



City of Covington

OFFICE OF THE FIRE CHIEF

P.O. Box 708

Covington, Tennessee 38019

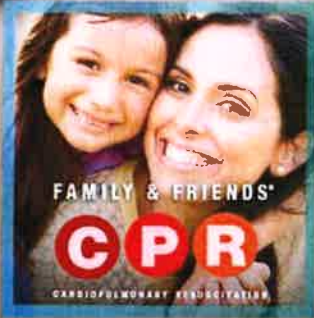


Covington Fire Department

Report for May 24 ,2022

1. Community Events: The Smoke Alarm Canvas on May 9th was a success. I would like to thank the Covington High School HOSA Department, Tennessee State Fire Marshal's Office, and the American Red Cross for their involvement with this project. 70 Alarms were installed, and 100+ smoke alarms were tested. Saturday June 4th at 9am, Free CPR Day sponsored by Tipton County Fire Chiefs Association.
2. Volunteer Hours: 24 hours worked by Volunteers in the April 2022.
3. Run Report for April 21st -May 19th ,2022 attached. Total calls for 2022.
4. County coverage area collections to date: \$81,655.00
5. The billing company that sends out the utility bills and fire fees sent the cover letter from our fire fee by mistake. If you have a city resident ask you about this, have them disregard this notice.
6. Inservice /Training: Firefighters Moffett and Owen completed their Hazardous Material Technician level training. 2-week course
7. Station Update: A2H- completed the assessment of station 2, Found a wall in need of repair above garage door on southwest corner. Once this is repaired the boring will be completed.
8. Dr. Joe Holley is the new medical director for First Responders in Tipton County.
9. USDA -Grant equipment list:
10. Mega site force main map and area timeline

11. The 2nd day of May the Covington Fire Department responded to Brighton for an automobile accident with possible entrapment. Upon arrival it was determined that a semi-trailer carrying a Flammable waste was leaking. Covington Haz-Mat controlled and contained the leak. The shipper had their cleanup crew to mitigate the situation. The Northbound Lane was shut down for 9 hours while the drums were overpacked and offloaded to another trailer. (See Invoice)
12. Severe weather sirens: All sirens are repaired and working at this time.
13. Care Report- see attached (Free Smoke Alarms) call (901)-476-2578 to schedule.
14. Fire Inspection Report: Inspector Jason Jenkins
15. Firefighter Update: One out for FML. One out on short term disability.



FREE CPR TRAINING

(This training is for anyone not required to be certified)

