



ANNUAL REPORT DEPLOYMENT REPORT 2019



SPOKANE COUNTY FIRE DISTRICT 8

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Mission and Vision

MISSION

Our mission is to provide effective medical, fire, rescue, and hazard response while collaborating with community members and partners to prevent future emergencies. We accomplish this by maintaining an inclusive organization of well-trained members, with a shared commitment to safety and service excellence.

VISION

- To be role models in our community
- To be leaders in the Fire Service
- To be driven by positive attitudes
- To be respectful of others
- To be dedicated to helping people



VALUES

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We care about our customers.

We respect customers' well-being, opinions, feelings, diversity, and feedback and show courtesy to every customer we come in contact with.

We value honesty, integrity and leadership in all members.

With respect for the chain of command, we value high ethical standards, personal and professional accountability, and responsible decision making at all levels of the organization.

We appreciate each other's dedication, competency, and positive attitude.

We value each member's experience, knowledge, competency, cooperation, dedication, commitment and positive attitude.

We value the time and tools that are necessary to do our jobs effectively.

We know that having well-trained responders with optimally maintained equipment is the best path to delivering services with maximum safety, effectiveness, and efficiency.

We support individual, family, and District balance.

We recognize the high importance of balancing individual and family needs



Training Photo

Message From The Chief

Greetings!

On behalf of the Board of Fire Commissioners it is my pleasure to present the Fire District 8 Annual Report for 2019. This report reflects the hard work and dedication the men and women of Fire District 8 put forth every day in support of our mission: “Protect, Serve, Educate”. We have been fortunate to have the support of our community which has allowed us to continuously improve service and safety for our more than 22,300 residents in south Spokane County.

Our creative mix of full-time, part-time, and volunteer members continues to add value and strength to our response force and ability to deliver programs. Our members are active in the communities we serve across our 110-square mile fire district and give freely of their time and talent to make an impact, whether it’s raising funds for medical research, hosting one of our open houses, or teaching students CPR. We continue to make progress on the benchmarks in our strategic plan: Vision 2020. And finally, for the fourth year in a row, we were recognized with a Management Excellence Award from the Washington Fire Commissioners Association.

As an organization, we are grateful for our community’s support and remain committed to excellence. We are constantly training in fire, rescue, and emergency medical skills to ensure we are ready to answer your call with competence, courage and compassion. It is my hope that 2020 will bring sustained safety to our responders and more improvements in service to our community.

Stay safe,

Tony

Tony C. Nielsen, Fire Chief

DISTRICT OVERVIEW

Spokane County Fire District 8 provides a full range of services that include fire suppression, Paramedic and EMT emergency medical services, fire prevention, rescue, education, investigation, associated support and maintenance services to our 22,351 citizens in a 110 square mile area in south Spokane County. SCFD8 members responded to 3,227 calls for service in 2019 from the District's four fire stations located in the Moran Prairie, Valleyford, Ponderosa, and Saltese areas.

Each station is staffed twenty-four hours a day with a combination of career, part-time, volunteer and resident volunteer personnel.

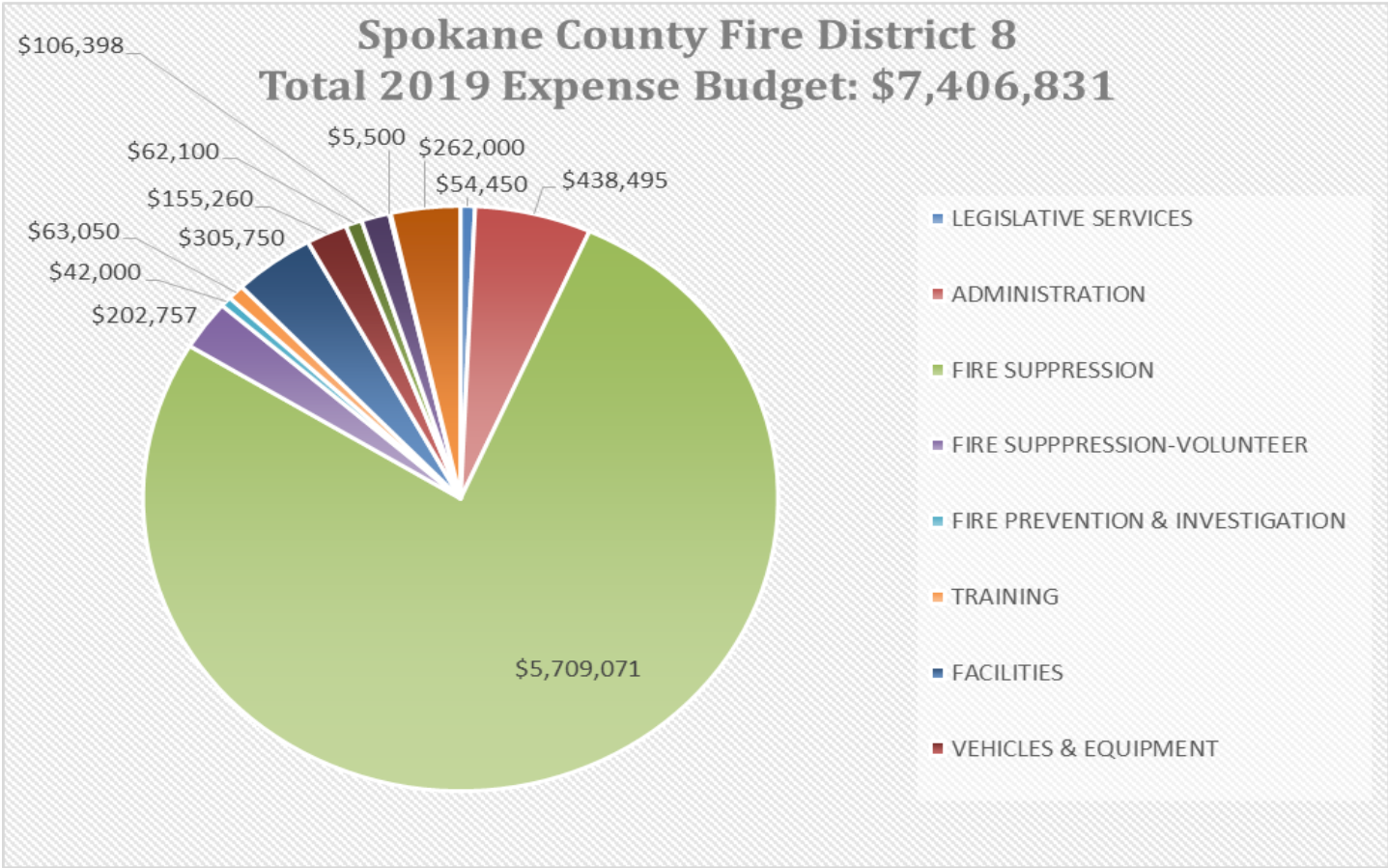
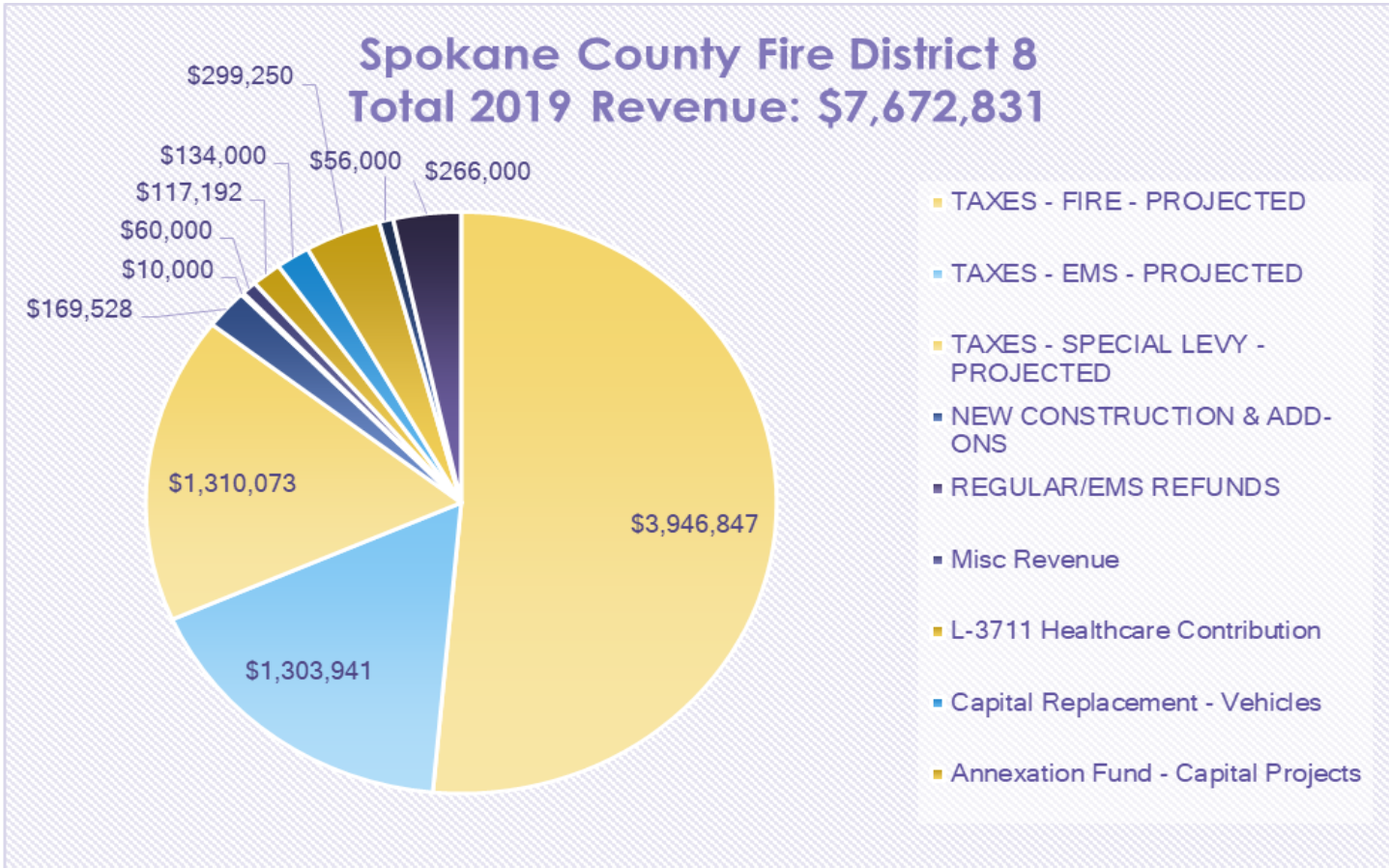
SCFD8 proudly serves the communities of Bella Vista, Freeman, Glenrose, Hangman Hills, Mica, Moran Prairie, Morningside Heights, Painted Hills, Ponderosa, Saltese and Valleyford. Spokane County Fire District 8 operates under the State of Washington laws and codes governing fire departments by direction of a three person Board of Fire Commissioners: Andy Rorie; Lee Boling, and Greg Hesse.

