



The Village of Woodmere



"Gateway to the Chagrin Valley"

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TO: Mayor Benjamin I. Holbert III and Members of Council

SUBJECT: Monthly Report to Council – April 2021
(Reporting Period: 3/11/21 to 4/13/21)

Meetings: Ohio Fire Chiefs Association Health (Safety & Wellness Committee, Legislative Committee and Policy Committee); North East Ohio Fire Prevention Association; and Cuyahoga County Fire Chiefs Association

Fire Prevention: Eton (B-Spot, Marvel and Surgery Center, and Kendra Scott); Corky and Lenny's; Home Foster Care; and McDonald

Station: Exhaust system unit damage, Engine 1 (Generator Exterior Switch Out of Service), Ladder Rack Out of Service), SCBA Cylinders (End of life-15years), Suction Unit Battery (End of Life – Likepak-12 Batteries), Engine 1 Warning Lights Switch (Malfunctioning), and Model 26-3 Ludlam Unit dropped off for calibration

Staffing Scheduling Impact of COVID-19 and Membership Turnover: 4 Home Quarantines, 7 Positive COVID-19 EMS Transports, 3 Members Tested COVID-19 Negative, 7 Members Tested COVID-19 positive and 4 members have resigned this year

Training: EMS (Clinician Mental Health, Wellness, Challenges and Success, Incidents During A Modern Day Pandemic, Neuro-Interventional Radiology – Acute Ischemic Stroke, Pediatric Drug Administration Aid, and Pharmacy Review); Fire (Drive to Survive: Preventing Rollovers, Elevate Your Fixed Ladder Safety: Choosing the Correct Fall Protection Solution, Positive Pressure Ventilation, Who Owns Human and Organizational Performance, Residential Attic and Exterior Fires, and Understanding and Fighting Basement Fires)

Note: Renewal of Drug License; Station Spring Cleaning; National Telecommunication Week (April 11 – 17) Spring Hydrant Inspection (**May**) and EMS Counts Act

Two Congress members have reintroduced the "EMS Counts Act," which aims to improve how the Department of Labor collects data on EMS providers and firefighters.

The bill would require the Secretary of Labor to revise the Standard Occupational Classification System by dividing the occupation category of "Firefighter" into sub-categories identifying different levels of EMS cross training, according to a press release from the office of Rep. Fred Keller (R-Pa.), one of the bill's sponsors. This change would ensure a more accurate count of trained EMS professionals throughout the country, Keller said.

EMS Counts Full Text
<https://www.scribd.com/document/501622253/EMS-Counts-Full-Text>