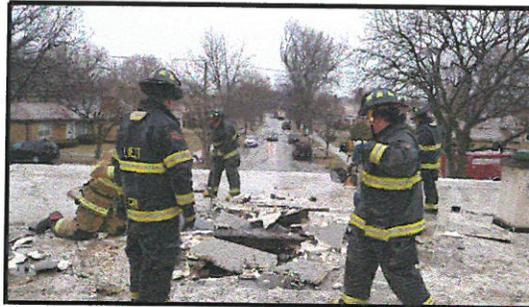


La Grange Park Fire Department Monthly Report March 2015



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Village Board Meeting Fire Department Activity Memo

To: Julia Cedillo, Village Manager

From: Dean J. Maggos, Director of Fire & Building



Date: April 21, 2015

Re: Fire Department Activities – MARCH 2015

As requested for insertion into the Village Board meeting agenda packet, the following is a brief summary of Fire Department activity highlights for the month of March. As usual, a more comprehensive monthly report is kept within the department for your review.

EMS Responses for this month - 136. There have been 395 YTD compared to 388 YTD in 2014.
Fire/Rescue Incidents this month - 32. There have been 111 YTD compared to 187 YTD in 2014.

On Sunday, March 29th, firefighters conducted live fire training at the Park District's shelter house in Memorial Park, which was scheduled for demolition. Several training evolutions were conducted which involved fire attack and search and rescue operations. The event provided some very worthwhile education and hands-on experience for all involved. We appreciate the Park District's use of the facility and the patience of the neighbors in dealing with us on a Sunday morning.

EMS staff, led by Contract Coordinator Shelly Carbone, worked with the Police Department to update medical equipment carried in the police vehicles. New bags were purchased, and Shelly equipped the new bags with supplies needed to place them in service.

During the month, contract firefighter/paramedic Niko Elfter left contract employment with PSSI at our Village as he was hired as full-time by another municipality.

During the month, Fire Prevention staff witnessed hydrostatic pressure testing of fire sprinkler systems being installed in three new homes in our Village.

03/10 (TUE) 8:13 AM: Responded with an Engine to assist Western Springs with an attic fire in a home on 600 block of Cortland Circle

03/11 (WED) 1:07 PM: Responded to an apartment fire on the 2nd floor at 1634 Barnsdale Rd. We initially responded to an activated fire alarm, but prior to our arrival on the scene callers reported a fire. Fire personnel conducted search and evacuation of various apartments and led residents on the 3rd floor above the fire down to safety. The fire was quickly extinguished with assistance from neighboring departments.

03/14 (SAT) 7:54 PM: Responded to a cooking fire in the sub-basement kitchen of The Grove at 701 N. La Grange Rd. The fire was extinguished by an employee with a fire extinguisher prior to our arrival.

03/17 (TUE) 9:00 AM: Responded with an Engine and a Chief to assist Brookfield with a fire in a two-flat in the 9100 block of Washington Ave.

03/24 (TUE) 3:00 PM: Responded to a vehicle crash at 31st St. and Brainard Ave.. One driver had to be extricated with hydraulic rescue tools to be safely removed from one of the vehicles.

Incident Reports By Incident Type, Summary

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Incident Type	Total Incidents:
111 Building fire	3
113 Cooking fire, confined to container	1
142 Brush, or brush and grass mixture fire	1
311 Medical assist, assist EMS crew	1
321 EMS call, excluding vehicle accident with injury	138
322 Vehicle accident with injuries	2
352 Extrication of victim(s) from vehicle	1
412 Gas leak (natural gas or LPG)	1
424 Carbon monoxide incident	1
611 Dispatched & canceled en route	6
651 Smoke scare, odor of smoke	1
652 Steam, vapor, fog or dust thought to be smoke	1
735 Alarm system sounded due to malfunction	2
736 CO detector activation due to malfunction	2
740 Unintentional transmission of alarm, other	1
743 Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional	4
745 Alarm system sounded, no fire - unintentional	3
746 Carbon monoxide detector activation, no CO	3
Total Number of Incidents:	172
Total Number of Incident Types:	18