When: Saturday June 4th
9:00am - 10:00 am

Where: All Participating
Fire Departments in
Tipton County



Atoka Fire Department
108 Atoka McLaughlin Dr
Atoka, 38004
901-837-5342



Brighton Fire Department
66 School St
Brighton, 38011
901-475-6536



Charleston Fire Department
1845 Davis Rd
Covington, 38019
901-476-4300



Covington Fire Department
101 Tennessee Ave
Covington, 38019
901-475-2578



Garland Fire Department
1195 Garland Dr
Covington, 38019
901-476-8430



Gilt Edge Fire Department
9149 Munford Giltedge Rd
Gilt Edge, 38015
901-476-2971



Mason Fire Department
12162 Main St
Mason, 38049
901-294-2344



Munford Fire Department
1397 Munford Ave
Munford, 38058
901-837-5960



Quito Fire Department
71 Quito Rd
Millington, 38053
901-835-3939



Three Star Fire Department
2050 Sadler School Rd
Brighton, 38011
901-476-8183



Tipton County Fire Department
261 Tate Rd
Drummonds, 38023
901-305-2991

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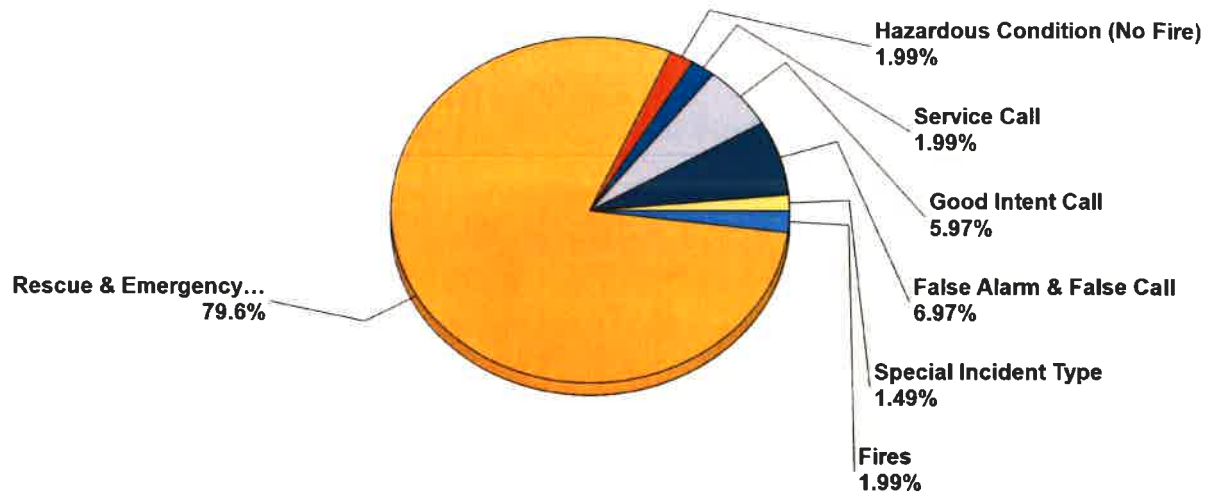
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Breakdown by Major Incident Types for Date Range

Zone(s): All Zones | Start Date: 04/21/2022 | End Date: 05/19/2022



MAJOR INCIDENT TYPE	# INCIDENTS	% of TOTAL
Fires	4	1.99%
Rescue & Emergency Medical Service	160	79.6%
Hazardous Condition (No Fire)	4	1.99%
Service Call	4	1.99%
Good Intent Call	12	5.97%
False Alarm & False Call	14	6.97%
Special Incident Type	3	1.49%
TOTAL	201	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.



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Detailed Breakdown by Incident Type		
INCIDENT TYPE	# INCIDENTS	% of TOTAL
113 - Cooking fire, confined to container	1	0.5%
131 - Passenger vehicle fire	2	1%
143 - Grass fire	1	0.5%
311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	18	8.96%
321 - EMS call, excluding vehicle accident with injury	129	64.18%
322 - Motor vehicle accident with injuries	9	4.48%
324 - Motor vehicle accident with no injuries.	3	1.49%
350 - Extrication, rescue, other	1	0.5%
411 - Gasoline or other flammable liquid spill	3	1.49%
413 - Oil or other combustible liquid spill	1	0.5%
500 - Service Call, other	2	1%
552 - Police matter	1	0.5%
561 - Unauthorized burning	1	0.5%
611 - Dispatched & cancelled en route	10	4.98%
622 - No incident found on arrival at dispatch address	2	1%
700 - False alarm or false call, other	4	1.99%
711 - Municipal alarm system, malicious false alarm	1	0.5%
730 - System malfunction, other	1	0.5%
733 - Smoke detector activation due to malfunction	4	1.99%
735 - Alarm system sounded due to malfunction	1	0.5%
745 - Alarm system activation, no fire - unintentional	3	1.49%
900 - Special type of incident, other	1	0.5%
911 - Citizen complaint	2	1%
TOTAL INCIDENTS:	201	100%

