

Georgetown Township Fire Department



Date: October 4, 2007
To: Supervisor Holland
Subject: Monthly Fire Runs

The Georgetown Township Fire Department responded to a total of 31 runs for the month of September 2007, with an average response time of 5.57.

Dan Hamming
Georgetown Township Fire Chief

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Incident List by Alarm Date/Time

Alarm Date Between {09/01/2007} And {09/30/2007}

Incident-Exp#	Alm Date	Alm Time	Location	Incident Type
07-0000352-000	09/01/2007	21:46:00	7537 Boulder Bluff DR	561 Unauthorized burning
07-0000354-000	09/02/2007	01:55:00	8616 Caprice DR /Jenison,	631 Authorized controlled burnin
07-0000353-000	09/02/2007	20:54:00	10295 42nd AVE	745 Alarm system activation, no
07-0000355-000	09/03/2007	07:29:00	6770 Wentward CT N	321 EMS call, excluding vehicle
07-0000356-000	09/04/2007	11:05:00	6908 Gordon	571 Cover assignment, standby, m
07-0000357-000	09/05/2007	14:05:00	7603 Riverbend DR /Jeniso	311 Medical assist, assist EMS c
07-0000358-000	09/07/2007	09:10:00	Bauer RD & 36th AVE	352 Extrication of victim(s) fro
07-0000360-000	09/09/2007	09:55:00	28th AVE & Bauer RD	463 Vehicle accident, general cl
07-0000359-000	09/09/2007	10:05:00	4482 Port Sheldon ST	321 EMS call, excluding vehicle
07-0000361-000	09/11/2007	08:42:00	725 Baldwin ST	743 Smoke detector activation, n
07-0000364-000	09/12/2007	11:13:00	653 Port Sheldon ST	611 Dispatched & cancelled en ro
07-0000362-000	09/12/2007	17:49:00	Kenowa AVE & Tyler ST	463 Vehicle accident, general cl
07-0000363-000	09/13/2007	07:41:00	2140 Bauer RD /Jenison, M	411 Gasoline or other flammable
07-0000367-000	09/13/2007	21:03:00	4090 Chicago DR	651 Smoke scare, odor of smoke
07-0000366-000	09/13/2007	21:23:00	Adams & 48th AVE	611 Dispatched & cancelled en ro
07-0000365-000	09/14/2007	14:38:00	8314 Wallinwood Springs D	251 Excessive heat, scorch burns
07-0000368-000	09/15/2007	13:55:00	Port Sheldon ST & Cottonw	600 Good intent call, Other
07-0000369-000	09/17/2007	00:38:00	4277 S University DR	733 Smoke detector activation du
07-0000370-000	09/17/2007	17:24:00	2335 North Garden CT	412 Gas leak (natural gas or LPG
07-0000371-000	09/22/2007	18:32:00	6785 Goldenrod DR	511 Lock-out
07-0000372-000	09/22/2007	19:31:00	8406 Golfside DR	911 Citizen complaint
07-0000373-000	09/23/2007	00:09:00	8935 Norman DR /Jenison,	111 Building fire
07-0000375-000	09/25/2007	11:43:00	8576 Cottonwood DR	424 Carbon monoxide incident
07-0000374-000	09/25/2007	18:55:00	770 Port Sheldon ST	444 Power line down
07-0000376-000	09/26/2007	20:23:00	Port Sheldon ST & 40th AV	463 Vehicle accident, general cl
07-0000377-000	09/27/2007	07:58:00	149 Ottogan	112 Fires in structure other tha
07-0000378-000	09/28/2007	05:47:00	7646 Riverbend DR	611 Dispatched & cancelled en ro
07-0000382-000	09/29/2007	08:58:00	7702 Harold AVE	522 Water or steam leak
07-0000381-000	09/30/2007	08:31:00	725 Baldwin ST /725 Baldw	311 Medical assist, assist EMS c
07-0000379-000	09/30/2007	15:14:00	Glendora AVE & Marigold S	561 Unauthorized burning
07-0000380-000	09/30/2007	19:01:00	6333 Springmont CT	424 Carbon monoxide incident

Total Incident Count 31

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Incident Type Report (Summary)