Print Date: 4/21/2015



LA GRANGE PARK FIRE DEPARTMENT

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La Grange Park, Illinois 60526

(708) 354-0225 *Administration*
(708) 352-2141 *Non-Emergency*
(708) 354-0241 *FAX*

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES ACTIVITY REPORT – MARCH 2015

Ambulance Responses:

This month, EMT and Paramedic personnel responded to a total of 136 requests for emergency medical services treating a total of 137 patients. There were 108 calls located west of the IHB Railroad and 15 calls east of the IHB Railroad. Year to date, there has been a total of 395 requests for service providing care to 399 patients.

This compares to last year (March 2014) when there were 127 requests for service with a year to date total of 388 service requests.

Training and Continuing Education:

EMT Continuing Education conducted by the Loyola EMS System through our Associate Hospital – LaGrange Memorial, was conducted on Tuesday, March 10th in the Community Room at Fire Station #1. Paramedic Continuing Education was conducted on Monday, March 16th, Wednesday, March 18th, and Friday, March 20th at the LaGrange Fire Department.

Special Activities:

March 3rd – Firefighter/Paramedic Carbone attended the Loyola EMS System Coordinators Meeting held at Gottlieb Memorial Hospital in Melrose Park.

March 4th – Firefighter/Paramedic Carbone attended the EMS Region 8 Educational Committee Meeting at Good Samaritan Hospital in Downers Grove.

March 20th – Chief Maggos and Firefighter/Paramedic Carbone conducted interviews with Public Safety Services, Inc. to fill an opening on our contract paramedic staff. Firefighter/Paramedic Nike Elfter left to pursue full time employment with the Chicago Ridge Fire Department as a Firefighter/Paramedic.

March 25th – Division Chief Ronovsky attended the EMS Region 8 Advisory Board Meeting at Good Samaritan Hospital in Downers Grove.

In March, our personnel worked with the Police Department to update emergency medical equipment carried in our Village Police Squads. With the addition of the medication Narcan to our police vehicles, both staffs worked to streamline the

equipment carried on these vehicles. Both Police and Fire personnel use this equipment when responding to calls.

Rick Ronovsky

Submitted by:
Rick Ronovsky, Division Chief
EMS Division



Approved by:
Dean J. Maggos, Fire Chief

**LAGRANGE PARK FIRE DEPARTMENT
EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES
RESPONSE ACTIVITIES – MARCH 2015**

NATURE OF CALL:

Cardiac	009
Injured Person	018
Medical Emergency	059
Road Accident	006
Respiratory	014
Assist Patient	007
Mutual Aid Given	013
EMS Stand-by	000

OUTCOME OF SERVICES:

Treated/Transported	096
Refused Services	032
Assist Patient Only	007
Other	002

LEVEL OF CARE PROVIDED:

Advanced (ALS)	078
Basic (BLS)	018
Refused Care	032
Other	009

TRANSPORT FACILITIES:

LaGrange Hospital	082
Loyola Medical Center	006
Hinsdale Hospital	007
MacNeal Hospital	000
Good Samaritan Hospital	000
Hines VA Hospital	001
Elmhurst Hospital	000
Not transported	041

RESPONSE ACTIVITY:

Total Calls – Month	136
Total Calls – YTD	395
Total Patients – Month	137
Total Patients – YTD	399

LOCATION OF CALL:

Commercial	003
Educational	
Brook Park School	001
Forest Road School	000
Nazareth Academy	001
Park Junior High School	000
St. Louise School/Church	001
Industrial	000
Bethlehem Woods Complex	
Residential Towers	029
Assisted Living Center	004
Institutional	
OLB Center	003
The Grove Health Care	002
Plymouth Place	024
Scheck Senior Center	000
Residential	
Single Family	043
Multi Family	007
Miscellaneous	
Police/Fire Station	002
Street/Road/Park	003
Mutual Aid Given	013