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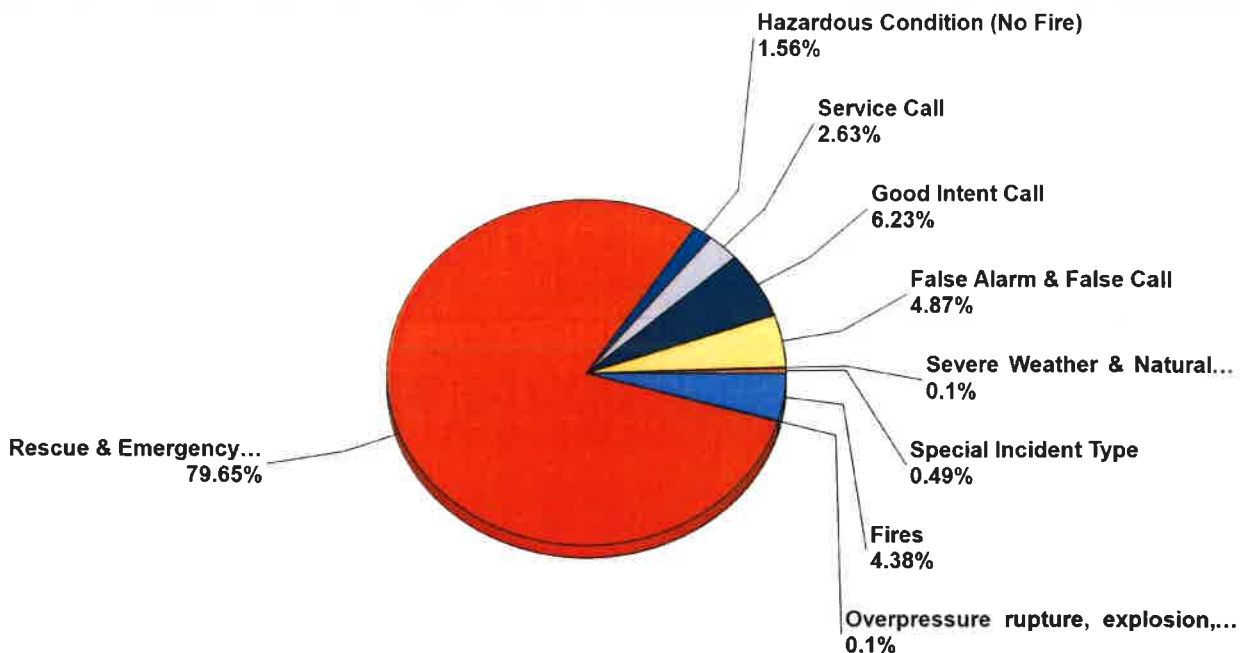
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Breakdown by Major Incident Types for Date Range

Zone(s): All Zones | Start Date: 01/01/2022 | End Date: 12/31/2022



MAJOR INCIDENT TYPE	# INCIDENTS	% of TOTAL
Fires	45	4.38%
Overpressure rupture, explosion, overheating - no fire	1	0.1%
Rescue & Emergency Medical Service	818	79.65%
Hazardous Condition (No Fire)	16	1.56%
Service Call	27	2.63%
Good Intent Call	64	6.23%
False Alarm & False Call	50	4.87%
Severe Weather & Natural Disaster	1	0.1%
Special Incident Type	5	0.49%
TOTAL	1027	100%

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Detailed Breakdown by Incident Type

INCIDENT TYPE	# INCIDENTS	% of TOTAL
111 - Building fire	10	0.97%
112 - Fires in structure other than in a building	1	0.1%
113 - Cooking fire, confined to container	2	0.19%
130 - Mobile property (vehicle) fire, other	2	0.19%
131 - Passenger vehicle fire	5	0.49%
132 - Road freight or transport vehicle fire	2	0.19%
140 - Natural vegetation fire, other	1	0.1%
142 - Brush or brush-and-grass mixture fire	6	0.58%
143 - Grass fire	14	1.36%
151 - Outside rubbish, trash or waste fire	1	0.1%
153 - Construction or demolition landfill fire	1	0.1%
251 - Excessive heat, scorch burns with no ignition	1	0.1%
311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	71	6.91%
320 - Emergency medical service, other	1	0.1%
321 - EMS call, excluding vehicle accident with injury	691	67.28%
322 - Motor vehicle accident with injuries	33	3.21%
323 - Motor vehicle/pedestrian accident (MV Ped)	1	0.1%
324 - Motor vehicle accident with no injuries.	14	1.36%
331 - Lock-in (if lock out , use 511)	1	0.1%
350 - Extrication, rescue, other	1	0.1%
351 - Extrication of victim(s) from building/structure	1	0.1%
352 - Extrication of victim(s) from vehicle	1	0.1%
370 - Electrical rescue, other	1	0.1%
381 - Rescue or EMS standby	2	0.19%
400 - Hazardous condition, other	4	0.39%
411 - Gasoline or other flammable liquid spill	3	0.29%
412 - Gas leak (natural gas or LPG)	3	0.29%
413 - Oil or other combustible liquid spill	1	0.1%
444 - Power line down	3	0.29%
445 - Arcing, shorted electrical equipment	2	0.19%
500 - Service Call, other	4	0.39%
510 - Person in distress, other	9	0.88%
511 - Lock-out	2	0.19%
520 - Water problem, other	1	0.1%
521 - Water evacuation	1	0.1%
522 - Water or steam leak	1	0.1%
531 - Smoke or odor removal	1	0.1%
551 - Assist police or other governmental agency	2	0.19%
552 - Police matter	2	0.19%
553 - Public service	2	0.19%
561 - Unauthorized burning	2	0.19%
600 - Good intent call, other	1	0.1%
611 - Dispatched & cancelled en route	55	5.36%
622 - No incident found on arrival at dispatch address	5	0.49%
631 - Authorized controlled burning	1	0.1%
651 - Smoke scare, odor of smoke	2	0.19%
700 - False alarm or false call, other	15	1.46%
711 - Municipal alarm system, malicious false alarm	2	0.19%
721 - Bomb scare - no bomb	1	0.1%
730 - System malfunction, other	1	0.1%
731 - Sprinkler activation due to malfunction	1	0.1%
733 - Smoke detector activation due to malfunction	9	0.88%
735 - Alarm system sounded due to malfunction	4	0.39%
740 - Unintentional transmission of alarm, other	1	0.1%
741 - Sprinkler activation, no fire - unintentional	1	0.1%