Alarm Date Between {09/01/2007} And {09/30/2007}

Incident Type	Count	Pct of Incidents	Total Est Loss	Pct of Losses
1 Fire				
111 Building fire	1	3.22%	\$0	0.00%
112 Fires in structure other than in a building	1	3.22%	\$0	0.00%
	2	6.45%	\$0	0.00%
2 Overpressure Rupture, Explosion, Overheat(no fire)				
251 Excessive heat, scorch burns with no	1	3.22%	\$0	0.00%
	1	3.22%	\$0	0.00%
3 Rescue & Emergency Medical Service Incident				
311 Medical assist, assist EMS crew	2	6.45%	\$0	0.00%
321 EMS call, excluding vehicle accident with	2	6.45%	\$0	0.00%
352 Extrication of victim(s) from vehicle	1	3.22%	\$0	0.00%
	5	16.12%	\$0	0.00%
4 Hazardous Condition (No Fire)				
411 Gasoline or other flammable liquid spill	1	3.22%	\$0	0.00%
412 Gas leak (natural gas or LPG)	1	3.22%	\$0	0.00%
424 Carbon monoxide incident	2	6.45%	\$0	0.00%
444 Power line down	1	3.22%	\$0	0.00%
463 Vehicle accident, general cleanup	3	9.67%	\$0	0.00%
	8	25.80%	\$0	0.00%
5 Service Call				
511 Lock-out	1	3.22%	\$0	0.00%
522 Water or steam leak	1	3.22%	\$0	0.00%
561 Unauthorized burning	2	6.45%	\$0	0.00%
571 Cover assignment, standby, moveup	1	3.22%	\$0	0.00%
	5	16.12%	\$0	0.00%
6 Good Intent Call				
600 Good intent call, Other	1	3.22%	\$0	0.00%
611 Dispatched & cancelled en route	3	9.67%	\$0	0.00%
631 Authorized controlled burning	1	3.22%	\$0	0.00%
651 Smoke scare, odor of smoke	1	3.22%	\$0	0.00%
	6	19.35%	\$0	0.00%
7 False Alarm & False Call				
733 Smoke detector activation due to	1	3.22%	\$0	0.00%

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7 False Alarm & False Call				
743 Smoke detector activation, no fire -	1	3.22%	\$0	0.00%
745 Alarm system activation, no fire -	1	3.22%	\$0	0.00%
	<u>3</u>	<u>9.67%</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>0.00%</u>
9 Special Incident Type				
911 Citizen complaint	1	3.22%	\$0	0.00%
	<u>1</u>	<u>3.22%</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>0.00%</u>
Total Incident Count:	31		Total Est Loss:	\$0

Georgetown Fire Department Maintenance Report September 2007

Calls

EMS:

Alarms: 2

CO:

Spills:

Others: 1

Parks and Cemetery

9-10-07(5 hrs) cleaning parks and mowing cemetery

9-17-07(5hrs) mowing cemetery

9-24-07(6hrs) mowing cemetery

Miscellaneous

Work with Michwave to fix internet connections at fire stations

Moved tables to station 1 for picnic and MDA

Fixed Dryer at station 1

Added new rock 1 ½ inch rock to station 1 and 3 around the building

Looked at Internet for the Senior Center

Mow lawns at the stations

Spray for weed control at all stations

Fixed Halogen light on the back of 824

Epoxy new label on SCBA tank

Repair Streamlight box light on 823

Have Community Garage repair air leak on 823

Move Gas grills for station picnic

Bushes & trees trimmed at all the stations

Inspect all outdoor generators

Test Co detectors

Clean and Grease ladder on truck 841

Pull stump and repair sod at station 1.

Tie a couple of trees back to prevent blow over in wind storms

Paint inside poles at station 1

Refill 831 air truck

Trees trimmed at stations

Setup copier at station 2

Repaired internet connection at Sr. Center

Paint outside poles at station 1

Georgetown Township Fire Department Fire Inspector Activity Report

September 2007

Calls

FIRE:	02
ALARM:	
MEDICAL:	01
PI:	
PI PIN-IN:	01
CO:	01
U-BURN:	
SPILL:	
OTHER:	
TOTAL:	05

Inspections

MAINTENANCE:	
FOLLOW UP:	06
COMMERCIAL WITH PCI:	06
ZONING COMPLIANCE:	01
TOTAL:	13

Education

- September 11–14 I attended the 58th Annual Michigan Fire Inspectors Society Fall Educational Seminar. This was held at the Kellogg Hotel & Conference Center, Michigan State University, East Lansing.

