# Report of Department



January 2021

"Performing collectively to provide exemplary services to our community with integrity and pride."



## **Welcoming 2021**



2021 will be an extremely busy year for the Erlanger Fire/EMS Department. Not only are we anticipating increased incident/responses, we're also committed to a three-year Center for Public Safety Excellence Accreditation project, improvement of our current ISO Rating, as well as looking forward to the pre-planning stage of a Station #1 remodel. Intertwine those activities with our Members working hard within the Skills-Based Incentive Program, a hopeful return to community outreach programs, and the new year looks to be jam-packed.

A quote from Benjamin Franklin, Father of the Fire Service, "Without continual growth and progress, such words as improvement, achievement, and success have no meaning." We look forward to this new year, and everything it may bring, all the while maintaining our focus on providing the utmost in service delivery to the community.

Never hesitate to contact me for anything ~ Chief Whitaker





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#### **Pediatric Abuse Head Trauma**

**January 11 - 13** 

Unfortunately, there has been a trend over recent years with pediatric abuse causing head trauma. The Commonwealth of Kentucky created a training program to help responders recognize and report such abuse. Responders are required to attend this training every two years.

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## Personal Protective Equipment January 18 - 20

Personal Protective Equipment includes our fire gear and Self Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA). During this training Members practiced donning their fire gear and SCBA. Although the State of Kentucky requires this to be done under 3 minutes, our Members completed dressing out in 2 minutes or less.























#### **Hazardous Materials**

#### **Emergency Response Guide**

**January 25 - 27** 

Members practiced using an ERG (Emergency Response Guidebook) to look up information for Hazardous Materials.







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	January 2021	Year to Date
Total Training Hours	321.00	321.00

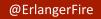
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## **Life Safety Inspections**



Month	Completed	Month	Completed	Month	Completed
January	10	May		September	
February		June		October	
March		July		November	
April		August		December	

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#### Fit Testing 2021



#### January 2021



Every year, Members are required to complete fit testing. This is the process to confirm the proper fit and seal of our Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) mask. All Members completed the testing this month.



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## Car Seat Safety Installations/Education



Month	Completed
January	7



Do Not Place Rear Facing Child Safety Seat In Front If There Is an Airbag.



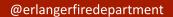


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Captain Justin Brinkman February 01 (24 years)















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Firefighter/Paramedic Sheila Jones
February 03 (1 year)





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Firefighter/Paramedic Kyle Ruehl February 03 (1 year)





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Firefighter/Paramedic Mark Guttridge February 05 (3 years)























Captain Randy McMullen February 19 (25 years)

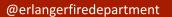




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#### **Member Spotlight**





#### **Derek Mayfield**

Firefighter/Paramedic Derek Mayfield started with our Department in June 2019. Derek worked for Point Pleasant Fire District prior to coming to Erlanger. Derek and Alex have a son, Everett. Derek is assigned to Green Shift.



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#### **Community Involvement & Public Education**



#### January 16th, 17th and 30th

Engine 51 and Medic 64 participated in two parades in January, and Engine 53 and Medic 63 participated in one parade during the month.







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## **Meetings Attended**



City Council Meeting January 5th

Officers Meeting January 7th

Special Council Meeting January 12th

NKEPC (Captain Bohl) - January 19th

Kenton County Fire Chiefs January 21st

NKFA Meeting January 26th

















## **Incident Activity January 2021**



	January 2021	Year to Date
Fire and EMS	317	317

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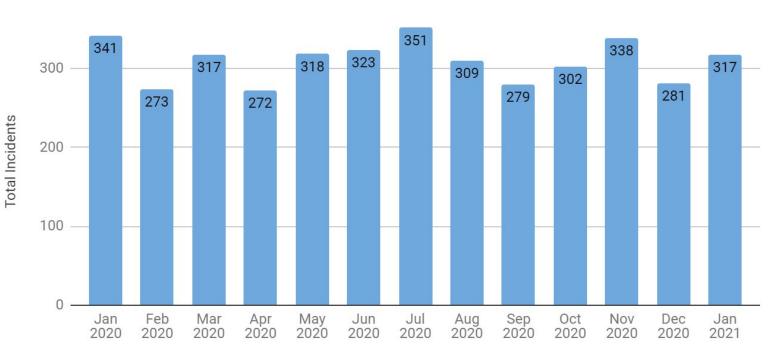


