



MAY 2022

Cold Lake Fire-Rescue

Fire Calls, Accomplishments and Events

Fire Calls – 33 in total

During the month of May there were thirty-three (33) fire calls that Cold Lake Fire-Rescue (CLFR) responded to. CLFR responded to three (3) vehicle fires with two in the MD of Bonnyville and one in Saskatchewan. In all three cases fire crews arrived to abandoned fully involved vehicle fires. Fire crews extinguished the fires and ensured there were no hot spots. All fires were deemed suspicious. CLFR responded to four (4) motor vehicle collisions (mvc) during the month with none requiring extrication, and all requiring varying degrees of scene safety, traffic control, patient care, packaging, and removal. One was a vehicle versus power pole, one was vehicle versus school bus, one was a single vehicle roll-over, and one was a side-by-side incident. The school bus incident had three children left on the bus and all occupants of both the bus and the vehicle were checked over by ambulance crews and although shaken did not sustain any injuries. Of the fourteen (14) alarm calls CLFR attended, all were deemed to be false alarms. Eleven of the alarms were residential fire alarms, two were commercial/institutional fire alarms and one was a CO alarm. The fire alarms which were activated included: eight from cooking smoke, two from faulty systems, one due to contractor sanding dust, one due to cleaning spray used on detector and one from smoking in a bathroom. The lone CO alarm was investigated with CLFR equipment with no abnormal readings found. The CO alarm was attributed to a faulty detector. CLFR responded to six (6) wildland fires which were grass/brush fires. Some were from permitted burns that got away and one was from a homeless camp behind Walmart. CLFR responded to one (1) rubbish fire for a garbage can lit on fire and extinguished quickly and deemed suspicious. CLFR responded to one (1) Hazmat incident in the MD where a pool maintenance technician accidentally mixed two improper chemicals (hydrochloric acid 31 and hypochlorite) in a large bucket causing a toxic cloud. The container was removed from the building by the technician. Fire crews responded and after contacting CANUTEC were able to determine the solution could be diluted and disposed of safely. CLFR checked the building with a gas detector and found no abnormal readings. There were no injuries from this incident. Finally, CLFR responded to four (4) public/agency assistance calls which were all for CLAS and included three lift assists and one for a possible person in the water and stood down on route.

During the month CLFR responded fifteen (15) times within City limits, seventeen (17) times in the MD of Bonnyville and one (1) time into Saskatchewan. Evening responses [1600-2400] (17) were the highest response times at 51.52% followed by daytime response [0800-1600] (14) at 42.42 and overnight response [0000-0800] (2) at 6.06%

