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Trustee Thomas F. Deegan, Chairman
Police, Fire, Emergency Management, 9-1-1, EMS Committee
Village of Schiller Park

Dear Chairman Deegan,

Attached is a summation of the reports covering the activities of the Fire Department for the month of April 2019. These include our revenues received, run count and the divisions within the fire department.

	2019		2018	
	Apr	YTD	Apr	YTD
Fire Responses:				
Total Fire Incidents	164	731	145	687
Fire	4	16	3	28
Rescue and Ambulance Assists	97	387	82	360
False Alarms and System Malfunctions	63	328	60	299
Mutual Aid to Franklin Park	0	3	2	4
Mutual Aid from Franklin Park	15	56	17	57
Mutual Aid to Rosemont	16	72	17	73
Mutual Aid from Rosemont	13	47	16	52
Mutual Aid to Norwood Park	19	93	12	56
Mutual Aid from Norwood Park	8	35	14	45
Emergency Medical Services:				
Total Responses	103	453	103	451
Advanced Life Support Responses	44	170	44	185
Basic Life Support Responses	13	86	23	85
Refusals/Multiple Patient Refusals	23	94	15	84
Other Non-Transports	5	23	3	29
Fire Responses	18	80	18	68
Mutual Aid to Schiller Park	14	28	5	15
Schiller Park Mutual aid to other communities	5	18	7	18
Cardio-Pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) classes taught	4	10	1	3
Number of students taught	63	86	5	7

	2019		2018	
	Apr	YTD	Apr	YTD
<u>Revenues Generated:</u>				
Fire Alarm Fees Collected	\$ 50	\$ 425	\$ 0	\$ 775
Ambulance Fees Collected	\$ 33,325	\$ 89,733	\$ 33,427	\$ 111,176
Fire Inspection Fees Collected	\$ 0	\$ 90	\$ 50	100
Toll Way Fees Collected	\$ 400	\$ 3,600	\$ 2,000	\$ 7,500
Spiller Pay Fees Collected	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 250
CPR Fees Collected	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 125	\$ 150
SMG monitoring Fees Collected	\$ 6,450	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Grant Distribution (*/*20**)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Training Reimbursement	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Employee Reimbursement	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Com Ed Grant	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Risk Fund Grant	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
BSI Online			\$ 0	\$ 923

Fire Alarm Fees Billed	\$ 250	\$ 750	\$ 225	\$ 475
Fire Inspection Fees Billed	\$ 0	\$ 90	\$ 0	\$ 0
Toll Way Fees Billed	\$ 0	\$ 2,800	\$ 1,600	\$ 5,600
Spiller Pay Fees Billed	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0

Training Activities:

Number of Training Drills/Evolutions	34	106	27	114
Number of Training Hours	330	1,384.5	441.5	1270

- Lt. Swiontek attended the weeklong Fire Department Instructor Conference in Indianapolis.
- Chief Chiodo and Lt. Leiser attended the exhibit portion of the FDIC conference.
- FF/PM Warden attended a Tactical EMS conference in Oakbrook.
- FF/PM Santiago attended the Rescue Task Force Training.
- Lt. J. Leiser will attend Management IV I Carol Stream.
- FF/PM A. Neimand and FF/PM D. Linehan will attend VMO in Broadview.
- FF/PM's Santiago, Loch, Dehmlow, and Jackson will attend Swift Water Tech.

Hazardous Materials -

- No Hazardous Materials incidents occurred in Schiller Park. No incidents occurred in Division 20.
- Division 20 Monthly Hazardous Materials Team training was monitors carried and their uses.
- There are currently 4 members who are on the active Hazardous Materials team.

Technical Rescue -

- No technical rescue calls in Schiller Park nor the Division.
- Division 20 Technical Rescue team training was an inventory of tools and familiarization of their uses.
- We currently have 2 active members on the Technical Rescue Team.

Fire Investigations -

- We currently have 3 Active Fire Investigators on our department.
- Division 20 training this past month was review of fire investigation in the division.
- There was one fire investigator response this month in Elmwood Park responded to by Lt. J. Leiser.

	2019		2018	
	Mar	YTD	Mar	YTD
<u>Fire Prevention Activities:</u>				
New Inspections	40	159	59	217
Follow-up re-inspections	48	123	80	215

- Addressed status of repairs for out of service fire protection systems:
 - 10249 Irving Park Road
 - 4200 River Road
 - 3955 25th Ave
 - 4616-18 River Road
 - 9525 Irving Park Road
- Conduct above ceiling inspection (SPR2019-002)
- Attended meeting with Dist. 81 for Washington School
- Acceptance Tests conducted of altered Fire Alarm System, 9408 Lawrence Ave
- Attended pre-inspection for fire protection systems, 5035 River Road
- Conducted New Business Inspection, 9437 Irving Park Road – Unit #A
- Building Plan reviews and Plan review for altering fire alarms.
- Witnessed Fire Pump Acceptance Test. (AL2018-016)
- Follow up on the status of elevator repairs.
- Processed Fire Flow Data
- Reviewed and approved Business Regulation Certificate Status Data Sheets.
- Reviewed and addressed Trouble Statuses per provided Weekly Reports from SMG/Midwest Central Dispatch
- Reviewed and addressed deficiencies noted in received Fire Alarm and Sprinkler Systems Inspection Reports

Community Engagement Activities:

- Members of Gold shift escorted the Easter Rabbit to the Annual Egg Hunt in Kennedy Park.

