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The monthly report for the month of December 2023, from the Bridgton Fire Department.

Personnel: During the month of December the department did get into the Christmas spirit by decorating the stations, participating in the Festival of Lights parade, and having a Christmas party for our members. The meal was potluck and we had a secret Santa event for those that wished to participate. A great time was had by all!

Apparatus: We have finally received word that our chassis for our mini-pumper (E-2) has arrived from Ford at the apparatus manufacturer. We have again reviewed the final specs and the build number has been created. We expect delivery in the spring of 2024. Going into the winter season, Vehicle Maintenance will again be watching the frame corrosion issue on E-1 very carefully to ensure the vehicle remains safe to operate. A replacement engine will be included in the department CIP requests.

Equipment: Nothing to report

Training: December is usually a light training month with the holidays and all the activities that go along with that. There was one outside training attended by the Chief and Inspector Craig Messenger in Augusta on propane issues and response to propane calls.

Activities: The department did assist the Rec department with traffic control for the annual Festival of Lights parade. We also had what everyone agreed will become our annual FD Christmas potluck party at Central. We have also started planning the Winter Carnival coming up in February. Our year ended with a busy month registering 83 calls for service, with 27 of those occurring during the storm on December 18th. Normally we run a little over 1 call per day on average. During the storm we had 27 calls in a 24 hr period.

Respectfully submitted,

Glen Garland, Fire Chief

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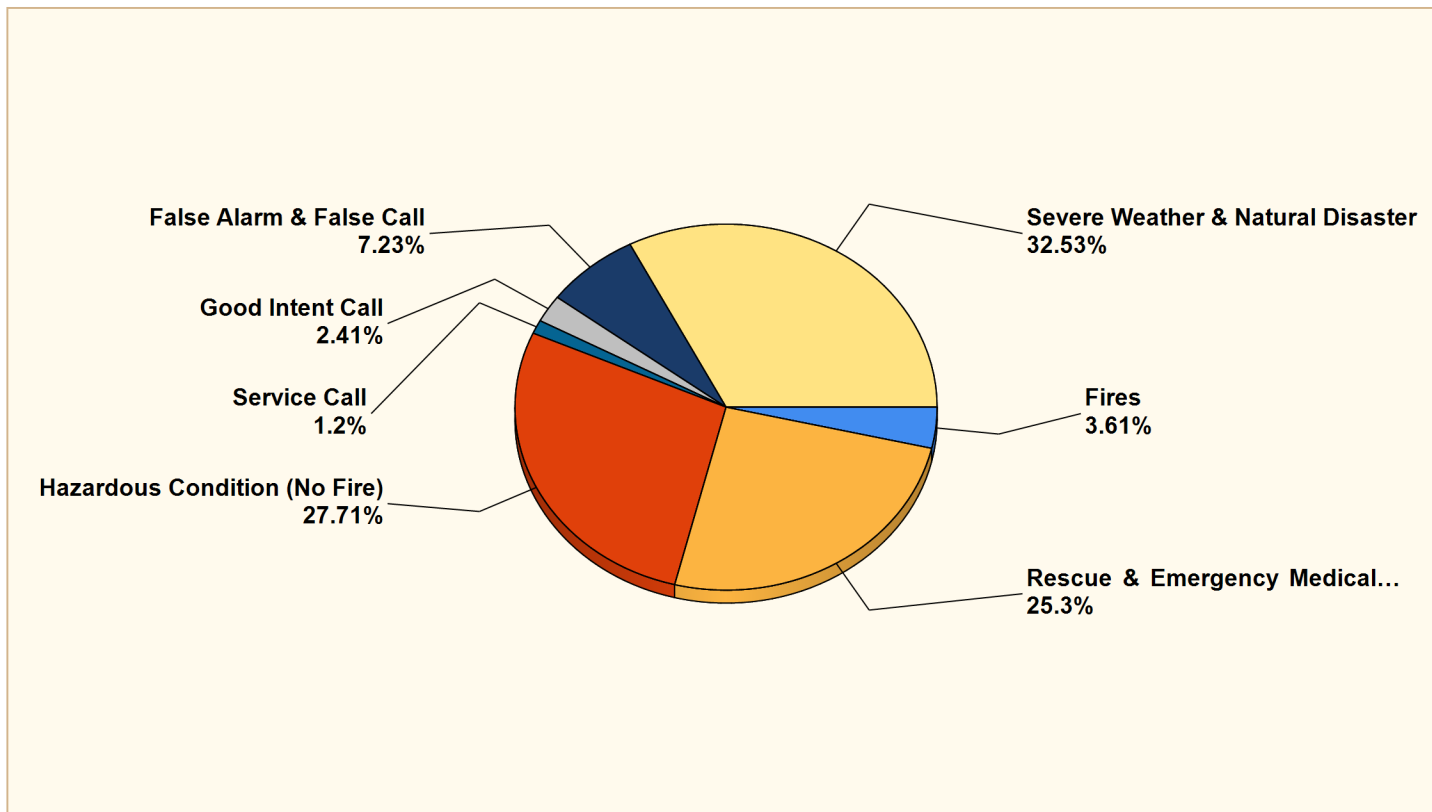
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Breakdown by Major Incident Types for Date Range

Zone(s): All Zones | Start Date: 12/01/2023 | End Date: 12/31/2023



MAJOR INCIDENT TYPE	# INCIDENTS	% of TOTAL
Fires	3	3.61%
Rescue & Emergency Medical Service	21	25.3%
Hazardous Condition (No Fire)	23	27.71%
Service Call	1	1.2%
Good Intent Call	2	2.41%
False Alarm & False Call	6	7.23%
Severe Weather & Natural Disaster	27	32.53%
TOTAL	83	100%

Only REVIEWED and/or LOCKED IMPORTED incidents are included. Summary results for a major incident type are not displayed if the count is zero.



Detailed Breakdown by Incident Type

INCIDENT TYPE	# INCIDENTS	% of TOTAL
111 - Building fire	1	1.2%
114 - Chimney or flue fire, confined to chimney or flue	1	1.2%
116 - Fuel burner/boiler malfunction, fire confined	1	1.2%
311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	4	4.82%
322 - Motor vehicle accident with injuries	2	2.41%
323 - Motor vehicle/pedestrian accident (MV Ped)	1	1.2%
324 - Motor vehicle accident with no injuries.	12	14.46%
363 - Swift water rescue	2	2.41%
400 - Hazardous condition, other	16	19.28%
412 - Gas leak (natural gas or LPG)	2	2.41%
424 - Carbon monoxide incident	3	3.61%
444 - Power line down	2	2.41%
520 - Water problem, other	1	1.2%
611 - Dispatched & cancelled en route	1	1.2%
651 - Smoke scare, odor of smoke	1	1.2%
700 - False alarm or false call, other	1	1.2%
735 - Alarm system sounded due to malfunction	3	3.61%
740 - Unintentional transmission of alarm, other	1	1.2%
743 - Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional	1	1.2%
800 - Severe weather or natural disaster, other	27	32.53%
TOTAL INCIDENTS:	83	100%

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