Per the Washington Survey and Rating Bureau (WSRB), Spokane County Fire District 8 has worked to achieve an overall community protection class of rating of 4. The Fire Protection Classification rating, which helps determine insurance rates and residential and commercial properties, is derived from several factors including, but not limited to, fire station location, staffing, and water supply. Fire District 8 achieved this rating in 2016 and has been successful in maintaining a community protection class rating of 4 due to improvements made in the areas of staffing, equipment, water supply and training.



Training Photo

DISTRICT BUDGET PROFILE



FIRE STATIONS



Station 81

6117 S Palouse Hwy
Spokane WA 99223

Station Apparatus:

Engine 81
Engine 87
Brush 81
Brush 87
Tender 81
Air · Light · Rehab, Support Unit 80
Station support vehicle



Station 82

Administration, Training and Maintenance

12100 E Palouse Hwy
Valleyford WA 99036
(509) 926-6699

Station Apparatus:

Engine 82
Engine 86
Brush 82
Brush 86
Tender 85
Station support vehicle

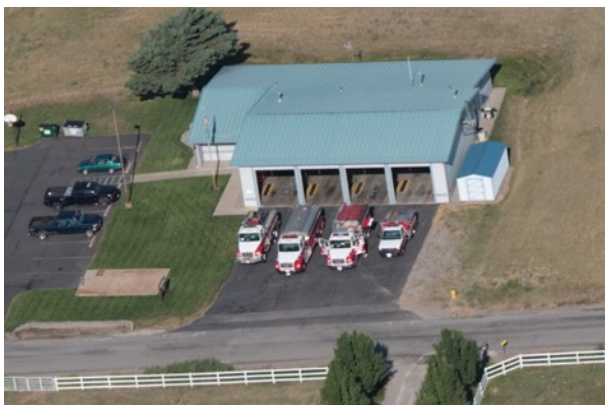


Station 84

4410 S Bates Road
Spokane WA 99206

Station Apparatus:

Engine 84
Brush 84
Attack 84
Station support vehicle



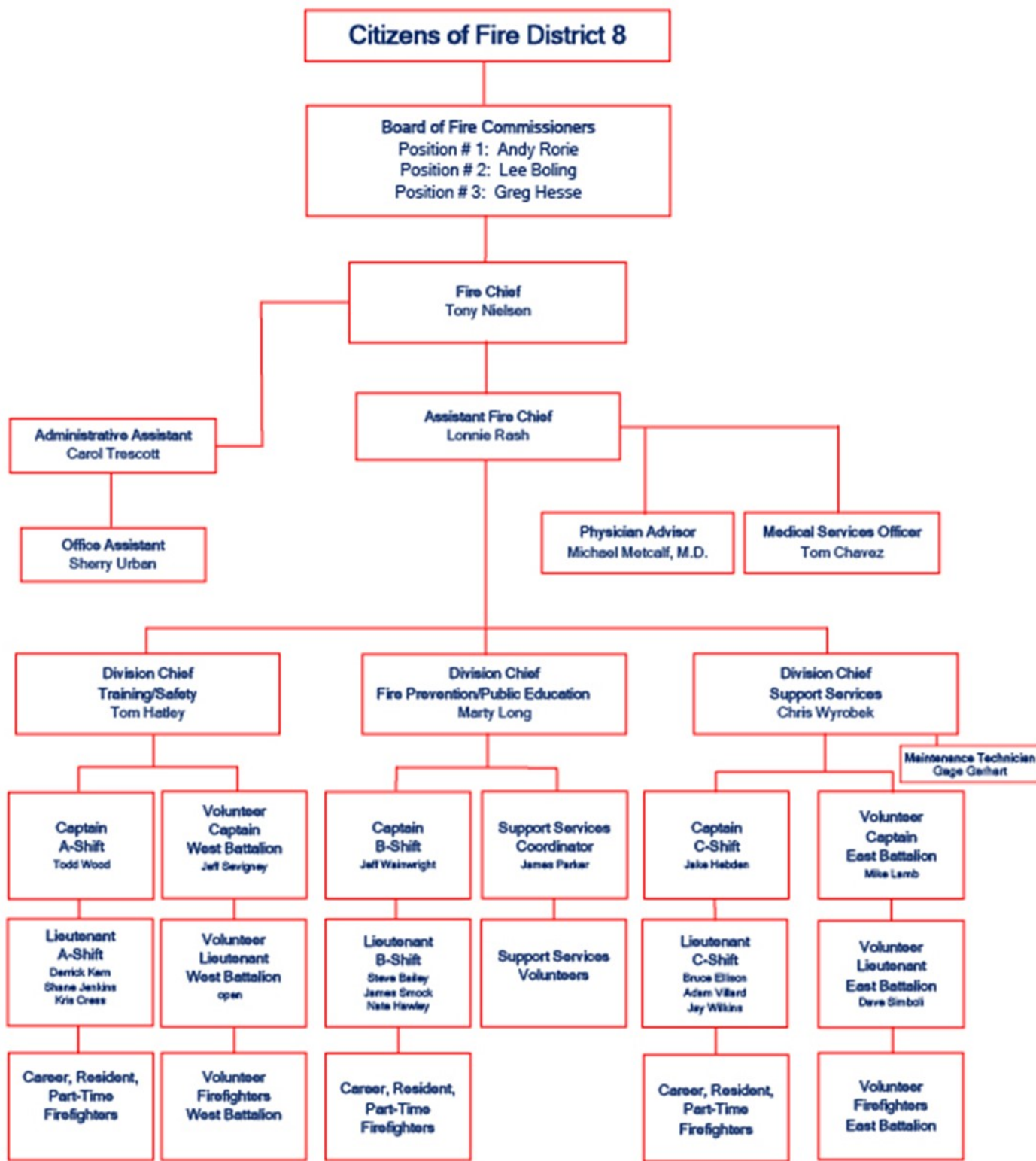
Station 85

3324 S Linke Road
Greenacres WA 99016

Station Apparatus:

Engine 85
Brush 85
Attack 85
Tender 85
Station support vehicle

ORGANIZATIONAL CHART



YEAR IN REVIEW

This past year your Spokane County Fire District 8 members again experienced hard work, dedicated service, heroic actions, some fun time and some tough times. The department welcomed several great, new members and we said goodbye to others.

Our call volume increased from 3,090 alarm in 2018 to 3,227 alarms in 2019. And we've continued to work towards the goals in our strategic plan; goals are making our organization and our service better. For the fourth year in a row we were awarded for Management Excellence by the Washington Fire Commissioners Association. But most importantly, we made it through 2019 without serious injuries to any of our members and we've kept our promise to our citizens of immediate response with more firefighters and paramedics on duty at each station around-the clock, across the District.

Training Division continued with aggressive training compliant with state and federal mandated. Some notable training is listed below:

- ◆ Multi-jurisdictional training including downed firefighter training
- ◆ Acquired structure fire and search and rescue training
- ◆ Forcible entry
- ◆ Vehicle Extrication
- ◆ Pit Cres CPR and EMS training
- ◆ Monthly Paramedic meetings
- ◆ Hose Deployment
- ◆ Probationary firefighter training
- ◆ Driver operator training
- ◆ Online training
- ◆ Officer development training



Training Photo

Below are other noteworthy highlight from 2019:

January

- ◆ Chief Hatley successfully received Firehouse Subs grant for UTV
- ◆ Chief Nielsen and your Fire Commissioners traveled to Olympia to meet with our legislators to discuss proposed legislation affecting the fire service and EMS.
- ◆ Volunteers provide Freeman High School CPR/AED and First Aid training.

February

- ◆ Station 84 kitchen remodel completed
- ◆ Maintenance and Operations Levy renewed, Thank you
- ◆ Taught first of several Stop the Bleed classes at Fire Station 81
- ◆ Taught the entire Freeman School District staff Stop the Bleed

March

- ◆ Crews participated in Mullan Road Elementary School Science Night

April

- ◆ Board of Fire Commissioners and District members toured area fire facilities in prep for future bond to construct a new fire station.
- ◆ Crews participated in Freeman Middle School career day



May

- ◆ Successfully received a Department of Natural Resources Grant for wildland shelters and PPE
- ◆ Began working with Spokane County Fire District 3 to improve auto aid response and prevention efforts.
- ◆ Another successful Fire Service Day Open House at Fire Station 81
- ◆ Server replacement project completed and under budget
- ◆ Participated in first of three Community Wildfire Preparedness workshops with our partners at Greater Spokane Emergency Management, Department of Natural Resources and neighboring fire departments.
- ◆ Crews in Freeman High School career day.
- ◆ Hosted a Chaplains Academy training event with chaplains from all across the country

June

- ◆ 2019-1 Volunteer Recruit Academy Graduation: Seven new members
- ◆ Crews attended Andrew Vathis crosswalk dedication on 57th avenue
- ◆ Two new career FF/EMT's graduated Spokane Regional Recruit Academy 2019-1: Lindsey McKahan and Joseph Zarazua

July

- ◆ Another successful Station 85 open house
- ◆ Chief Rash appointed as Washington Fire Chiefs Board member representing Eastern WA region.
- ◆ Transitioned to new integrated dispatch center. Spokane Regional Emergency Communication (SREC)

August

- ◆ Crews participated in National Night Out events across the District

September

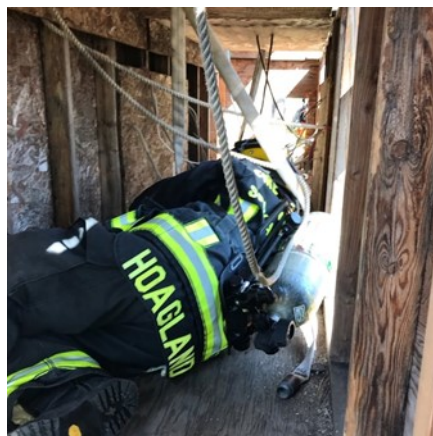
- ◆ Welcomed four new Part-Time firefighters
- ◆ Crews at each station commemorated the 18th anniversary of the September 11th attacks
- ◆ Another successful Station 84 Open House
- ◆ Crews participated on the Rockford Parade

October

- ◆ Awarded 2019 Management Excellence Award - 3rd place
- ◆ MSO Tom Chavez appointed by WA Department of Health Secretary as the Washington State Council of Firefighters rep to the WA State EMS & Trauma Care Steering Committee.
- ◆ New Engines (81 and 85) dedicated and placed in service.
- ◆ Fire Commissioner Lee Boiling elected Secretary/Treasurer for Washington Fire Commissioners Association.
- ◆ Crews participated in trunk for treat event at Freeman School District
- ◆ Visited with over 380 kids during fire prevention week.
- ◆ Crews participated in Chili Cook off event at Hangman Golf Course, hosted by Ridge at Hangman HOA

November

- ◆ District received clean audit for WA State Auditor's Office
- ◆ Crews participated in Firefighter Challenge Stairclimb Fundraiser at 32nd/Hwy 27 Albertson's
- ◆ Crews participated in Spokane Public Schools career day
- ◆ Fire Station 82 flooring/painting project began.



December

- ◆ Crews participated in Toys for Tots toy drive
- ◆ Twelve (12) nights of Santa Float in your neighborhood, including Santa at Valleyford Church event and gave out over 4,000 candy canes.
- ◆ Crews participated in Veteran's Day Ceremony as WA State Veterans Cemetery

Other noteworthy year in reviews items

Participated in six state mobilizations, crews installed 66 address signs, EMS standby at Freeman School sporting events, completed 126 Fire and Life Safety Inspections and preplans, hydrant testing, attended several neighborhood BBQ's, offered family and friends CPR once a month, completed 18 home safety surveys, completed 8 defensible space assessments, several station visits by various groups, mailed out four newsletters. Eagle Scout project by Mitchell Wing installed Smokey Bear signs at Fire Stations 81 and 84.