MUTUAL AID ACTIVITY:

Provided to:

LaGrange	009
Darien Woodridge	001
Westchester	003

Received from:

Brookfield	001
LaGrange	009
Western Springs	001

Rick Ronovsky

Submitted by:
Rick Ronovsky, Division Chief
EMS Division



Approved by:
Dean Maggos, Fire Chief

**Fire Prevention and Education Activities for
March, 2015**

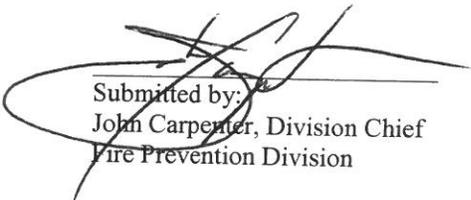
Fire Prevention and Education was conducted by Division Chief Carpenter and FF McManus

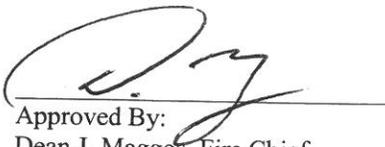
- Members conducted 9 Fire Inspections at the following type of occupancies:
 - Residential: 3
 - Commercial: 3
 - Education: 0
 - Industrial: 1
 - Institution: 0
 - Municipal: 0
 - Office: 2

- Members noted 3 violations of the Village Fire and Life Safety code as follows:
 - Alarm Systems: 0
 - Fire Extinguishers: 0
 - Electrical: 0
 - Combustible Storage: 0
 - Flammable Storage: 0
 - Life Safety: 2
 - Other: 1

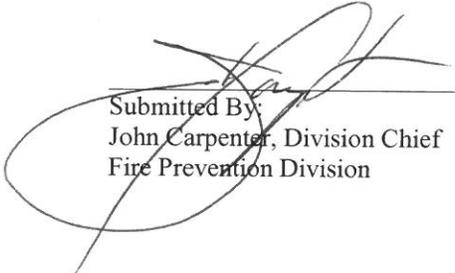
- Members conducted 0 re-inspections with 0 of 0 outstanding violations corrected.

- The Department responded to 6 Fire alarm activation's during the month.
 - Malicious: 0
 - Malfunction: 0
 - Smoke / Fire: 6

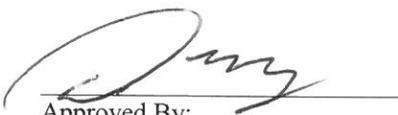

Submitted by:
John Carpenter, Division Chief
Fire Prevention Division


Approved By:
Dean J. Maggos, Fire Chief

- D/C Carpenter conducted a Hydrostatic test inspection for the new residential sprinkler system at 626 Ashland.
- D/C Carpenter conducted a Hydrostatic test inspection for the new residential sprinkler system at 1005 Beach.
- D/C Carpenter conducted an Hydrostatic test inspection for the new residential sprinkler system at 743 Brainard.
- D/C Carpenter continues working with the Business owners in obtaining annual fire alarm and sprinkler testing reports.
- DC Carpenter continues updating Knox box keys throughout the village
- D/C Carpenter continues to receive request for lock box applications and continues to place keys in new boxes throughout the village
- D/C Carpenter continues following up with several problem fire alarms.



Submitted By:
John Carpenter, Division Chief
Fire Prevention Division



Approved By:
Dean J. Maggos, Fire Chief

**LaGrange Park Fire Department
Division of Operations & Training
March 2015**

Monthly Training Summary

Regular Training

March 2 & 3	SOG & Pre-Plan Review
March 9 & 10	SCBA Consumption Test, Donning & Doffing, and Air Station
March 16 & 17	Drivers Training
March 23 & 24	Equipment, Vehicle, & Station Maintenance
March 30 & 31	SCBA Consumption Test, Donning & Doffing, and Air Station

