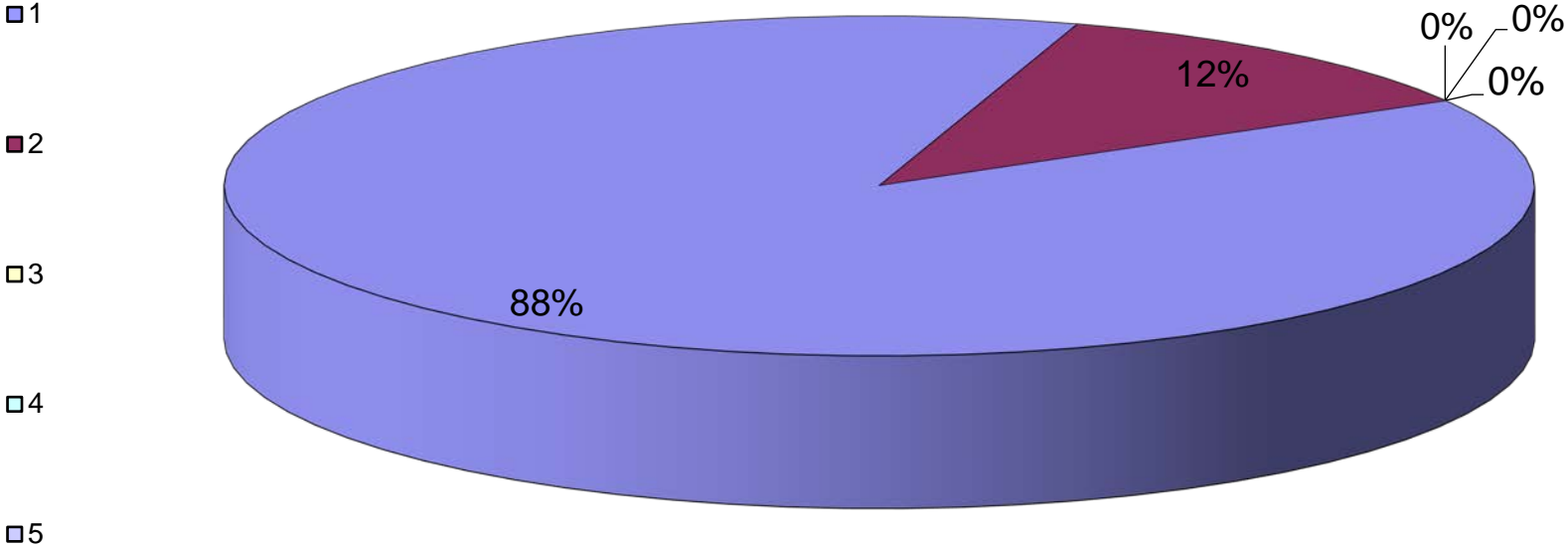
**2019  
EAST GWILLIMBURY EMERGENCY SERVICES  
OCCURRENCE BREAKDOWN BY TIME**



<u>Legend #</u>	<u>TIME PERIODS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
1	#1 00:01 hrs to 08:00 hrs	2
2	#2 08:01 hrs to 16:00 hrs	7
3	#3 16:01 hrs to 00:00 hrs	8