A quote from Chief Nielsen at our 2019 annual award banquet:

"I want to thank all of you that participated in and supported these events & projects and made so many good things happen in 2019. Without the level of involvement by so many of you we would never have been as successful as we have achieving our goals. Your support and participation help us to provide the best possible service to those in their time of need and ultimately allows us to fulfill our mission to Protect, Serve and Educate"

DEPLOYMENT REPORT

EXPECTED NUMBER OF DISTRICT EMPLOYEES

Spokane County Fire District 8 had the following employees in 2019:

◆ Chief Officers	5
◆ Career Firefighters	36
◆ Volunteer Firefighters	27
◆ Part Time Firefighters	10
◆ Administrative Staff	2
◆ Support Services	6

In 2020 the District plans to add the following positions:

◆ Career Firefighters	3
◆ Volunteer Firefighters	8
◆ Part Time Firefighters	4

EXPECTED FUNCTIONS OF DISTRICT EMPLOYEES

Spokane County Fire District 8 employees had the following expected functions in 2019:

- ◆ Firefighting
- ◆ Emergency Medical Services - BLS & ALS
- ◆ Hazardous Materials Response - Awareness Level
- ◆ Fire Inspections
- ◆ Public Education
- ◆ Fire Hydrant Inspections and testing
- ◆ Pre-Fire Planning
- ◆ Low Angle Rescue



POLICY STATEMENT

The existence of the District was established by Resolution 47-212A (Appendix A).
Resolution 74-1 (Appendix B) established the services the District is required to provide



EMERGENCY RESPONSE

RCW 35.103

During its 2005 session, the Washington State Legislature considered and then passed what has now been codified as Chapter 35.103 RCW. The law directs “substantially career fire departments” to evaluate their level of service and deployment delivery and response time on an annual basis. Specifically, the annual report shall include:

- ◆ The policy statements establishing the existence of the District, services the District provides, the basic organizational structure of the District, the expected number of employees, and the functions that the employees are expected to perform.
- ◆ The adopted standards of turnout and response for all applicable emergency incidents.
- ◆ An annual comparison of the adopted standards of turnout and response for all emergency incidents.
- ◆ Definition of the geographic areas and circumstances in which the requirements of the adopted departmental standards are not being met.
- ◆ Explain the predictable consequences of any deficiencies and address the steps that are necessary to achieve compliance with the district’s adopted standards.

INTENT OF RCW 35.103

The legislature acknowledges the efforts of the International City/County Management Association of Fire Chiefs, and the National Fire Protection Association for the organization and deployment of resources for fire departments. The arrival of first responders with automatic external defibrillator capability before the onset of brain death and the arrival of adequate fire suppression resources before flash-over are critical events during the mitigation of an emergency and in the public’s best interest. For these reasons, this chapter contains performance measures relating to the organization and deployment of fire suppression operations, emergency medical operations, and special operations by substantially career fire departments. This chapter does not, and is not intended to, in any way modify or limit the authority of code cities to set levels of service.



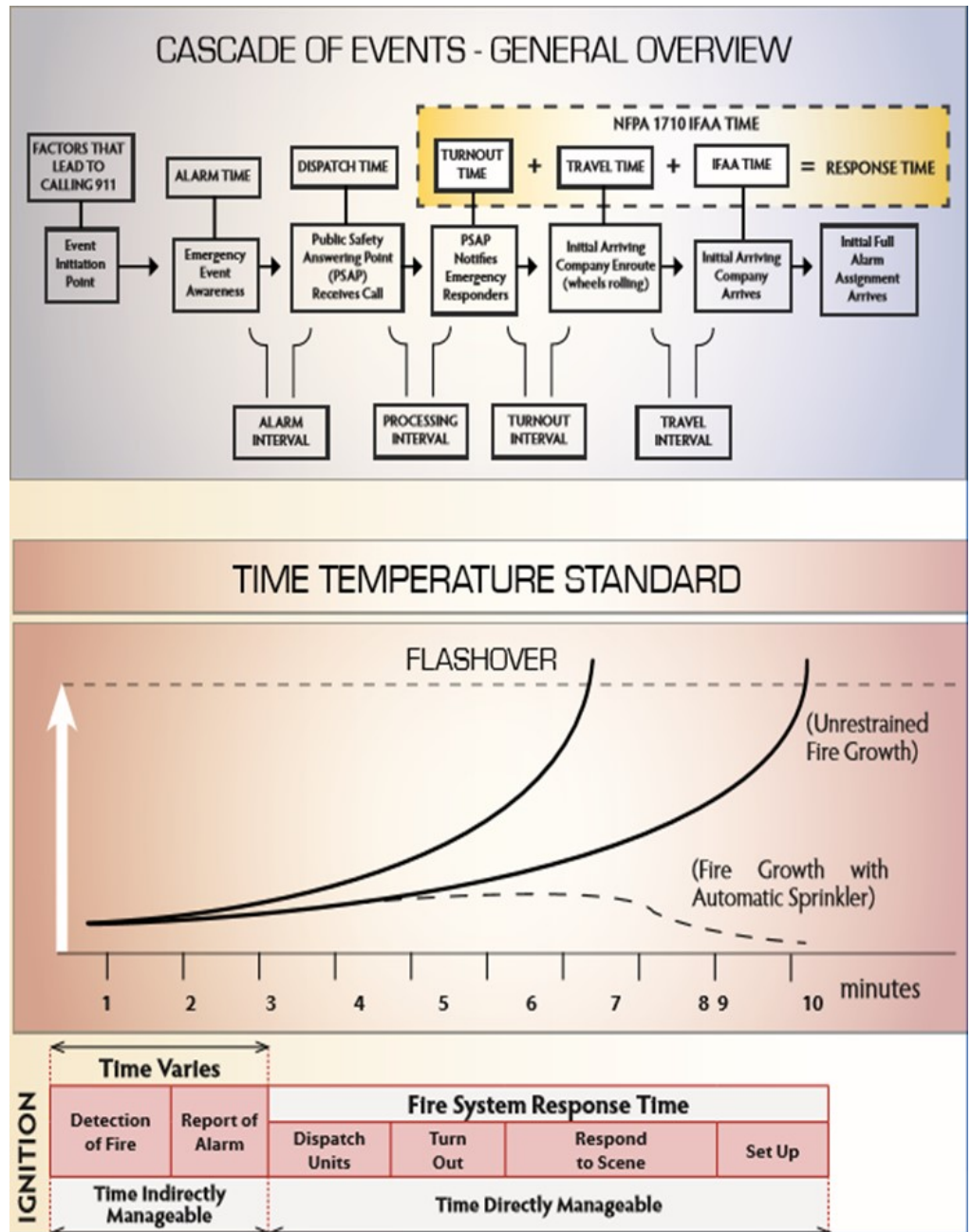
Time – Temperature Standard

The “time-temperature curve” standard in the figure below is based on data from the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) and the Insurance Services Organization (ISO) which have established that a typical point source of ignition in a residential house will “flash over” at some time between 5 and 10 minutes after ignition, turning a typical “room and contents” fire into a structural fire of some magnitude.