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INCIDENT TYPE	# INCIDENTS	% of TOTAL
743 - Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional	4	0.39%
744 - Detector activation, no fire - unintentional	2	0.19%
745 - Alarm system activation, no fire - unintentional	8	0.78%
746 - Carbon monoxide detector activation, no CO	1	0.1%
812 - Flood assessment	1	0.1%
900 - Special type of incident, other	2	0.19%
911 - Citizen complaint	3	0.29%
TOTAL INCIDENTS:	1027	100%

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Yearly Totals

Year	Total
2008	\$55,600.00
2009	\$53,950.00
2010	\$52,550.00
2011	\$53,900.00
2012	\$54,300.00
2013	\$55,400.00
2014	\$55,550.00
2015	\$57,400.00
2016	\$84,100.00
2017	\$80,295.00
2018	\$79,625.00
2019	\$80,320.00
2020	\$79,870.00
2021	\$82,840.00
2022	\$81,655.00

FIRE CHIEF
RICHARD GRIGGS



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COVINGTON, TENNESSEE 38019

MAYOR
JUSTIN HANSON



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COUNTY FIRE FEE FOR 2022

Tipton County does NOT have a county-wide fire tax, so we depend on your payment to continue our commitment to residences like you who live or own property outside the city limits of Covington. Your commitment to us improves our ability to provide the highest level of trained personnel, and dependable equipment to respond to your Fire Suppression needs. Covington Fire Department responds to your needs 24 hours a day with a minimum of 6 highly trained professional firefighters, responding in some of the best fire equipment in the state of Tennessee. We have been able, as a result of our high standards, to improve our insurance rating to **ISO 2**. This could be a savings to you. Contact your homeowner's insurance company for a possible reduction in your rates. The county provides Emergency Medical Service via contract, however, C.F.D. will respond when requested by the ambulance provider.

We need your financial commitment of \$75.00 for your annual fire fee. Again, this is an annual fee, due once a year from January 1, 2022 to December 31, 2022.

REMEMBER! Residents who fail to pay their annual fire fees will be charged \$400.00 per hour with a minimum of two (2) hours for a total of \$800.00; residents who have paid their dues will not directly receive a bill for services.

Your annual fees are a commitment to us as we commit our Fire Department to you in the time of need to protect you, your family, and your property. Please respond with your \$75.00 fee to Covington Fire Department P.O. Box 768, Covington, TN 38019.

Thank you,

Richard Griggs
Covington Fire Department Fire Chief

"Serving Our Community With Pride, Honor, and Integrity"

Fire Chief
Richard Griggs



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5/16/2022

The Covington Fire Department would like to apply for the USDA grant to include furnishings and new equipment for the addition at station -2, and 10 AEDS with cabinets to install in City owned properties.

- 1- Kitchen Table
 - 2- 12- beds with mattresses
 - 3- 8 Kitchen table chairs
 - 4- 10-Bedside tables
 - 5- 12 Wardrobe style lockers
 - 6- 1 Couch
 - 7- 4 Recliners
 - 8- 1- Industrial Gear washer and dryer
 - 9- 2- White refrigerators
 - 10-10 Zoll AED Plus Kits with wall cabinet
- \$ 75,489.41