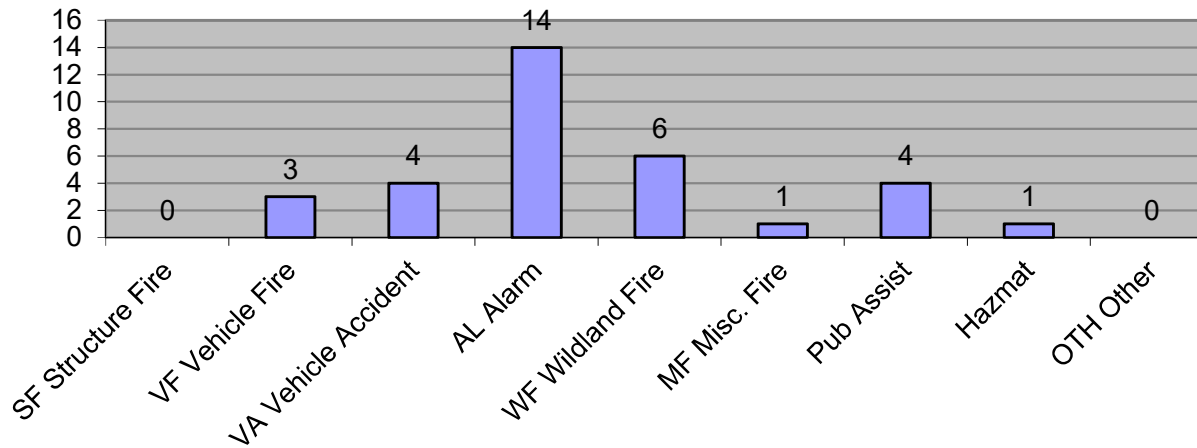
Accomplishments and Events

- Regional DEM Meetings. Cold Lake, Bonnyville, St. Paul – May 2nd, 9th, 16th & 24th.
- CLFR supported FCSS Emergency Preparedness Week Barbeque – May 4th.
- Provincial IMT Teams (NE, NW, Central, South, CAN-TF2) virtual meeting – May 4th.
- CLFR met with Primco Dene Supervisor to discuss training opportunities – May 5th.
- CLFR participated in McDonald's McHappy Day serving/greeting customers -May 11th.
- NFPA 1001 Regional Training; 8 students from CLFR – May 11th & 12th.
- Fire Inspection-Lakeland Christian Academy-May 11th, Occ. Load-CL Lodge-May 24th.
- Fire Hall Tours; 2 preschool classes, 36 children and their parents – May 18th.
- Fire Chief & Deputy attended virtual World Rescue Organization Meeting – May 25th.
- Protective Services Safety Meeting (CLFR, CPO's & COCL RCMP clerks) – May 25th.
- Fire Chief & Deputy assisted with Farm Extrication Course in St. Paul – May 27th - 29th.
- Refurbishment work ongoing throughout month- Grand Centre FD parade truck- Red 1

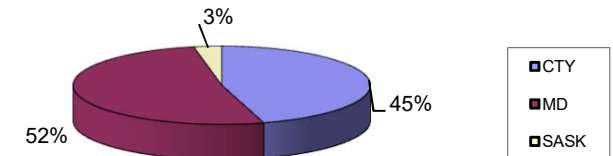
May 2022 Fire Responses

MONTH	TOTAL	SF Structure Fire	VF Vehicle Fire	VA Vehicle Accident	AL Alarm	WF Wildland Fire	MF Misc. Fire	Pub Assist	Hazmat	OTH Other	CTY	MD	SASK
May 2022	33	0	3	4	14	6	1	4	1	0	15	17	1
<i>2022 Totals</i>	<i>170</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>74</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>113</i>	<i>55</i>	<i>2</i>

May 2022 - Incidents by Type



May 2022 - Incidents by Location



May-22 Totals

0	Structure Fire
3	Vehicle Fire (2-MD,1-Sask) [3 vehicles,3-suspicious]
4	Vehicle Accident (4-MD) [3-Automobile,1-Side by Side]
14	Alarm (11-City,3-MD) [11-Residential & 2-Institutional fire detectors,1-CO]
6	Wildland Fire (1-City,5-MD) [Grass, Brush]
1	Misc. Fire (1-City) [Garbage can fire,suspicious]
1	Hazmat (1-MD) [Improper chemical mixture,pool maintenance]
4	Oth/Pub Assist (2-City,2-MD)[CLAS x 4]
33	(8 Calls for Station #3, 24 Calls for Station #4, 1 call with both) (15-City Calls, 17-MD Calls, 1-Sask Call)

May-21 Totals

2	Structure Fire (2-City) [Attached Garage, Mobile Home]
2	Vehicle Fire (2-MD) [2 vehicles,2-suspicious]
5	Vehicle Accident (5-MD) [4-Automobile,1-Quad]
9	Alarm (7-City,2-MD) [7-Residential & 1-Commercial fire detectors,1-CO]
11	Wildland Fire (3-City,7-MD,1-Sask) [Grass, Brush]
1	Misc. Fire (1-City)[BBQ Grease Fire,extinguished by owner,nonsuspicious]
1	Hazmat (1-City) [Fuel Spill]
7	Oth/Pub Assist (5-City,2-MD)[CLAS x 5,odor x 1,tree on powerline]
38	(9 Calls for Station #3, 27 Calls for Station #4, 2 calls with both) (19-City Calls, 18-MD Calls, 1-Sask Call)

** At the end of May 2022 Cold Lake Fire-Rescue has responded to 170 calls as compared to 160 calls at the end of May 2021 **