Time Temperature Curve

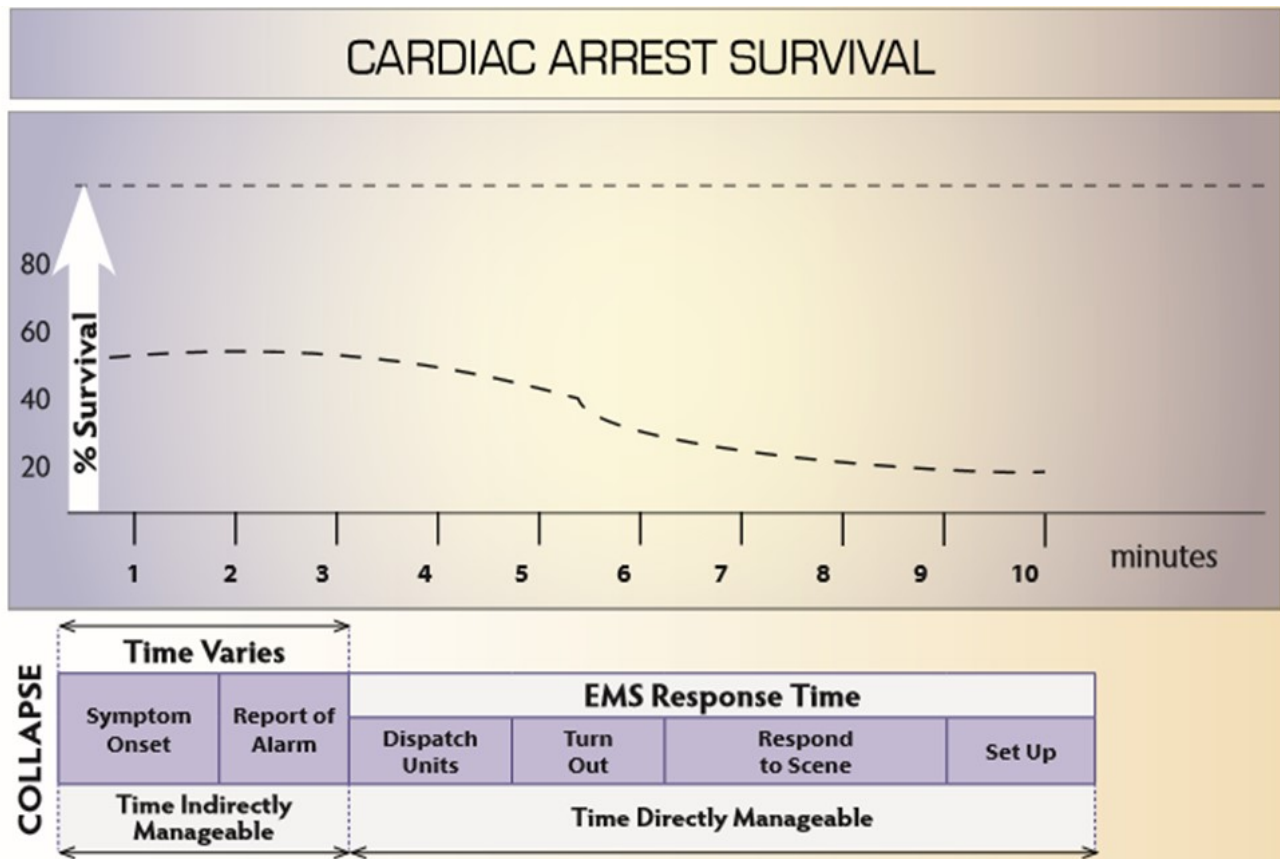
The utility of the time-temperature curve for fire station placement is contingent on a number of factors, including but not limited to the following:

- ◆ It does not account for the time required for the existence of a fire to be “discovered” and reported to the fire department via the 911 system
- ◆ The time from ignition to flashover varies widely (5-30 minutes depending on building characteristics)



Cardiac Arrest Survival Standard

In communities of where the fire service is the principal provider of Emergency Medical Services (EMS) first response, the “Chain of Survival” standard shown in the figure below was developed by the American Heart Association and is often used to provide guidance for the distribution of re-sources. The Chain of Survival suggests that basic life support (CPR and defibrillation) should be available to the victim of a cardiac arrest within 4 minutes of the event. Early notification, distribution and concentration of emergency response services are thus paramount to successful resuscitation efforts.



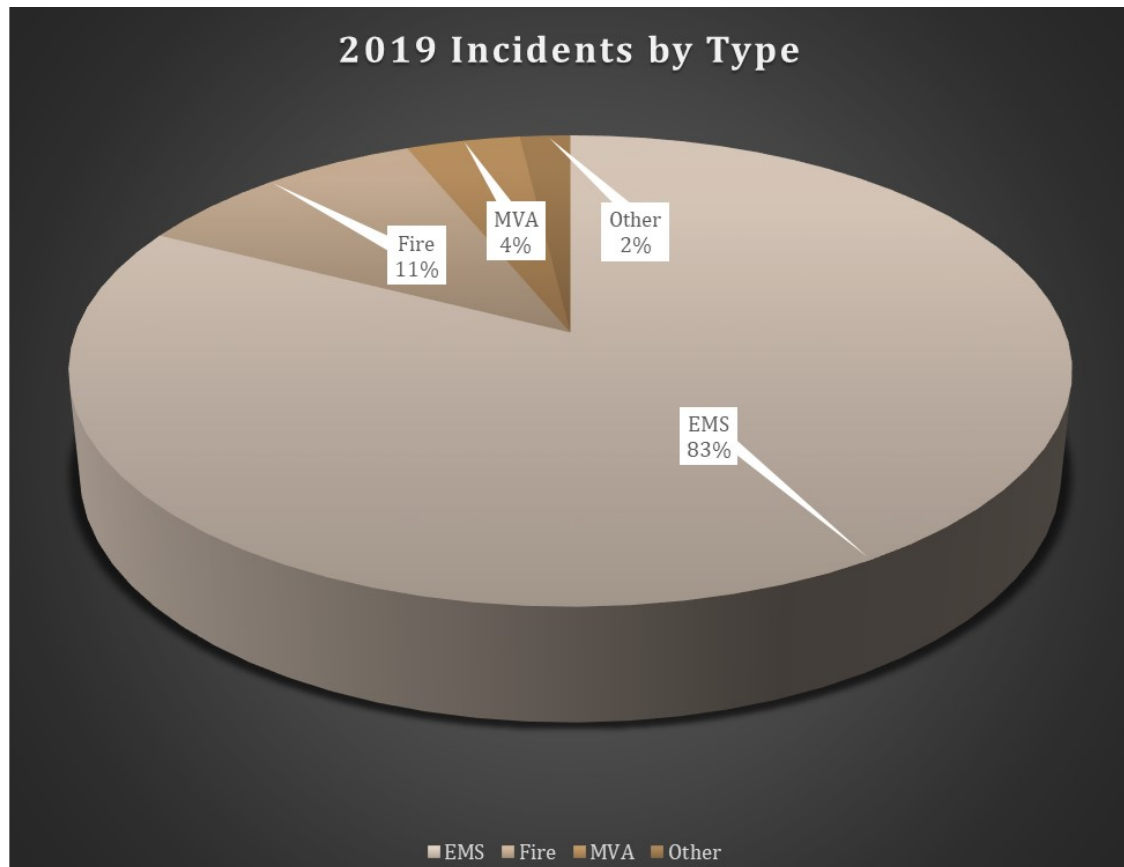
The Golden Hour Standard

In trauma events, the golden hour is the historic benchmark applied to victims with significant critical traumatic injuries. The golden hour reflects the concept that survivability decreases significantly if the patient isn't in the operating room within one hour of receiving a critical traumatic injury.