Respectfully,

Richard Griggs, Fire Chief

7/1/22 to 8/1/22

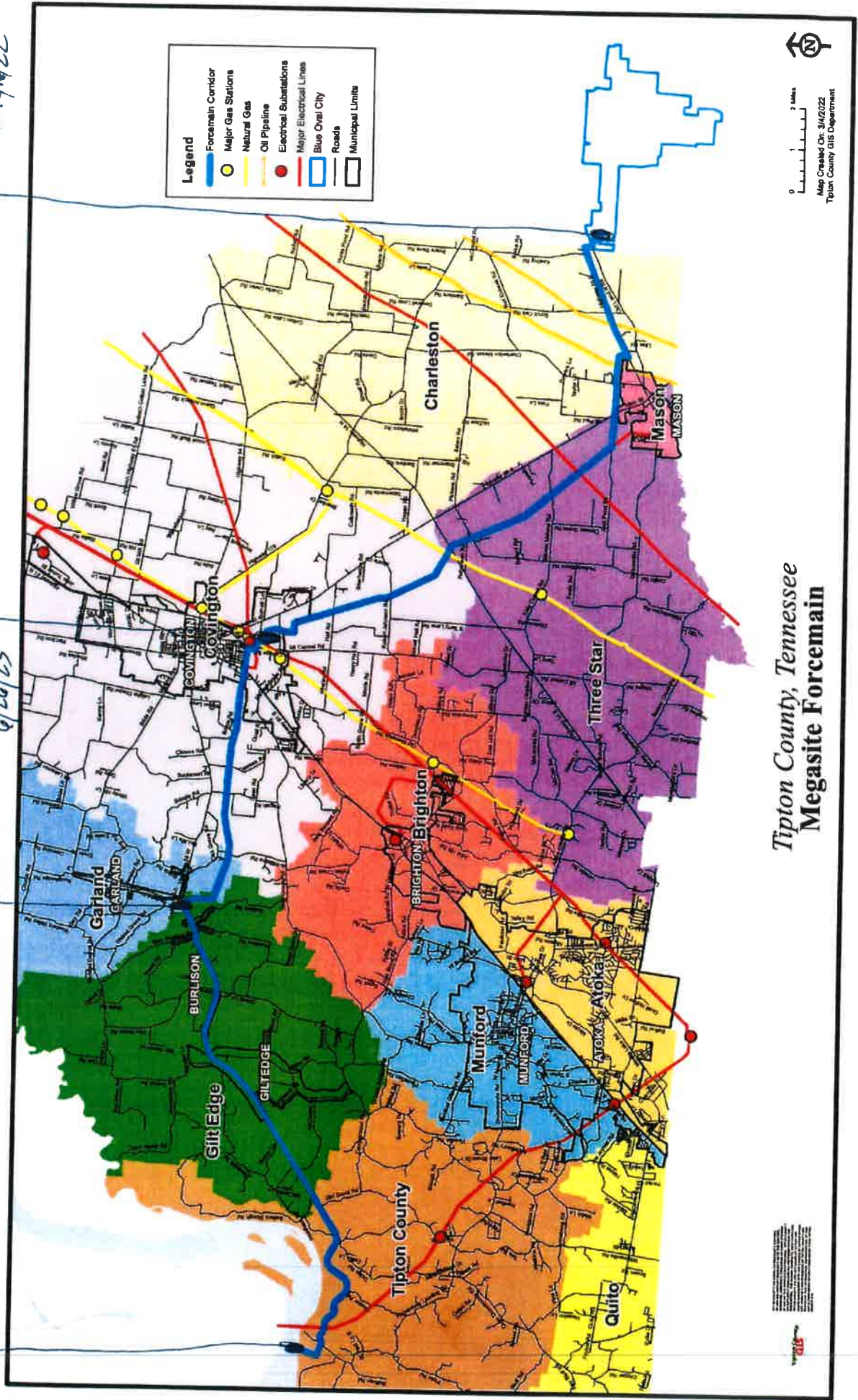
12/16/22

TO END OF CONTRACT

6/26/23

3/7/22 to 6/10/22

3/7/22
TO 12/16/22



COVINGTON FIRE DEPARTMENT
101 TENNESSEE AVENUE
COVINGTON, TENNESSEE 38019
PHONE: 901-476-2578
FAX: 901-476-9800

DATE: 05/16/22

TO: TRADEBE TREATMENT & RECYCLING OF TN LLC
ATTN: DAVID LINDER
5485 VICTORY LANE
MILLINGTON, TN 38053

QTY	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT	TOTAL
25 GAL	COVINGTON FUEL	\$4.00	\$100.00
18 GAL	COVINGTON FUEL	\$4.06	\$75.00
4 HRS	COVINGTON FIRE DEPARTMENT VOLUNTEER SALARY	\$9.20	\$36.80
9 HRS	COVINGTON FIRE DEPARTMENT REGULAR PAY SALARY	\$117.94	\$1,061.46
55 HRS	COVINGTON FIRE DEPARTMENT OVERTIME PAY SALARY	\$29.91	\$1,645.05
9 HRS	BRIGHTON FIRE DEPARTMENT REGULAR PAY SALARY	\$41.34	\$372.06
9 HRS	BRIGHTON PUBLIC WORKS DEPT REGULAR PAY SALARY	\$109.22	\$982.98
9 HRS	BRIGHTON ENGINE	\$75.61	\$680.49
9 HRS	COVINGTON COMMAND VEHICLE	\$19.97	179.73
9 HRS	COVINGTON HAZMAT TRUCK	\$26.24	236.16
9 HRS	COVINGTON HAZMAT TRAILOR	\$39.45	355.05
2 HRS	COVINGTON LIGHT TOWER	\$10.56	21.12
2 HRS	COVINGTON GENERATOR	\$4.95	\$9.90
	GATORADE AND WATER FOR FIREFIGHTERS		60.69
	SERVICES PROVIDED BY COVINGTON FIRE DEPARTMENT		
	AND BRIGHTON FIRE DEPARTMENT ON 5/2/2022		
	FOR HAZMAT SPILL AT INTERSECTION OF HIGHWAY 51 S		
	AND E. WOODLAWN AVE, BRIGHTON, TN 38011		
	TOTAL	\$492.45	\$5,816.49

Covington Fire Dept. CARE/911 Alternative Program

Monthly Report – May 2022

- General Office Duties
- Completed Two Virtual Drug Free Tipton meetings
- Installed seven smoke alarms
- Monitored City of Covington Civil Defense Tornado Sirens at various locations – Hall St., Covington High School, Crestview Elementary School, Loon ST.
- Ten welfare checks
- Attended two Civic meeting with the Covington Rotary Club
- Assisted on one EMS call
