

Auburn Fire Department

Bi-Monthly Executive Summary

March - April 2020

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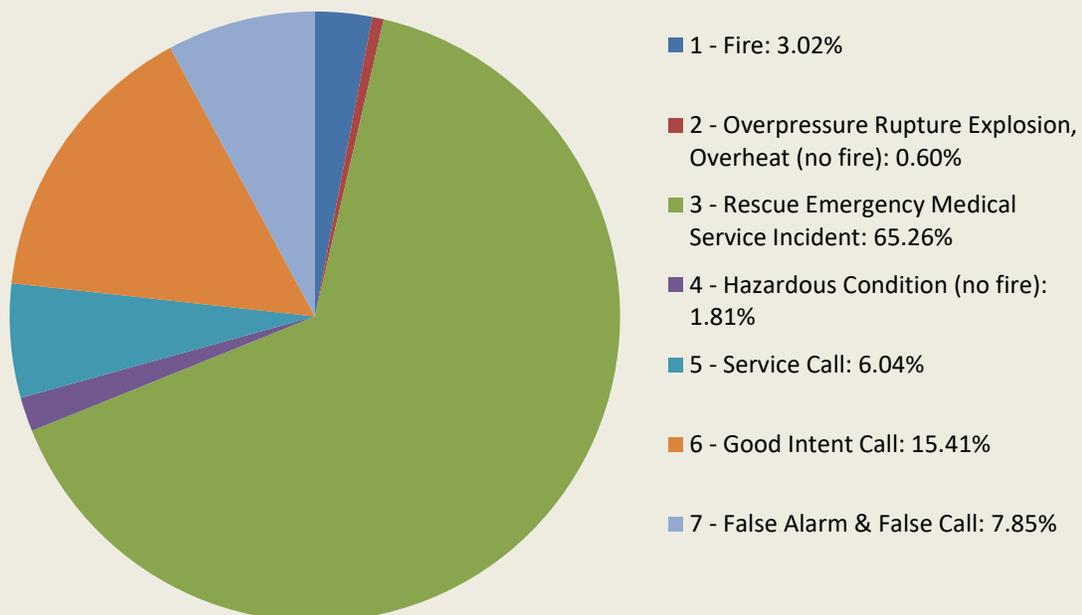
Current ISO Rating: 3

News & Events

1. COVID-19 response and prevention efforts have significantly changed fire department operations. Efforts are focused on ensuring a healthy workforce and community.
2. Pile burning commenced March 11th along Gold Street and Blackstone Court. The pile burning was completed on April 16th.
3. PG&E awarded \$199,250 to the Auburn Fire Department to install generators at each Fire Station and City Hall.
4. Funding for Expanded Scope EMS skills was awarded to the Auburn Fire Department to support the Maidu Fire Station in the amount of \$7,586.
5. Letters were sent to residents of Auburn to ensure compliance to Wildland Urban Interface code requirements and also to provide additional measures to help “harden” their homes.

Update on Response

Bi-Monthly Incident Summary	Fire	Over-Pressure	EMS/Rescue	Hazmat	Service Call	Good Intent	False Call	Natural Disaster	Other	Total
3/1/20 – 4/30/20	10	2	216	6	20	51	26	0	0	331



Significant Emergency Incidents

Hazardous Materials Spill

375 Sacramento Street, March 10th – At 7:50pm, B1215 was notified by Grass Valley Emergency Command Center of a possible water leak on Sacramento Street cross of Pacific Avenue. B1215 responded to the reported location and found raw sewage leaking from a manhole cover in the middle of Sacramento Street. B1215 requested a response from E1285, Auburn Police Department and Public Works. The sewage leak self-mitigated and the release was estimated at approximately 250 gallons. The roadway was closed, OES was notified and fire and law units remained at scene until Public Works and Wastewater Treatment arrived and assumed the incident.

Incident Command:	Chief Rogers, B1215
Auburn Fire Personnel:	(B-Shift) 4
Automatic / Mutual aid:	0
Total personnel:	10 With APD and APW
Cause:	Roots in Sewer Line

Commercial Structure Fire

1800 Auburn Ravine Road, March 25th – 01:41am, Auburn Fire units responded Automatic Aid to CAL Fire for a commercial structure fire just outside the Auburn City Limits. Upon arrival, units found an established fire that caused major damage to the old/vacant Denny's Restaurant. The cause is under investigation by CAL Fire.