Training hour totals

	March 2015	2015 YTD
Regular Drill	279.00	755.50
Other Training	580.50	1241.50

Monthly Operations Summary

Fire Call Activities

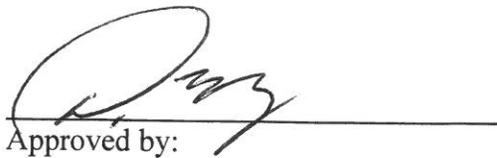
	March 2015	2015 YTD	March 2014	2014 YTD
Total Fire Calls	32	111	49	187

Fire Call Mutual Aid Summary

	March 2015 Aid Received	2015 YTD Aid Received	March 2015 Aid Given	2015 YTD Aid Given
Brookfield	4	6	4	9
La Grange	7	22	5	15
Western Springs	1	2	1	1
Other	9	12	1	5
Mutual Aid Totals	21	42	11	30



Submitted by:
Norman Rick, Division Chief
Support / Operations Division



Approved by:
Dean J. Maggos, Fire Chief

**LAGRANGE PARK FIRE DEPARTMENT
SIGNIFICANT FIRES - 2015**

DATE	TYPE OF OCCUPANCY	ADDRESS	ESTIMATED LOSS	MOST PROBABLE FIRE CAUSE
01-08-15	Assembly (Restaurant)	1146 Maple	\$ 0	Overheat of Fryer
03-11-15	Multi-Family (Apartment)	1634 Barnsdale	\$ 150,000	Undertrmined (potentially smoking materials)
03-14-15	Skilled Nursing Facility (Cooking)	701 N. La Grange	\$ 20	Overheat of Cooking Oil

**Significant Fire - All fires and potential fires in and around structures, or other fires resulting in greater than \$5,000.00 damage.
Last Updated - 03/31/15**

Incident Reports By Incident Type

Incident Type: 111 Building fire

Incident #	Exp #	Date	Time
150359	0	3/10/2015	8:13:00AM
150364	0	3/11/2015	1:07:00PM
150395	0	3/17/2015	9:00:00AM

Total Incidents: 3

Incident Type: 113 Cooking fire, confined to container

Incident #	Exp #	Date	Time
150383	0	3/14/2015	7:54:00PM

Total Incidents: 1

Incident Type: 142 Brush, or brush and grass mixture fire

Incident #	Exp #	Date	Time
150402	0	3/18/2015	9:04:00AM

Total Incidents: 1

Incident Type: 311 Medical assist, assist EMS crew

Incident #	Exp #	Date	Time
150461	0	3/28/2015	10:58:00PM

Total Incidents: 1

Incident Type: 321 EMS call, excluding vehicle accident with injury

Incident #	Exp #	Date	Time
150306	0	2/28/2015	9:52:00AM
150307	0	2/28/2015	2:45:00PM
150309	0	2/28/2015	5:53:00PM
150310	0	2/28/2015	8:24:00PM
150311	0	2/28/2015	10:50:00PM
150312	0	3/1/2015	1:32:00AM
150313	0	3/1/2015	6:05:00AM
150314	0	3/1/2015	9:30:00AM
150315	0	3/1/2015	8:54:00PM
150316	0	3/2/2015	2:54:00AM
150317	0	3/2/2015	6:40:00AM
150318	0	3/2/2015	7:13:00AM
150319	0	3/2/2015	9:33:00AM
150321	0	3/2/2015	6:38:00PM
150322	0	3/2/2015	10:58:00PM
150323	0	3/3/2015	1:29:00AM
150324	0	3/3/2015	1:23:00PM
150325	0	3/3/2015	2:25:00PM
150326	0	3/3/2015	3:10:00PM
150327	0	3/3/2015	5:22:00PM
150328	0	3/3/2015	6:36:00PM
150329	0	3/3/2015	6:52:00PM
150330	0	3/3/2015	7:45:00PM
150331	0	3/3/2015	9:31:00PM
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150336	0	3/5/2015	1:55:00AM
150337	0	3/5/2015	10:08:00AM
150339	0	3/6/2015	8:42:00AM
150340	0	3/6/2015	9:37:00AM
150342	0	3/7/2015	12:32:00AM
150343	0	3/7/2015	10:34:00AM
150344	0	3/7/2015	10:46:00AM
150345	0	3/7/2015	11:28:00AM
150346	0	3/7/2015	1:02:00PM
150349	0	3/7/2015	7:15:00PM
150351	0	3/8/2015	2:19:00PM
150354	0	3/9/2015	8:14:00AM
150355	0	3/9/2015	8:51:00AM
150356	0	3/9/2015	4:22:00PM
150357	0	3/9/2015	5:16:00PM
150360	0	3/10/2015	10:38:00AM
150362	0	3/10/2015	7:45:00PM
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150472	0	3/30/2015	11:35:00PM
150473	0	3/30/2015	11:36:00PM
150474	0	3/31/2015	12:15:00AM
150476	0	3/31/2015	10:01:00PM