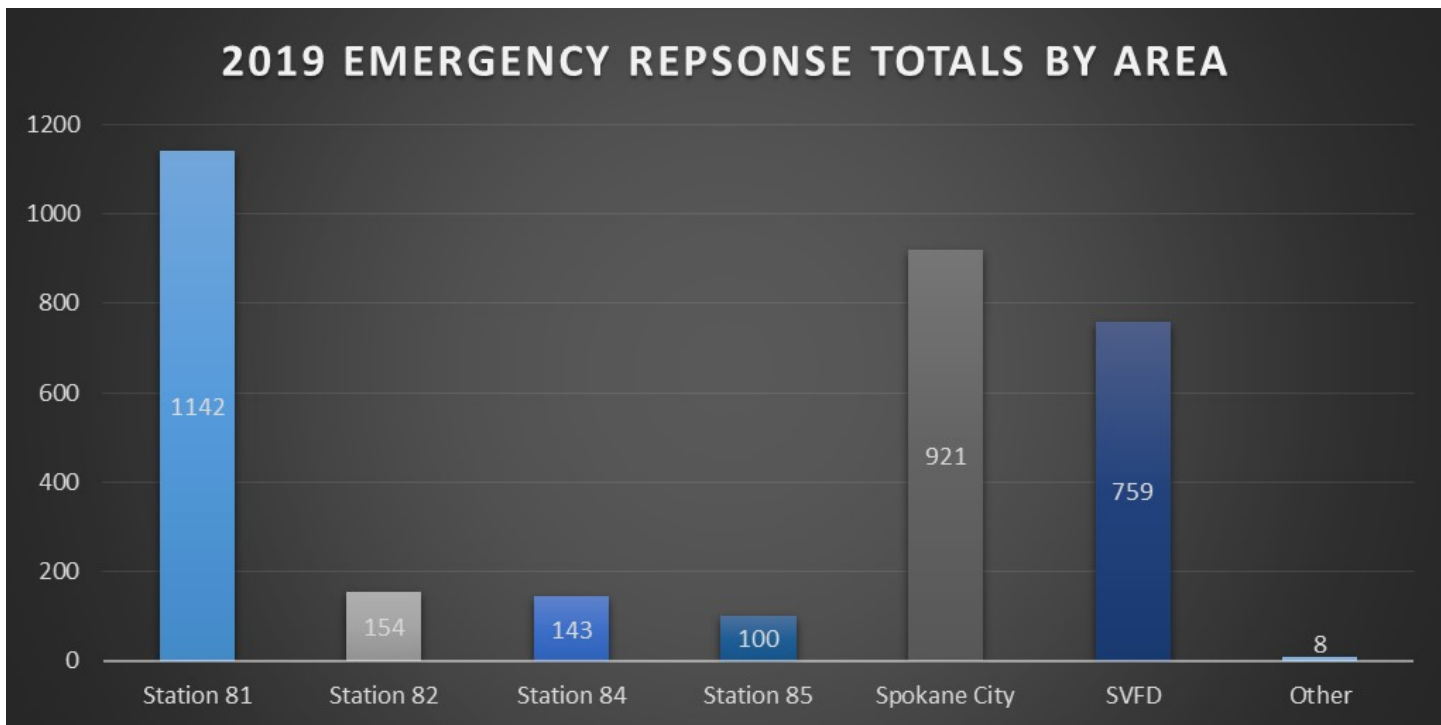


TOTAL EMERGENCY INCIDENTS

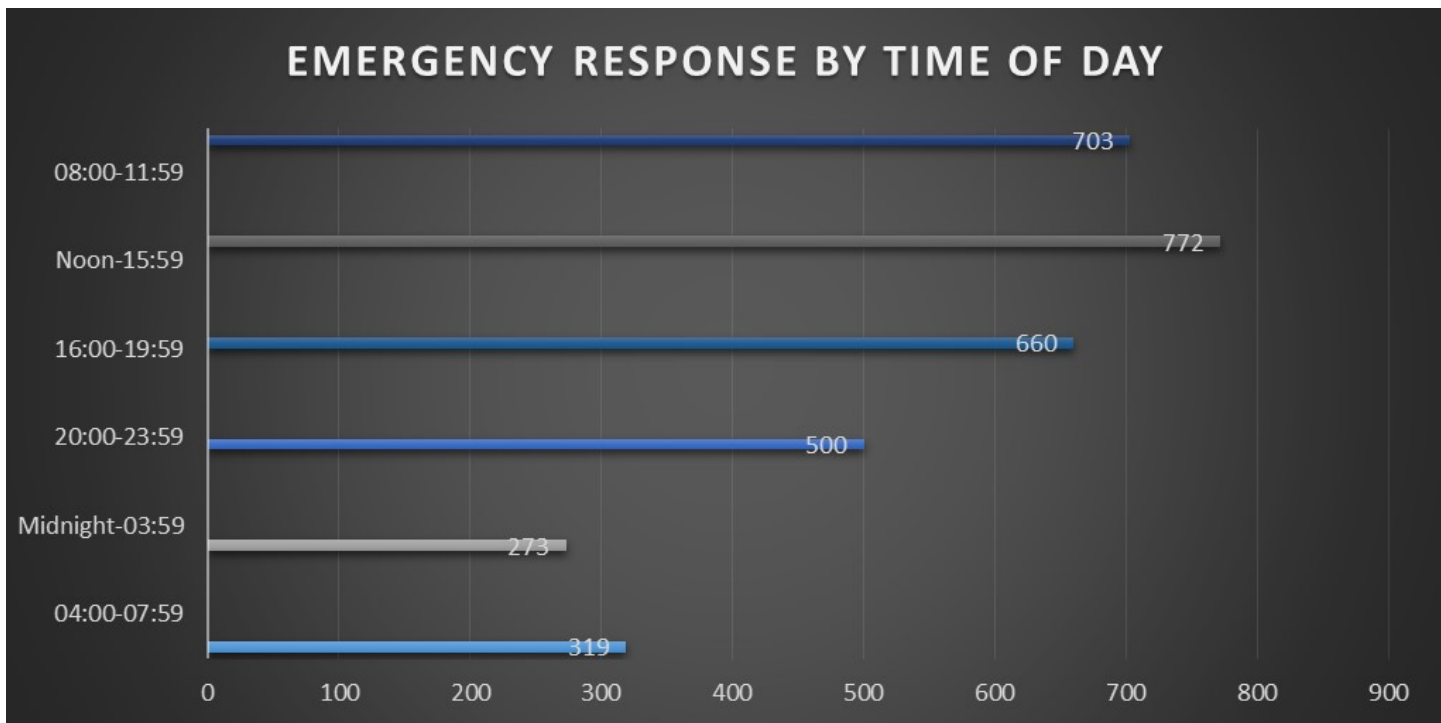
Year	EMS	Fire	MVA	Other	Total
2019	2662	366	139	60	3227
2018	2481	396	147	79	3103
2017	2612	381	144	58	3195
2016	2375	339	109	34	2857
2015	2055	510	133	68	2766



2019 EMERGENCY RESPONSE BY AREA



2019 EMERGENCY RESPONSE BY TIME OF DAY



Emergencies take place day and night. Unforeseen events can lead to emergencies at a moment's notice and is not affected by the time of day. For that reason, Spokane County Fire District 8 staffs four fire stations, 24 hours a day/ 365 days a year, in order to respond immediately.

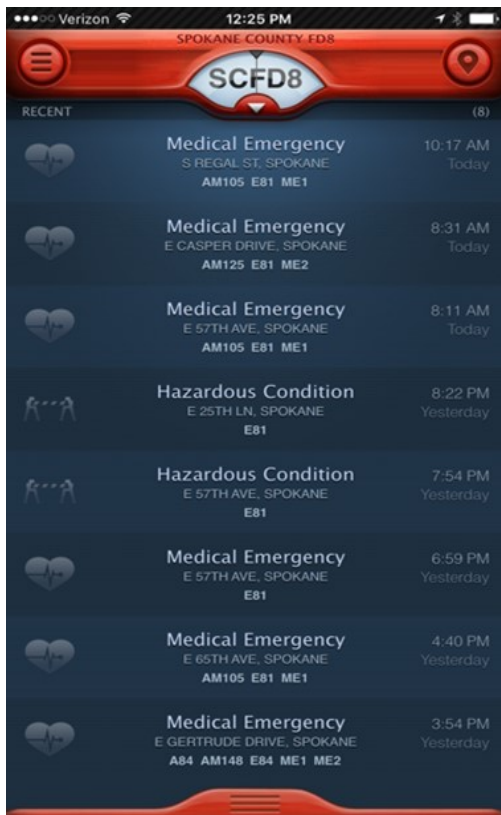
2019 Response Time Standards & Objectives