- Attended Earth Day at the Tipton County Museum
- Completed One State of Tennessee EMS AEMT JSCC Skill Practical Jackson TN.
- Completed One State of Tennessee EMS Basic EMT Skill Practical DSCC Covington TN. JN Campus
- Completed One State of Tennessee EMS AEMT Skill Practical DSCC Covington TN. JN Campus
- Completed Two AHA CPR BLS Recertification Classes
- Completed Six AHA CPR Heart Saver AED 1st Aid Classes
- Completed Four STOP THE BLEED classes
- Attended Covington Magnolia Nursing Home Nurses Appreciation Day @ Balloon release
- Attended College & Career Fair Day at Covington Crestview Middle School.
- Participated in a Smoke Alarm Canvas with the American Red Cross, Tennessee State Fire Marshal's Office, and a very special Thanks too Plummer Grove CME Church, 1528 Andrew ST. for allowing us to stage at their Location.

Covington Fire Department Inspector

Monthly Report April 18th 2022 to May 19th 2022

- General office duties, taking mail and picking up mail at City Hall and picking up supplies needed for both stations and vehicles.
 - 32 Inspections / re-Inspections/ Beer inspection
 - 3 fire alarm tests
 - 3 Civic meeting
 - 3 hour webinar with the TFSIA committee on the upcoming conference and new legislation.
 - 2 hour webinar with the sprinklermatic university on fire sprinklers & risers
 - 1 hour webinar on fire sprinkler 101 applications of NFPA 13 & NFPA 14
 - 2 hours of checking hydrants and FDC at commercial business in Covington
 - 1 plans review/ Special Events or other meetings
 - 2 False Alarm responses
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Public Safety Committee Meeting Law Enforcement Agenda 24 May 2022

- Personnel
- Training
- Fleet
- Monthly Activity
- April 2022 statistics
- Graphs for April 2022

Personnel

Donna Turner was sworn in by Mayor Hanson on 04 April 2022 as the Chief of Police.