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#### Fire/EMS Incidents by Month





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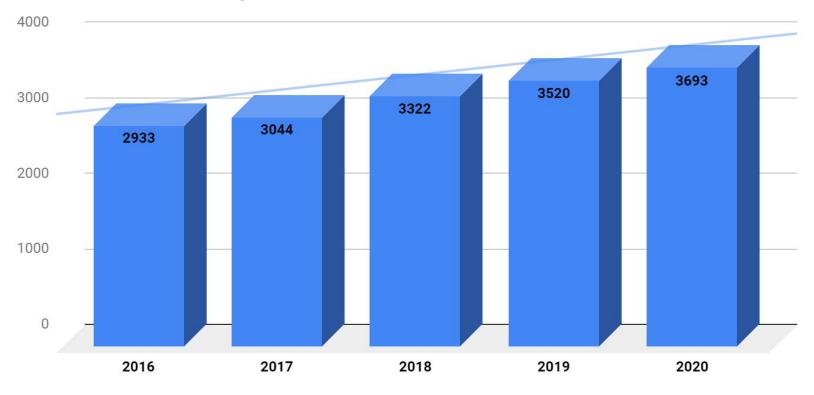
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#### Fire/EMS Incidents by Year



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## **Response Activity January 2021**



Unit	Station	January 2021	Year to Date
Engine 51	Central	119	119
Medic 64	Central	189	189
Engine 53	East	31	31
Medic 63	East	87	87
All Units	Citywide	426	426

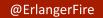
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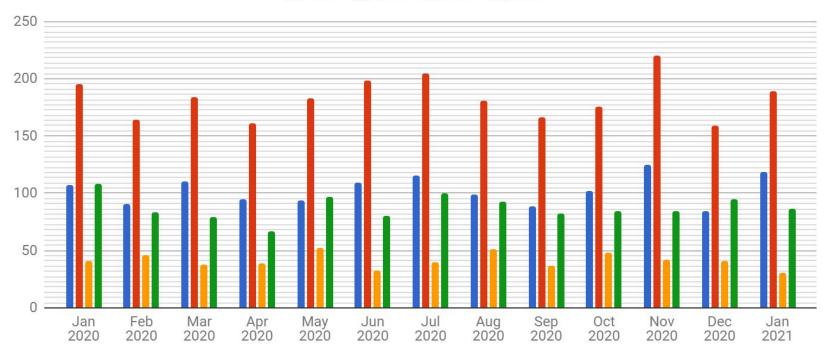






#### Unit Responses by Month





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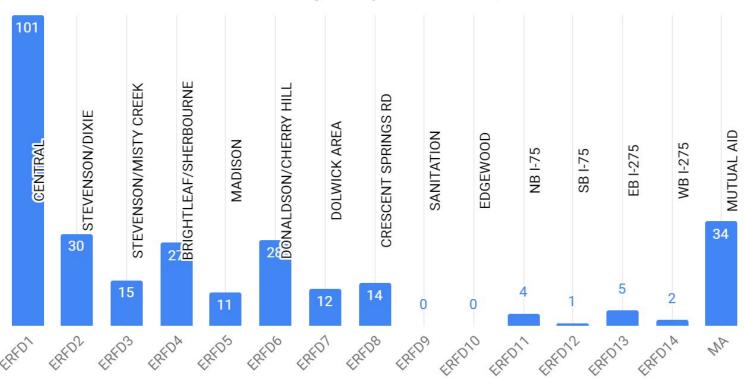
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#### Incidents by Response Zone, YTD



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#### Flashback ~ 2005 Structure Fire









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#### **Upcoming Events**



02 02 2021 - Erlanger City Council Meeting

02 02 2021 - Southeastern Association Fire Chiefs (SEAFC) Meeting

02 16 2021 - Erlanger City Council Caucus Meeting

02 17 21 - "Neighbors App" Meeting presented by RING

02 18 21 - Kenton County Fire Chiefs Meeting











