

Staff Report

Report To: Council Meeting

From: Jeff McArthur, Fire Chief

Date: 2021-09-09

Report: 2021-20

Subject: Monthly Report – August 2021

Recommendation:

That West Elgin Council hereby receives the report from Jeff McArthur, Fire Chief re: August Monthly Fire Report for information purposes.

Purpose:

To provide Council with an update on fire department activities in the month of August 2021.

Background:

Emergency Responses

Fire	2	Vehicle, grass
Alarms Sounding	6	Fire – 4, CO – 2
MVC	2	1 on Hwy 401
TOTAL	10	

Training & Meetings

Training topics including hydrant operations and drafting. Regular training resumed the first week of August, with a schedule being created for the fall which includes subjects and lead instructors.

One member was enrolled in NFPA 1521 Incident Safety Officer online through the Ontario Fire College.

Two members attended NFPA 1001 Firefighter training at the Ontario Fire College's Innisfil Regional Training Centre.

One member attended an Auto Extrication course in Oxford County.

Four members are enrolled in a DZ driver's license course in September in Malahide.

Other Activities/Information

Applicants on waiting list from the last recruitment have been contacted to fill available probationary firefighter position and a new fall recruitment is being planned.

Financial Implications:

There are no financial implications associated with this report.

Report Approval Details

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This report and all of its attachments were approved and signed as outlined below:

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