The CPD currently has six (6) vacant positions of a total of 37:

1. Uniform Patrol (James Jordon: money – Atoka PD)
2. Uniform Patrol (Freddie Braddic: hardship – Henderson CO SO)
3. Uniform Patrol (Lt McGarity: resignation/retirement)
4. Uniform Patrol (Daniel Carter: resignation – conduct)
5. Criminal Investigation Division (Det Dwayne Dowell – Atoka PD)
6. Administrative Secretary (Amanda Durham – money – Corporate)

The CPD Command Staff and Human Resource Director Eaton has begun the interviewing process, for these positions. The interview panel was held 2 days at the Civic Center Conference Room. The panel offered interviews to 4 Administrative Secretary candidates

“Serving – Protecting- Caring”

and 6 Police Officer candidates. A background investigation has been initiated on a candidate for the Administrative Secretary position.

Training

- April 4-8th, Detective Dillingham attended a 40-hour training session in Louisville Ky. (Basic Homicide Investigation)

About the Course: - Responsibilities of the Homicide Investigator - Investigative Considerations - Crime Scene Investigation - Evidence Processing - Lab Capabilities - Suspect Development & Elimination - Interview & Interrogation - Exploitation of Digital Evidence - Cellular Analysis - Media & Public Information Officer Relationship - Criminal Investigative Analysis - Role of the Medical Examiner/Coroner - Investigative Resources (FBI ViCAP) - Child Abductions/Death Investigations - Documentation/Report Writing - Defense Attorney/Prosecutor Relationship - Legal Matters - Courtroom Testimony

- April 19-20th, Sgt. Templeton and Officer Norton attended a 16-hour training session in Murfreesboro, in regard to Taser instruction.

About the Course: TASER X26P, X2, TASER 7 and TASER 7 CQ Instructor certification course. With the release of version 22, this training offers an enhanced instructor course to teach students how to develop and safely execute scenarios and isolation drills and provide more in-depth scenario training. The officer will be certified to instruct others on the use of the X26P, X2, TASER 7 and TASER 7 CQ energy weapons.

- April 26th, Lt Rodney McCurry attended the African American Leadership Event in Jackson.

About the course: It is an event sponsored by UT Martin's WestStar Leadership Program. The annual event is designed to spotlight African American leaders

throughout West Tennessee and features an opportunity to hear from esteemed guest speakers and provides leadership networking.

Fleet

- The two new Dodge Chargers have arrived and will soon be utilized by the Patrol Division. The units will be equipped at Comserv in Memphis in the near future.
- The two units that will be repaired with parts from the six wrecked vehicles have not been completed. No pending date on when they will be placed back into service

Monthly Activity

- April 7th – CPD staff attended the joint proclamation ceremony by Mayor Huffman and Mayor Hanson for National Child Abuse Awareness Month.
- April 8th – Press release for a vehicle theft investigation at Covington Electric
- April – Joint press release with Tipton County Schools for a death investigation at Covington High School
- April 11th – CPD staff attended a balloon release honoring the CPD student.
- April 12th – Press release of an arrest made in a fraud case at Patriot Bank
- April 14th – Press release of 14 vehicles burglarized at Unilever
- April 16th – CPD assisted the TCSO in providing an escort through Covington for Pearl Harbor veteran. The Covington Fire Department posted the flag during the escort.
- April 16th – CPD staff attended the Covington Clause Easter Special Event
- April 19th – Atoka PD utilized the CPD firing range for firearm qualifications.
- April 21st – Tipton County Clerk Mike Forbess updated CPD staff on a newly installed program to assist in confirming case disposition from Court.
- April 21st – CPD reposted advertisements for applicants for Police Officers with the \$3000.00 sign on bonus.
- April 21st – CPD staff assisted with the DSCC Earthquake Disaster Drill

- April 21st – CPD staff attended a proclamation signing for Sexual Assault Awareness month.
- April 22nd – Press release of an arrest of an employee at Dollar General who was allegedly stealing money using debit cards.
- April 22nd – CPD joined in wearing blue for Child Abuse Awareness Month
- April 23rd – CPD assisted at the Earth Day Special Festival
- April 24th – Press release on a domestic shooting in the 1200 block of S. College. Arrest made by CID on April 26th.
- April 25th – Chief Turner attended the DSCC Law Enforcement Advisory Committee meeting to discuss training and programs geared toward law enforcement recruitment.
- April 27th – Mayor Hanson recognized all CPD ladies for Administrative Professional's Day and presented flowers.
- April 27th – CPD assisted Drug Free Tipton at a drug take back event at First Baptist Church Covington
- April 27th – TCSO Inmate Crew assisted CPD in building clean up at PD.
- April 28th – Chief Turner spoke at the Tipton County Rotary Club
- April 30th – CPD staff participated in the National Drug Take Back Event