Spokane County Fire District 8 has established response time standards for four (4) categories of demand zones within its jurisdictional boundaries. The demand zones, derived from National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) guidelines, are defined by the following demographics:

- ◆ Urban (> 1,000 persons per square mile)
- ◆ Suburban (500 to 1,000 persons per square mile)
- ◆ Rural (< 500 persons per square mile)
- ◆ Remote Rural

Turnout Time

Turnout time is the time from the receipt of a dispatched alarm by the firefighting or emergency medical crew, until they actually indicate (verbally or electronically) that they are en route to the incident



SCREEN SHOT OF PULSE POINT APP

Turnout Time	
(Time unit assigned to en route)	
Spokane County Fire District 8 turnout time standard is 90 seconds, 90% of the time	
YEAR	AVERAGE ARRIVAL, 90% OF TIME
2019	89 SECONDS
2018	92 SECONDS
2017	82 SECONDS
2016	94 SECONDS

ARRIVAL OF FIRST ENGINE AT A FIRE

Urban Demand Zone

(Time unit assigned to first engine at fire)

Spokane County Fire District 8 response time standard is 8:00 minutes/seconds, 90% of the time

YEAR	AVERAGE ARRIVAL, 90% OF TIME
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2019	5:13 MIN/SEC
2018	5:34 MIN/SEC
2017	5:03 MIN/SEC
2016	6:19 MIN/SEC

Suburban Demand Zone

(Time unit assigned to first engine at fire)

Spokane County Fire District 8 response time standard is 10:00 minutes/seconds, 90% of the time

YEAR	AVERAGE ARRIVAL, 90% OF TIME
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2019	6:41 MIN/SEC
2018	5:23 MIN/SEC
2017	6:09 MIN/SEC
2016	5:58 MIN/SEC

Rural Demand Zone

(Time unit assigned to first engine at fire)

Spokane County Fire District 8 response time standard is 14:00 minutes/seconds, 90% of the time

YEAR	AVERAGE ARRIVAL, 90% OF TIME
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2019	8:10 MIN/SEC
2018	7:52 MIN/SEC
2017	8:56 MIN/SEC
2016	8:59 MIN/SEC

Remote Rural Demand Zone

(Time unit assigned to first engine at fire)

Spokane County Fire District 8 response time standard is 20:00 minutes/seconds, 90% of the time

YEAR	AVERAGE ARRIVAL, 90% OF TIME
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2019	none
2018	17:48 MIN/SEC
2017	none
2016	none

*one incident in 2018

ARRIVAL OF FIRST ALARM ASSIGNMENT AT A FIRE

Spokane County Fire District 8 full first alarm assignment includes minimum of three engine companies and one response chief

Urban Demand Zone

(Time unit assigned to full first alarm on-scene)

Spokane County Fire District 8 response time standard is 11:00 minutes/seconds, 90% of the time

YEAR	AVERAGE ARRIVAL, 90% OF TIME
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2019	17:28 MIN/SEC
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2018	10:43 MIN/SEC
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2017	26:13 MIN/SEC
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2016	13:26 MIN/SEC
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*one incident in 2017

Suburban Demand Zone

(Time unit assigned to full first alarm on-scene)

Spokane County Fire District 8 response time standard is 15:00 minutes/seconds, 90% of the time

YEAR	AVERAGE ARRIVAL, 90% OF TIME
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2019	14:51 MIN/SEC*
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2018	none
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2017	19:00 MIN/SEC*
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2016	none
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*one incident in 2017 & 2019

Rural Demand Zone

(Time unit assigned to full first alarm on-scene)

Spokane County Fire District 8 response time standard is 20:00 minutes/seconds, 90% of the time

YEAR	AVERAGE ARRIVAL, 90% OF TIME
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2019	18:51 MIN/SEC
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2018	12:58 MIN/SEC
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2017	none
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2016	20:19 MIN/SEC*
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*one incident in 2016

Remote Rural Demand Zone

(Time unit assigned to full first alarm on-scene)

Spokane County Fire District 8 response time standard is 25:00 minutes/seconds, 90% of the time

YEAR	AVERAGE ARRIVAL, 90% OF TIME
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2019	16:47 MIN/SEC
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2018	none
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2017	none
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2016	none
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*one incident in 2019

ARRIVAL OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN OR HIGHER LEVEL AT A MEDICAL SCENE

Urban Demand Zone	
(Dispatch to on-scene)	
Spokane County Fire District 8 response time standard is 6:00 minutes/seconds, 90% of the time	
YEAR	AVERAGE ARRIVAL, 90% OF TIME
2019	4:34 MIN/SEC
2018	4:36 MIN/SEC
2017	4:08 MIN/SEC
2016	4:37 MIN/SEC

Suburban Demand Zone	
(Dispatch to on-scene)	
Spokane County Fire District 8 response time standard is 8:00 minutes/seconds, 90% of the time	
YEAR	AVERAGE ARRIVAL, 90% OF TIME
2019	5:44 MIN/SEC
2018	5:23 MIN/SEC
2017	6:50 MIN/SEC
2016	6:12 MIN/SEC

Rural Demand Zone	
(Dispatch to on-scene)	
Spokane County Fire District 8 response time standard is 12:00 minutes/seconds, 90% of the time	
YEAR	AVERAGE ARRIVAL, 90% OF TIME
2019	7:30 MIN/SEC
2018	6:53 MIN/SEC
2017	6:32 MIN/SEC
2016	7:51 MIN/SEC

Remote Rural Demand Zone	
(Dispatch to on-scene)	
Spokane County Fire District 8 response time standard is 20:00 minutes/seconds, 90% of the time	
YEAR	AVERAGE ARRIVAL, 90% OF TIME
2019	17:14 MIN/SEC*
2018	11:38 MIN/SEC
2017	11:20 MIN/SEC*
2016	14:46 MIN/SEC
*one incident in 2017 & 2019	

ARRIVAL OF ADVANCED LIFE SUPPORT PARAMEDICS AT AN ALS MEDICAL SCENE

Urban Demand Zone
(Dispatch to on-scene)

Spokane County Fire District 8 response time standard is 6:00 minutes/seconds,
90% of the time

YEAR	AVERAGE ARRIVAL, 90% OF TIME
2019	3:37 MIN/SEC
2018	4:02 MIN/SEC
2017	3:35 MIN/SEC
2016	4:05 MIN/SEC

Suburban Demand Zone
(Dispatch to on-scene)

Spokane County Fire District 8 response time standard is 8:00 minutes/seconds,
90% of the time

YEAR	AVERAGE ARRIVAL, 90% OF TIME
2019	6:45 MIN/SEC
2018	5:47 MIN/SEC
2017	6:46 MIN/SEC
2016	6:13 MIN/SEC

Rural Demand Zone
(Dispatch to on-scene)

Spokane County Fire District 8 response time standard is 12:00 minutes/seconds,
90% of the time

YEAR	AVERAGE ARRIVAL, 90% OF TIME
2019	8:44 MIN/SEC
2018	7:47 MIN/SEC
2017	7:48 MIN/SEC
2016	9:20 MIN/SEC

Remote Rural Demand Zone
(Dispatch to on-scene)

Spokane County Fire District 8 response time standard is 20:00 minutes/seconds,
90% of the time

YEAR	AVERAGE ARRIVAL, 90% OF TIME
2019	14:45 MIN/SEC*
2018	7:52 MIN/SEC
2017	12:03 MIN/SEC
2016	12:52 MIN/SEC

*One incident in 2019

ARRIVAL OF WILDLAND FIREFIGHTING TRAINED AND EQUIPPED PERSONNEL

Urban Demand Zone

(Dispatch to on-scene)