**EAST GWILLIMBURY EMERGENCY SERVICES RESPONDED TO A TOTAL OF 17 CALLS  
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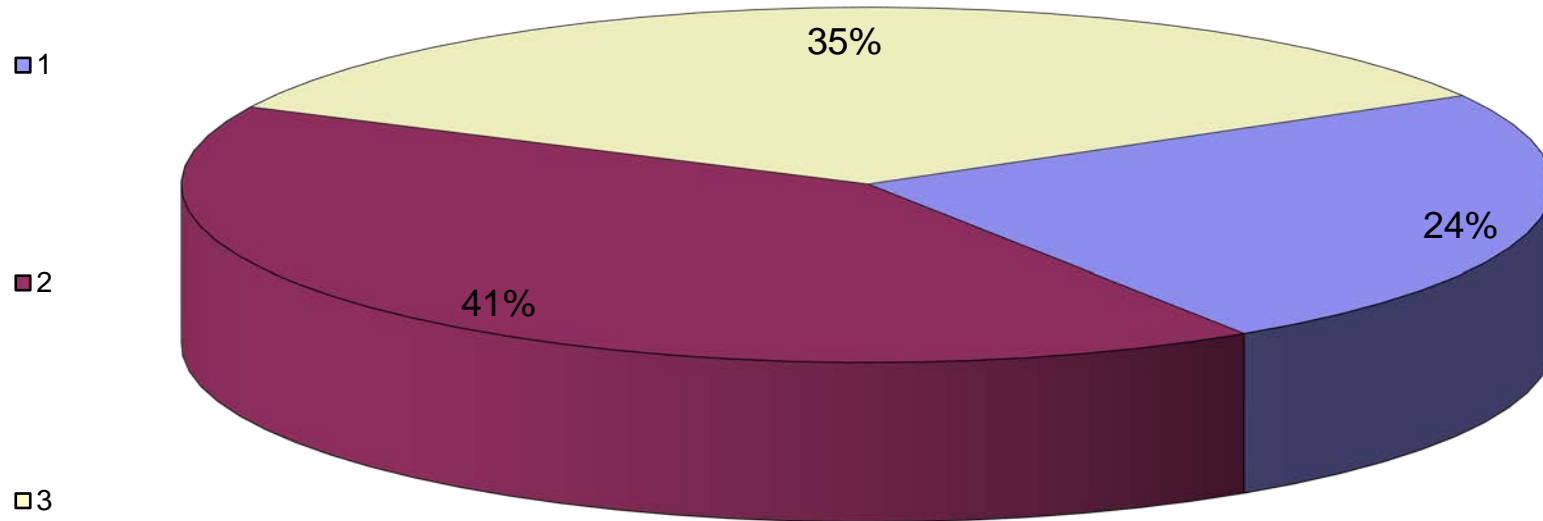
**2019**  
**EAST GWILLIMBURY FIRE DEPARTMENT**  
**OCCURRENCE BREAKDOWN BY TYPE**



<u>Legend #</u>	<u>RESPONSE TYPE</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
1	MVC	15
2	FIRE	2
3	ALARMS	0
4	MEDICAL	0
5	OTHER	0

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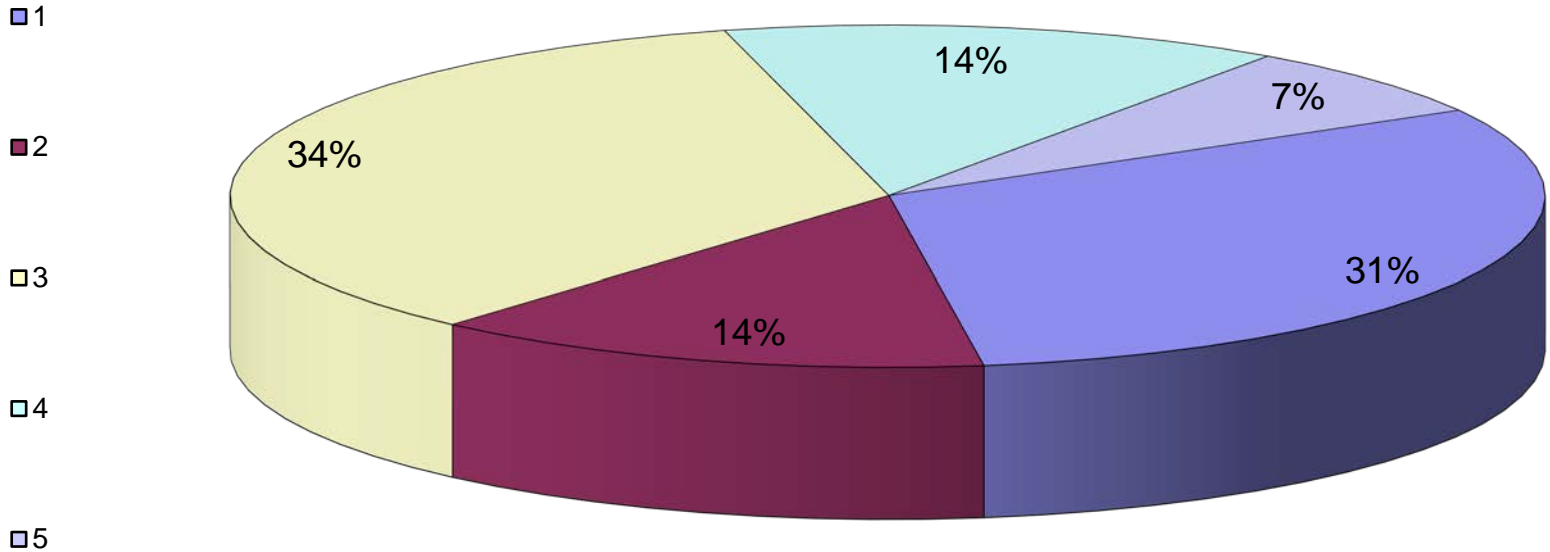
**2019  
WHITCHURCH-STOUFFVILLE FIRE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES  
OCCURRENCE BREAKDOWN BY TIME**