Maintenance Activities:

- Ordered and received new mobile radios for the new Ambulance 461 (Ambulance 5)
- Purchased DEF for vehicles
- Created new maintenance checks for the upcoming months
- Created 2019 hose testing schedule.
- Updated hose records and started hose testing
- Completed set up of annual hydrant flushing logs on I-pads.

Vehicles -

- **450:** Weekly and monthly maintenance checks have been completed. Mileage: 14217 to 15890
 - Preventive maintenance performed, oil and filter changed
 - Air filter replaced
 - Rear emergency lights replaced (under warranty)
- **451:** Weekly and monthly maintenance checks have been completed. Mileage: 27294 to 27647
- **453:** Weekly and monthly maintenance checks have been completed. Mileage: 25971 + 25200 to 26060 + 25200
- **454:** Weekly and monthly maintenance checks have been completed. Mileage: 7904 to 8270
 - Quad meter failed, sent out for service.
 - Purchased new Quad meter (cheaper than the repair)
 - Preventive maintenance performed, oil and filter changed
 - Fuel filter replaced
 - Anti-freeze filled and all fluids checked
- **455:** Weekly and monthly maintenance checks have been completed. Mileage: 69230 to 69641
 - Preventive maintenance performed, oil and filter changed
 - All fluids topped off

- **458:** Weekly and monthly maintenance checks have been completed. Mileage: 64556 to 65227.
 - Thermostat and housing and gasket replaced.
- **461:** Not in Service Pending Radio installation and IDPH inspection. Mileage 0 to 156
 - **Driver training**
- **463:** Weekly and monthly maintenance checks have been completed. Mileage: 61180 to 62030

Emergency Management Activities:

- No Report.

Emergency Medical Services Activities:

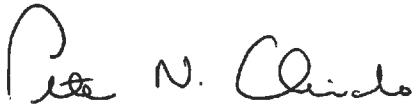
- Hired one new part-time paramedic
- Continuing Education this month was SOP updates.
- Continue to accept part time paramedic applications in an effort to supplement the Part-Time Paramedic staff.
- No potential infectious control exposures.
- All fire department personnel completed the required Blood Borne Pathogen training.
- No reported Sharps injuries.
- New ambulance to be put in service, awaiting IDPH inspection
- 4 CPR classes for April with 63 students being taught.
- Billed School District 81 \$2,131.29 for CPR supplies
- April had 0 Car Seat Installations.

Miscellaneous Activities:

- Chief Chiodo attended the following meetings
 - Pink Tie Ball with the Division 20 Fire Chief's
 - Attended the Franchise Show in Rosemont trying to drum up businesses to move to Schiller Park
 - Meeting at Lincoln School concerning plans for a new Washington School
 - Meeting with School district on Blue Point alerting system for schools
 - Village Board meetings
 - Staff meetings
 - Division 20 Training Meeting
 - Division 20 Chief Meeting
 - Division 20 Fire Investigators
 - Toll way meetings
 - Fire and Police Commission meeting
 - Municipal Consolidated Dispatch meeting
- Honor Guard
- Drone Pilot
- Prospect Heights Fire Protection District added us to their Box Alarm Cards.
- Members drove the Easter Bunny to Kennedy Park for the Annual Easter Egg Hunt.
- Gave Deputy Village Clerk privileges for Mass Notification system.
- Met with Deputy Police Chief from Skokie about possibility of joining NIPAS with Medics
- Memo allowing members to wear Association Class C uniforms
- Chief Chiodo covered 2 shifts as a firefighter to alleviate overtime for Fires in Park Ridge and Elmwood Park.
- Chief Chiodo covered shift for members to attend Mental Health Well Being appointments.
- Fire Department continues to recycle following protocols and new recycling dumpster in rear of firehouse.
- Provide members with weekly briefings via calendar
- Held fire department staffing meeting.
- Terri Roth continues to do the firehouse administrative work while simultaneously carrying on duties for the police department.
- Have continuing and on-going discussions with the toll way concerning closures and construction.
- FF/PM Linehan continues on probation.
- We are still short one person as the result of John Piculas being disabled.
- Members continue to clean and make the best use of space in the firehouse.

- Village Authorized surplus property has been listed on EBAY.
- Wrote the next issue of the Department newsletter called the *Booster Line* Vol. 24 No. 4
- The fire department portion of the new Village website is up and running with new info added weekly.

Sincerely



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Schiller Park Fire Department



cc: Mayor
Village Clerk

2019 April monthly report