Total Incidents: 138

Incident Type: 322 Vehicle accident with injuries

Incident #	Exp #	Date	Time
150347	0	3/7/2015	3:52:00PM
150457	0	3/28/2015	3:40:00PM

Total Incidents: 2

Incident Type: 352 Extrication of victim(s) from vehicle

Incident #	Exp #	Date	Time
150433	0	3/24/2015	3:00:00PM

Total Incidents: 1

Incident Type: 412 Gas leak (natural gas or LPG)

Incident #	Exp #	Date	Time
150366	0	3/11/2015	10:28:00PM

Total Incidents: 1

Incident Type: 424 Carbon monoxide incident

Incident #	Exp #	Date	Time
150435	0	3/24/2015	6:49:00PM

Total Incidents: 1

Incident Type: 611 Dispatched & canceled en route

Incident #	Exp #	Date	Time
150320	0	3/2/2015	12:42:00PM
150338	0	3/5/2015	11:09:00PM
150348	0	3/7/2015	6:05:00PM
150352	0	3/8/2015	4:59:00PM
150409	0	3/19/2015	3:23:00PM
150413	0	3/20/2015	6:25:00PM

Total Incidents: 6

Incident Type: 651 Smoke scare, odor of smoke

Incident #	Exp #	Date	Time
150451	0	3/27/2015	1:58:00PM

Total Incidents: 1

Incident Type: 652 Steam, vapor, fog or dust thought to be smoke

Incident #	Exp #	Date	Time
150358	0	3/10/2015	7:33:00AM

Total Incidents: 1

Incident Type: 735 Alarm system sounded due to malfunction

Incident #	Exp #	Date	Time
150341	0	3/6/2015	4:50:00PM
150361	0	3/10/2015	1:35:00PM

Total Incidents: 2

Incident Type: 736 CO detector activation due to malfunction

Incident #	Exp #	Date	Time
150398	0	3/17/2015	2:57:00PM
150424	0	3/22/2015	6:14:00PM

Total Incidents: 2

Incident Type: 740 Unintentional transmission of alarm, other

Incident #	Exp #	Date	Time
150475	0	3/31/2015	6:54:00PM

Total Incidents: 1

Incident Type: 743 Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional

Incident #	Exp #	Date	Time
150350	0	3/8/2015	11:26:00AM
150353	0	3/8/2015	6:25:00PM
150419	0	3/21/2015	12:22:00PM
150422	0	3/22/2015	7:42:00AM

Total Incidents: 4

Incident Type: 745 Alarm system sounded, no fire - unintentional

Incident #	Exp #	Date	Time
150420	0	3/21/2015	1:55:00PM
150460	0	3/28/2015	10:53:00PM
150465	0	3/29/2015	4:30:00PM

Total Incidents: 3

Incident Type: 746 Carbon monoxide detector activation, no CO

Incident #	Exp #	Date	Time
150305	0	2/28/2015	9:19:00AM
150308	0	2/28/2015	5:34:00PM
150403	0	3/18/2015	9:09:00AM

Total Incidents: 3

Print Date: 4/21/2015

Total Number of Incidents: 172
Total Number of Incident Types: 18