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1	#1 00:01 hrs to 08:00 hrs	7
2	#2 08:01 hrs to 16:00 hrs	12
3	#3 16:01 hrs to 00:00 hrs	10

**WHITCHURCH-STOUFFVILLE FIRE AND EMG SERVICES RESPONDED TO A TOTAL OF 29 CALLS IN UXBRIDGE TOWNSHIP IN 2019**

**2019**  
**WHITCHURCH-STOUFFVILLE FIRE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES**  
**OCCURRENCE BREAKDOWN BY TYPE**

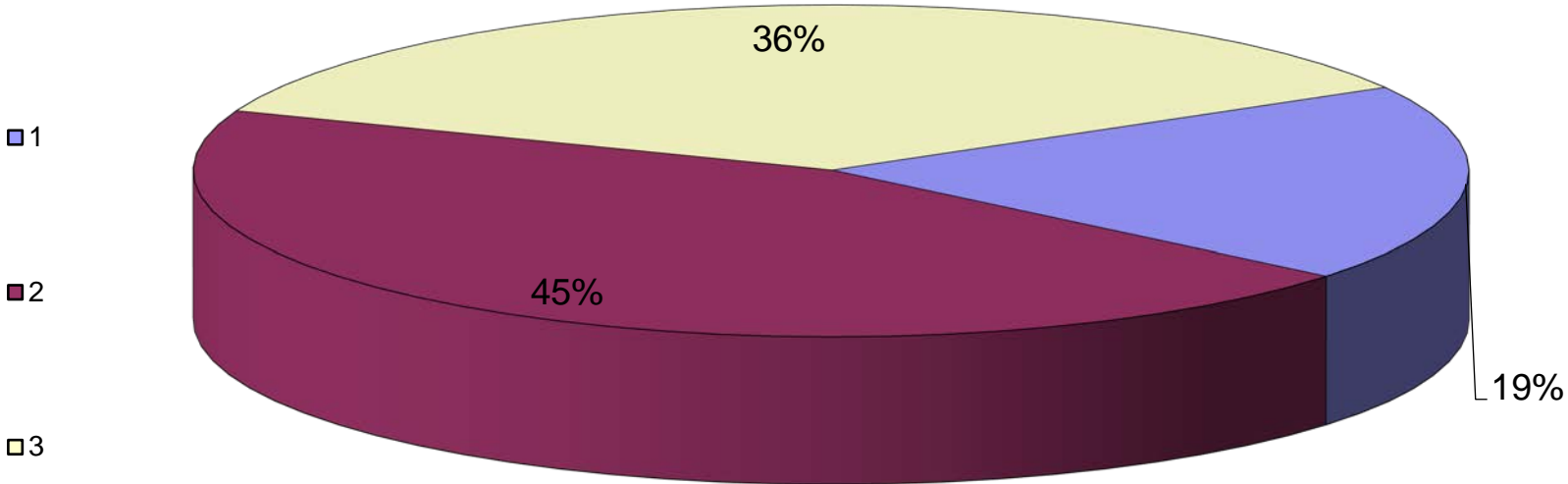


Legend #	<u>RESPONSE TYPE</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
1	MVC	9
2	FIRE	4
3	ALARMS	10
4	MEDICAL	4
5	OTHER	2