April 2022 statistics

Graphs are included in your attachments

- Total calls for service- 1293
- Traffic Stops – 671
- Stats

Offense Category	<u>Dec.</u> <u>Qty.</u>
Homicide	0
Sex Offense	1
Assault	8
Domestic Offenses	12
Weapon	6
Misc. Reports	63
Counterfeiting/Forgery	1
Burglary	1
Motor Vehicle Theft	2
Fraud	4
Larceny/ Theft	7
Embezzlement	1
Stolen Property	0
Vandalism	9
Drug/Narcotic	20
Memo	139

Arrest	<u>Dec.</u> <u>Qty.</u>
Adult	94
Juvenile	10

Tickets	<u>Dec.</u> <u>Qty.</u>
Traffic Summons	238
Ordinance Violation	7

Personnel



Positions

Sworn

Openings

Not Sworn

- Positions
- Sworn
- Not Sworn
- Openings

Personnel	Positions	Sworn	Not Sworn	Openings		
		39	31	2		6
Fleet	Total	Trucks	SUV's	Cars		
		27	5	8		14
CPD Service	Total Calls	Traffic Stops	Adult Arrests	Juvenile Arrests	Traffic Summons	
	1293	671	94		10	238
Offenses	Homicide	Sex Offense	Assault	Domestic Offense	Weapon	
	0	1		8	12	6

Ordinance Violation

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Misc. Reports

Counterfeiting/Forgery

Burglary

Motor Vehicle Theft

Fraud

Larceny/Theft

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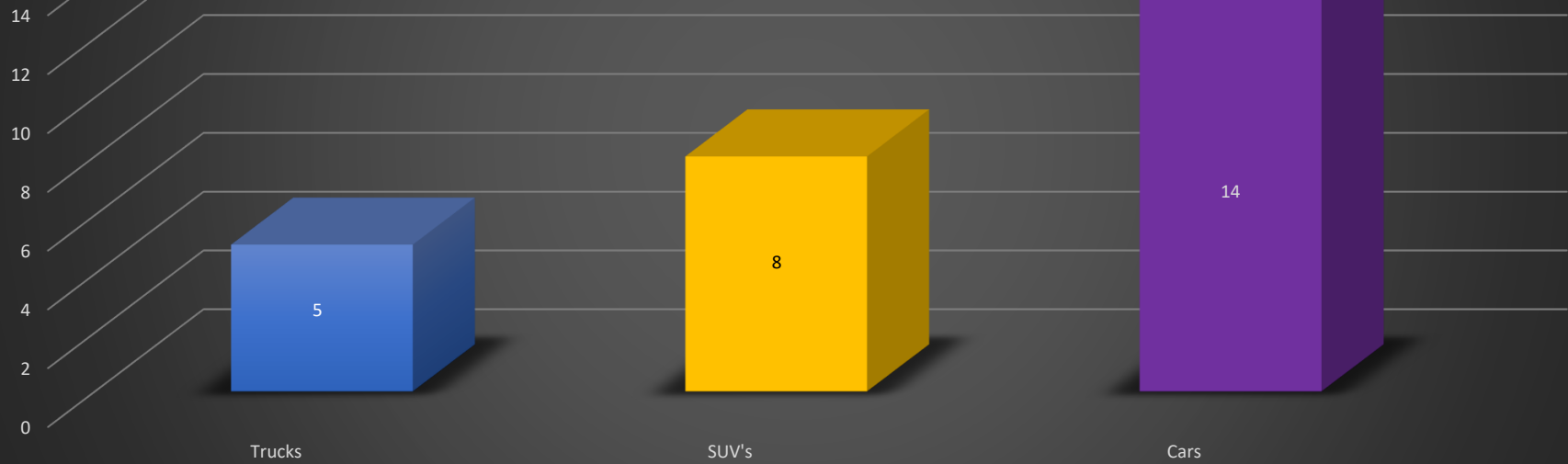
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Embezzlement	Stolen Property	Vandalism	Drug/Narcotic	Memo
1	0	9	20	139



Fleet



STATISTICS

■ Ordinance Violation ■ Traffic Summons ■ Juvenile Arrests ■ Adult Arrests ■ Traffic Stops



Ordinance Violation, 7

Traffic Summons, 238

Juvenile Arrests, 10

Adult Arrests, 94

Traffic Stops, 671



Offenses