Spokane County Fire District 8 response time standard is 8:00 minutes/seconds, 90% of the time

YEAR	AVERAGE ARRIVAL, 90% OF TIME
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2019	8:07 MIN/SEC
2018	9:16 MIN/SEC
2017	11:20 MIN/SEC*
2016	12:06 MIN/SEC

*One incident in 2017

Suburban Demand Zone

(Dispatch to on-scene)

Spokane County Fire District 8 response time standard is 10:00 minutes/seconds, 90% of the time

YEAR	AVERAGE ARRIVAL, 90% OF TIME
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2019	11:15 MIN/SEC
2018	none
2017	none
2016	none

Rural Demand Zone

(Dispatch to on-scene)

Spokane County Fire District 8 response time standard is 14:00 minutes/seconds, 90% of the time

YEAR	AVERAGE ARRIVAL, 90% OF TIME
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2019	10:53 MIN/SEC
2018	11:52 MIN/SEC
2017	9:09 MIN/SEC
2016	11:51 MIN/SEC

Remote Rural Demand Zone

(Dispatch to on-scene)

Spokane County Fire District 8 response time standard is 20:00 minutes/seconds, 90% of the time

YEAR	AVERAGE ARRIVAL, 90% OF TIME
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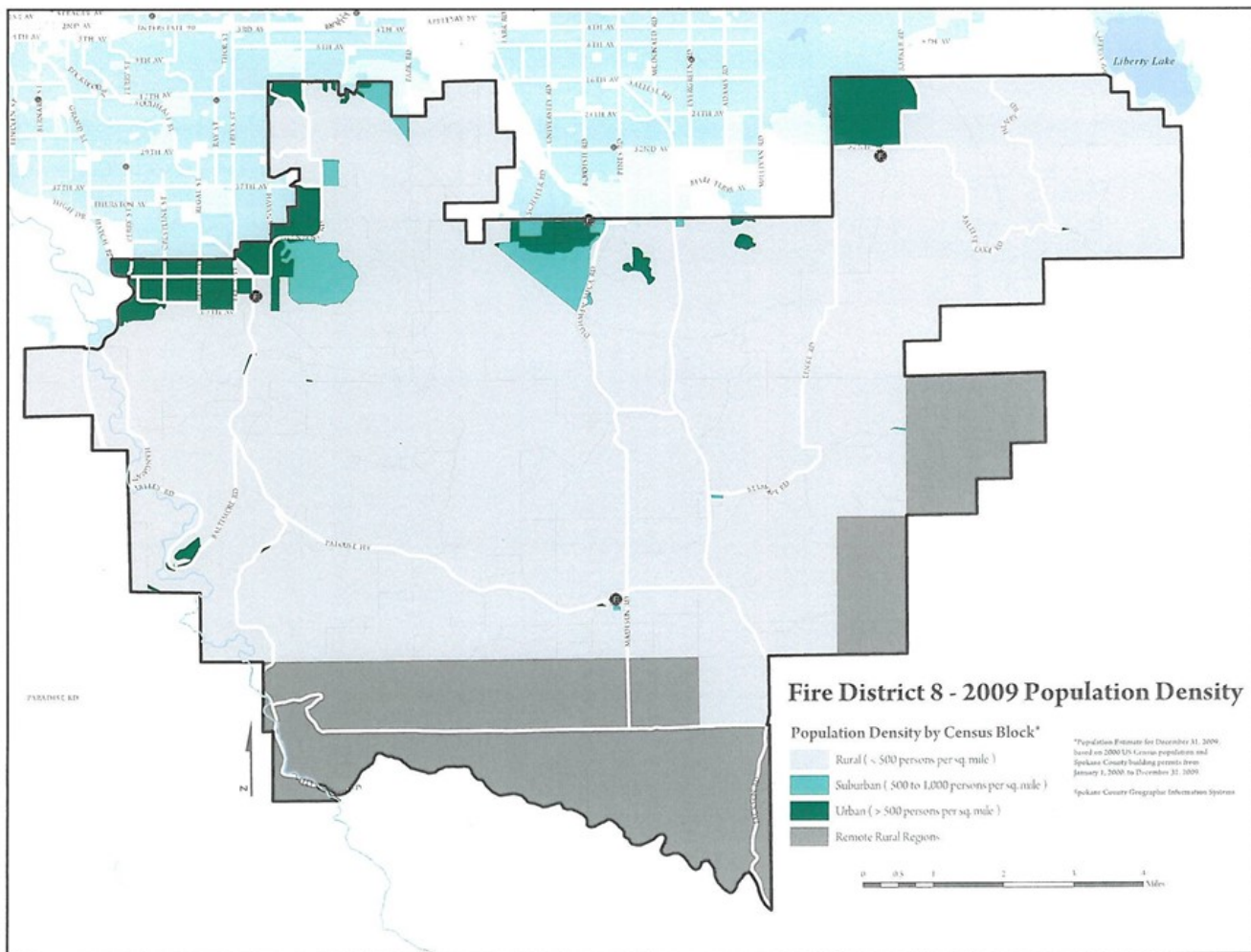
2019	none
2018	none
2017	none
2016	24:16 MIN/SEC*

*One incident in 2016

MAP OF FIRE DISTRICT 8

Figure One: Defines the Districts geographic demand zones. The District is bisected by mountains, which cannot be traversed. Response units are forced to drive around the mountains to reach other station areas. Travel times between stations areas, on average, are approximately fifteen minutes.

Figure One: District 8 Demand Zones



STEPS TO ACHIEVE COMPLIANCE

Steps necessary to achieve compliance with the District's adopted standards may include the following:

- ◆ Addition of staffed fire stations
- ◆ Continued community risk reduction efforts
- ◆ Staff training to reduce turnout times
- ◆ Utilizing agreement with Spokane City Fire Department and Spokane Valley Fire Department for closest resource response
- ◆ Continued automatic aid with neighboring fire/EMS agencies
- ◆ January 1, 2017 all response vehicles received status bar in service on mobile radios to capture accurate response times and on-scene times.



APPENDIX A

to the SE corner of said section 23, thence N along the E lines of sections 23 - 14 - 11 and 2 of T 23 R 44 and the E lines of sections 35 - 26 - 23 - 14 - 11 and 2 of T 24 R 44 to the NE corner of said section 2, thence W along the N lines of sections 2 - 3 - 4 and 5 to the S $\frac{1}{4}$ corner of section 32 T 25 R 44, thence N to the N $\frac{1}{4}$ corner of said section 32, thence continuing N to the NE corner of the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 29 T 25 R 44, thence W to the NW corner of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$, thence N to the NE corner of the W $\frac{1}{2}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of said 29, thence W along the N lines of sections 29 and 30 T 25 R 44 and the N lines of sections 25 and 26 T 25 R 43 to POB.

BE IT FURTHER RESLOVED that William C. Bahme, C. M. Meerach and A. B. Orißler are the duly elected First Fire Commissioners of said District.

PASSED BY THE BOARD, this 29th day of August, 1947.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SPOKANE COUNTY, WASHINGTON.

Wylie W. Brown, Chairman

T. T. Grant

H. A. Raymond

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County Commissioners
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Spokane County
Washington

Attest: Frank J. Glover
Clerk of the Board

by L. Freedlund
Deputy

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APPENDIX A

SPOKANE COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NO. 8

RESOLUTION 74-1

A resolution providing for the creation, organization, regulation and maintenance of a fire department, and to repeal all resolutions or motions in conflict therewith.

Be it resolved by the Board of Fire Commissioners of Spokane County Fire Protection District No. 8, State of Washington:

DISTRICT FIRE DEPARTMENT

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SERVICES

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Mutual Aid. Act in accordance with existing mutual aid agreements when authorized by the officer in charge of the District.

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ORGANIZATION

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