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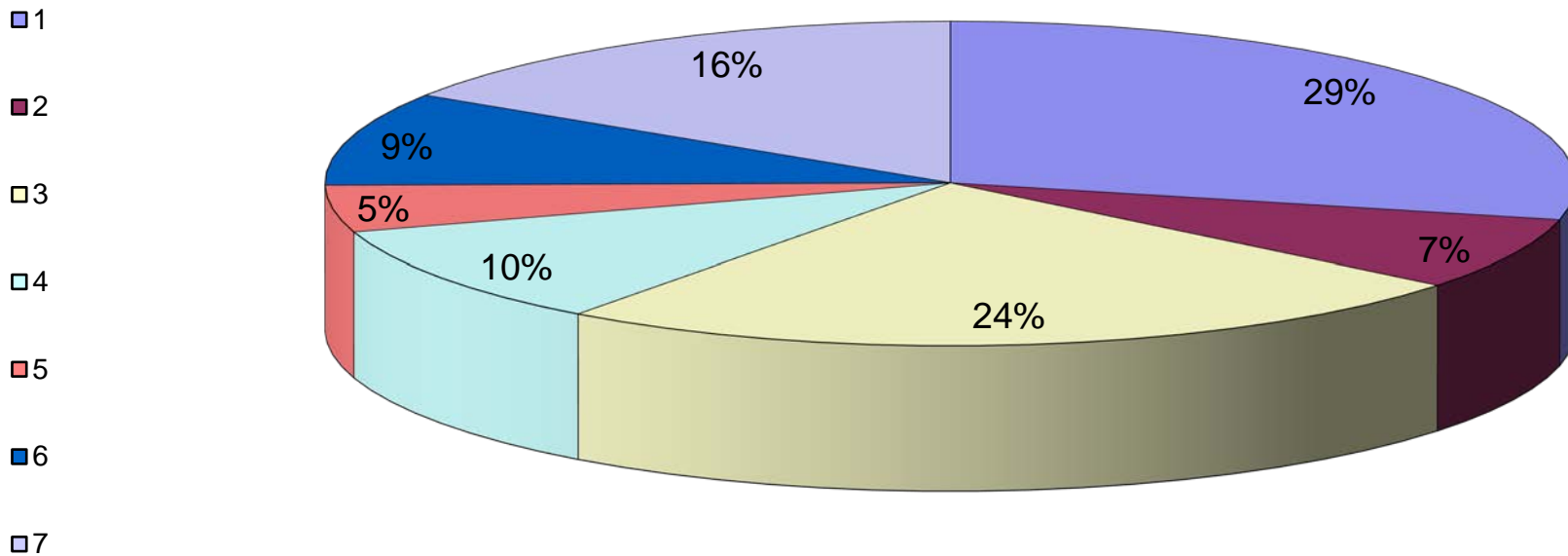
**2019  
UXBRIDGE FIRE DEPARTMENT  
ANNUAL OCCURRENCE BREAKDOWN BY TIME**



<u>Legend #</u>	<u>TIME PERIODS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
1	#1 00:01 hrs to 08:00 hrs	62
2	#2 08:01 hrs to 16:00 hrs	144
3	#3 16:01hrs to 00:00 hrs	115