Fire Investigation and Follow Up

Other

- Assisted Loren Serne, Electrical Inspector for PCI, on the monitoring requirements for a fire alarm per the International Fire Code.
- Followed up on the report of the duct detector in the alarm mode at Cottonwood Heights CRC. It still showed in alarm and the alarm had been silenced. Contacted the appropriate person at Cottonwood to have this issue taken care of.
- Stopped by at 1675 Baldwin, Solomon's Porch, to schedule an inspection of this facility for occupancy.
- Checked on Edson Drive road closure.
- Met with Ben Jansen, Maintenance Supervisor at Campus View Apartments, to suggest handpull fire alarm vandalism covers on them to curb students from sending in prank fire alarm calls. He stated he would look into the feasibility of having that done.
- Post fire prevention week sign up sheets at the three stations.
- Dropped off a Site Emergency Planning Workbook to Tony Overholt, Maintenance Supervisor for Dienetics.
- Met with Chief Hamming and Matt DeWitt for our monthly staff meeting at Station 3.
- Record emergency contacts received by this office and forwarded a copy to Central Dispatch.
- Stopped by Advanced Auto, 600 Baldwin. They had a new master key to replace the old one in their Knox Box.
- Picked up Matty from Community Garage. Engine 823 was brought there for maintenance work.
- Met with the Superintendents for the Jenison and Hudsonville School districts to get their permission to schedule the elementary schools for this years visit during fire prevention week.
- Went around to all the elementary schools in Georgetown Township and set up the schedules for the Preschools, Kindergartens and 4th Grades for our visits during fire prevention week.
- Put together fire prevention material packets for fire prevention week.
- Had a meeting with Mike Marlowe, Director of Operations for Sunset Manor. This was about the removal of a couple of entry/exit doors to the garages by Door L. I advised him that before I gave him my answer I would be contacting our building inspector. During this visit I noticed an egress access problem coming from the back exit doors of the dining hall to a public way. I informed Mr. Marlowe that I would also be bringing this to the attention of Mr. Dyk. A couple of days later I met with Chuck Dyk at Door L and showed him the two doors that Mr. Marlowe was requesting to have permission to remove. I knew what my thoughts were and Chuck's answer was the same. These doors couldn't be removed because they are smoke and fire containment doors. I then showed Chuck the other issue that I came across. To make a legal exit access from these two rear

exits would entail some major work. I showed Chuck that they already had four interior exits leading to two separate exit access hallways. Chuck suggested that I calculate out the occupancy capacity of the dining hall and the exit capacity of the four interior doorways and see if these two rear exits could be eliminated. I got in touch with Mr. Marlowe and informed him of what we were going to do. After measuring up the dining hall, calculating the occupancy load and the interior exit capacity of the four doorways it was determined that those two rear exit doorways were not needed to fulfill the egress requirements of the Life Safety Code, NFPA 101. I brought these findings to Mr. Marlowe and he would have those exit signs removed from above the rear doors and have exit signs installed over the four interior exit doorways.

- Reviewed the Life Safety Code, NFPA 101, for the required clear exit access needed between the front pew and stage for Cottonwood CRC.
- Received a call from Dave Fontaine that there was some type of mix up of addresses and cross streets in the condo complex of Cedar Grove. He asked if I would go there and get addresses and cross streets so he could update the CAD system at Central Dispatch. Once I had this done I emailed it to him.
- Assisted Lt. Ryan Tibbets with setting up training scenarios at the training house on Taylor Street for our departments September 20 training night.
- Checked out 36th Avenue road closure at Baldwin Street.
- Posted sign up sheets at the three stations for Jenison Pizza Hut's fire prevention event that they have invited us to participate at.
- Was on WCET's Jenison Journal with Gil Dykstra to go over Georgetown Fire Departments upcoming fire prevention week's activities.

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Fire Prevention Bureau

Monthly Activity Report

September 2007

26th – This morning Fire Fighter Matt DeWitt and I talked about basic fire safety to 18 preschool children at the Eaglenest Daycare Center.

How Alarms Were Answered - September 2007