Incident Command:	Chief Williamson, B1213
Auburn Fire Personnel:	(A-Shift) 8
Automatic / Mutual aid:	19
Total personnel:	10 With APD

Hazardous Materials Incident

443 Sacramento Street, March 29th – At 2:15pm, B1215 received a notification from Grass Valley Emergency Command Center that the Roseville Fire Department HazMat Team had been requested to assist Auburn Police Department with hazardous chemical identification, evidence collection and decontamination for an on-going criminal investigation at the reported address. B1215 responded to the incident and assumed command for the fire response. Fire resources provided all requested assistance and turned the scene over to law enforcement prior to clearing the incident.

Incident Command:	Chief Rogers, B1215
Auburn Fire Personnel:	(B-Shift) 1
Automatic / Mutual aid:	9
Total personnel:	14 With APD

Structure Fire

120 Walker Drive, April 7th – At 11:37 a.m., Auburn Fire responded for a structure fire at 120 Walker Drive. Auburn Fire units arrived to find a working garage fire. B1217 assumed command and Engine 1285 and Engine 1284 quickly went to fire attack. Automatic aid was received by Placer County Fire, Cal Fire, Newcastle Fire, and Penryn Fire. The fire was contained to the garage; however, the damage is estimated at \$137,000 in loss to property and contents.

Incident Command: Chief Zaucha, B1217
 Auburn Fire Personnel: (C-Shift) 8
 Automatic / Mutual aid: 15
 Total personnel: 23
 Cause: Undetermined/Unintentional

Aircraft Accident

Just Northwest of the Airport, April 18th – At 10:45am, Auburn Fire units responded to a possible aircraft down near the Auburn Airport. While en route, Grass Valley Emergency Command Center advised PCSO was reporting a confirmed aircraft down on fire with extension to the vegetation. Auburn Fire units arrived, entered into Unified Command and assisted with mitigating the incident.

Unified Command: Chief Rogers, B1215; CAL Fire B2319; APD; and PCSO
 Auburn Fire Personnel: (A-Shift) 9
 Automatic / Mutual aid: 16
 Total personnel: 45 With Law Enforcement

Vehicle Accident with Extrication

El Dorado Street across from Jordan Lane, April 21st – At 9:22pm Auburn Fire units responded to a vehicle accident on El Dorado Street at the descend into the canyon. Auburn Fire Units arrived to find a single vehicle on its side, with one victim trapped inside. B1217 assumed command and Engines 1285, 1284, and Rescue 1252 worked on vehicle stabilization and patient extrication. Mutual aid was received from Cal Fire Station 10. AMR transported the patient code 3 to Sutter Roseville Medical Center where the patient was reported to be in stable condition.

Incident Command: Chief Zaucha, B1217
 Auburn Fire Personnel: (B-Shift) 7
 Automatic / Mutual aid: 3
 Total personnel: 24 with APD and CHP

Prevention Efforts

Business Inspections

State Mandated	Properties Inspected	In Compliance	Pending Re-Inspection	Total Inspection Hours	Plans Reviewed	Burn Permits Issued
71	56	40	16	49	6	179

Vegetation Management

Complaint Generated Parcels	Complaint Parcels Evaluated	Parcels Notified	Compliance	Pending w/Action Started	Compliance %	Acres Treated
6	6	6	0	6	0%	0

Wildland Urban Interface Inspections

*To be resumed in June 2020

Properties in WUI	Properties Inspected	In Compliance	Out of Compliance	Total Inspection Hours	Structure Ignition Assessments	Structure Ignition Hours
-	-	-	-	-	2	1.5

Training

Total Trainings Completed	Total Hours of Training	JAC Reimbursable Hours	Trainings Provided to Community	Certifications Achieved by Staff
733	1534	1287	0	10

Community Events

Community Events	Station Tours	School Safety Programs	Number of Adult Participants	Number of Child Participants	Public Education Hours
5	0	0	121	79	11.5

- March 5th – E1285 with Captain D’Ambrogi and crew provided education to a set of new parents on car seat installation and safety.
- March 12th- BC Zaucha, Engineer Davis, and Fire Corp volunteer Tinel attended a Grant Writing Workshop hosted at Firehouse #1 by the Sierra Nevada Conservancy.
- March 29th – B1215 and E1285 participated in a drive by parade to show support for a terminally ill cancer patient.
- April 11th- B1213, E1285 and E1284 participated in a drive by parade with APD and other local residents, to wish a young child happy birthday.
- April 27th – E1284 with Captain Matsuoka and Crew participated in a drive by parade with APD and other local residents, to wish a young girl happy birthday.

2020 Running Incident Total	Fire	Over-Pressure	EMS/Rescue	Hazmat	Service Call	Good Intent	False Call	Natural Disaster	Other	Total
1/1/20 – 4/30/20	17	3	433	11	36	90	45	1	1	637