**UXBRIDGE FIRE DEPARTMENT RESPONDED TO A TOTAL OF 321 CALLS  
IN UXBRIDGE TOWNSHIP IN 2019**

# 2019 UXBRIDGE FIRE DEPARTMENT OCCURRENCE BREAKDOWN BY TYPE

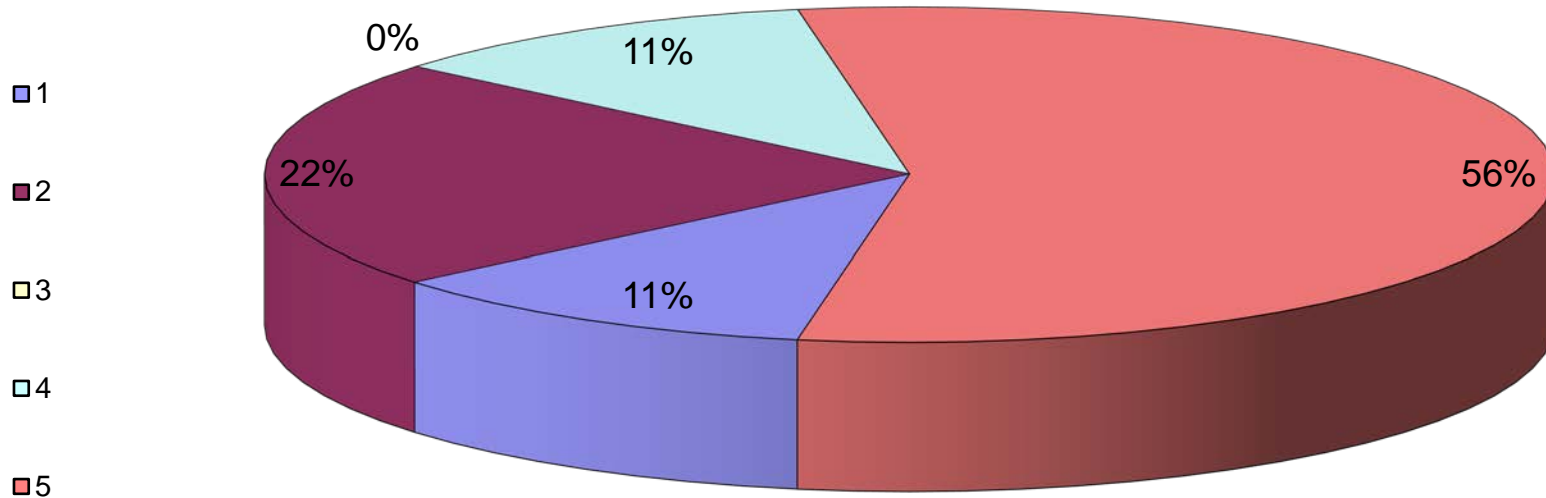


Legend #	RESPONSE TYPE	TOTAL
1	MVC	92
2	FIRE	23
3	ALARMS	78
4	MEDICAL	32
5	PRE-FIRE	15
6	PUBLIC HAZARD	30
7	OTHER*	51

**UXBRIDGE FIRE DEPARTMENT  
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\*OTHER includes: Burning Complaint, Lift Assist  
Public Service, Trail Rescue

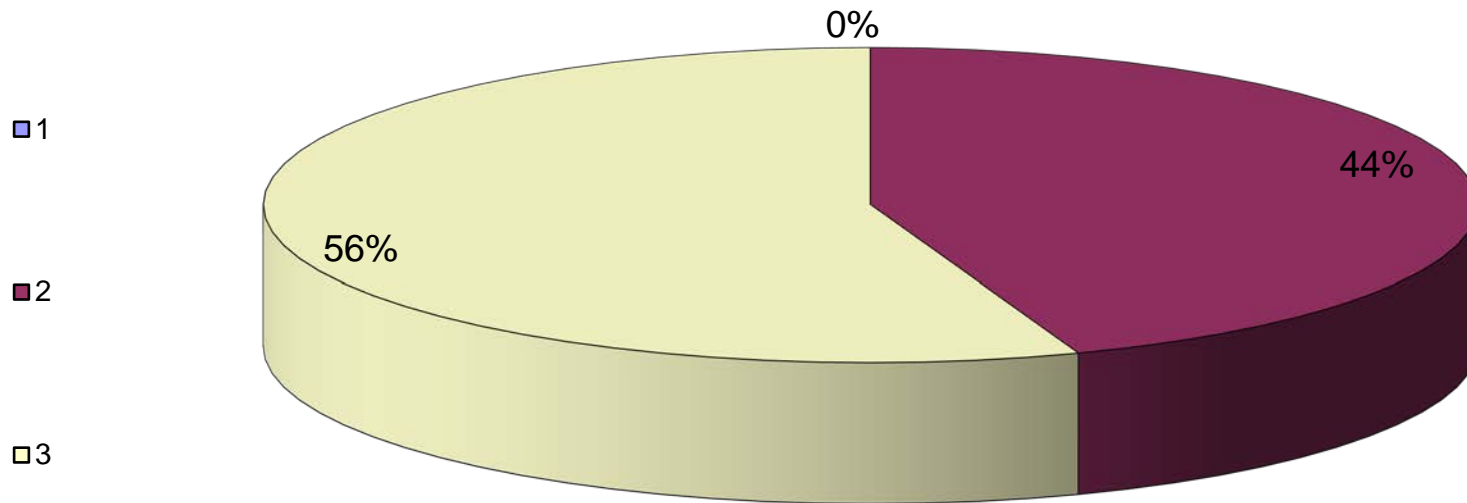
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**ANNUAL OCCURRENCE BREAKDOWN OF RESPONSES BY TYPE**



<u>Legend #</u>	<u>RESPONSE TYPE</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
1	MVC	1
2	FIRE	2
3	ALARMS	0
4	MEDICAL	1
5	OTHER (Mutual Aid)	5

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<u>Legend #</u>	<u>TIME PERIODS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
1	#1 00:01 hrs to 08:00 hrs	0
2	#2 08:01 hrs to 16:00 hrs	4
3	#3 16:01 hrs to 00:00 hrs	5

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