

FY2021 ANNUAL REPORT

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PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY FIRE & RESCUE SYSTEM



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MISSION STATEMENT

To protect and support our community through education, prevention and emergency response.

VISION STATEMENT

The Prince William County Fire and Rescue System is comprised of dedicated volunteer and career members who strive to provide exceptional services through the pursuit of inclusion, innovation and involvement.

VALUES STATEMENT



Integrity

We will always demonstrate the utmost honesty by upholding our principles at all times and being accountable for our actions.



Excellence

We will surpass the standard to achieve the absolute best in all that we do.



Pride

We will share an identity that fosters a culture of inclusion, confidence, honor and respect.



CHIEF'S MESSAGE



The Prince William County Fire and Rescue System (FRS) is a combination fire and rescue system comprised of both volunteer and career members. The FRS consists of nine agencies that strive to improve the quality of life in Prince William County, one of the fastest growing counties in the United States. The FRS is an essential part of the County's Strategic and Comprehensive Plans that keep the County a safe and secure community. We accomplish this by working with all County agencies to provide education, prevention, and emergency response services.

This annual report for Fiscal Year 2021 (FY21) is a comprehensive document that outlines the accomplishments of the FRS that were achieved this past fiscal year. It would be an

understatement to say FY21 has been an exceptionally challenging year. The FRS not only responded to the COVID-19 pandemic, but our members also had to learn to operate in the new environment the pandemic created. Working in this new environment created challenges keeping not only the community we serve safe, but our own members as well. Despite this challenging environment, all FRS members continued to report for duty to fulfill their responsibilities as essential personnel.

In closing, I would like to thank all the members of the FRS for their continued dedication and commitment to provide service to the community. I would also like to thank the Board of County Supervisors, the County Executive, and all the other County agencies that have continued to support the FRS as we perform our mission, follow our vision, and accomplish our goals.

Timothy L. Keen System Chief

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PRINCE WILLIAM GOVERNMENT Fire & Rescue System

AT A GLANCE

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482,204

*2020 Census

MEDIAN AGE



35.2

AVERAGE FAMILY SIZE



3.22

TOTAL HOUSING UNITS



158,525

BOARD OF COUNTY SUPERVISORS

Ann Wheeler Chair At-Large

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Kenny A. Boddye Occoquan District

Pete Candland *Gainesville District*

Margaret Franklin Woodbridge District

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Christopher E. Martino County Executive



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FIRE AND RESCUE SYSTEM SECTIONS

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF

CHIEF - FIRE & RESCUE SYSTEM	Tim Keen
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ASSISTANT CHIEF - COMMUNITY SAFETY...... Matt Smolsky

- **♦** Community Relations
- **♦ Fire Marshal's Office**
- **♦** Office of Emergency Management

ASSISTANT CHIEF - OPERATIONSKurt Heindrichs

- **♦** Emergency Medical Services
- **♦** Fire & Rescue Operations
- Special Operations

ASSISTANT CHIEF - SYSTEMS SUPPORTLance McClintock

- **♦** Administrative Services
- **♦** Communications & IT (CIT)
- ♦ Health and Safety
- ♦ Personnel
- Planning and Logistics
- **♦** Training



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VOLUNTEER CHIEFS & STATIONS

Chief Dale Trammell

Buckhall Volunteer Fire Department

Chief Chris Hool

Dale City Volunteer Fire Department

Chief Nick Nanna

Dumfries Triangle Volunteer Fire Department

Chief Carl Hood

Lake Jackson Volunteer Fire Department

Chief William Conway

Nokesville Volunteer Fire and Rescue Department

Chief Rich Michael

Occoquan-Woodbridge-Lorton Volunteer Fire Department

Chief Nick Kelly

Stone House Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Squad

Chief Jerry Deem

Yorkshire Volunteer Fire Department



\$1.4M

QUICK FACTS

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BUDGET FY2021

\$168,949,927

ACTUAL EXPENDITURE

REVENUE

Office of the Chief

\$5.5M Community Safety

\$109.3M Operations

\$31M System Support

\$20.7M Station/Company Operating Services

\$688.8K Public Safety Resilience

PERSONNEL

702 Uniform

73 Civilian

652 Volunteer

(Operational)



INCIDENTS

40,519 TOTAL INCIDENT RESPONSES

FY2021

8,918 Fire Incidents

31,508 EMS Incidents

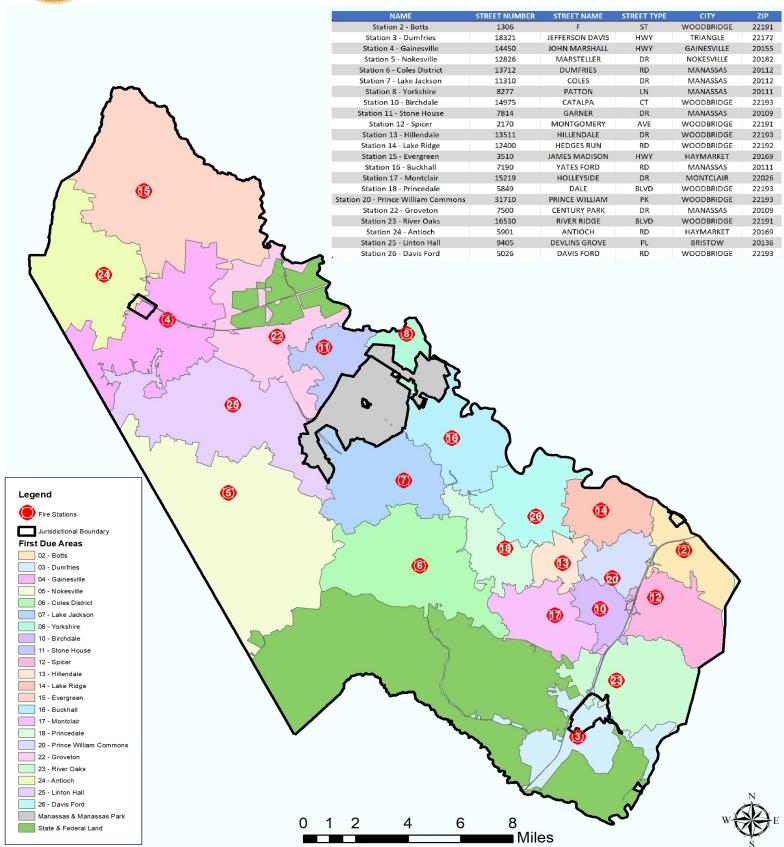
93 Hazmat Incidents



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Fire & Rescue System

STATIONS





STATION 2 - OCCOQUAN-WOODBRIDGE-LORTON VFD (BOTTS)



STATION 3 (3 FIRE) - DUMFRIES-TRIANGLE VFD



STATION 4 — PWCDFR (GAINESVILLE)





STATION 5 — NOKESVILLE VFD



STATION 6 - PWCDFR (COLES DISTRICT)



STATION 7 - LAKE JACKSON VFD



STATION 8 — YORKSHIRE VFD



STATION 10 - DALE CITY VFD (BIRCHDALE)



STATION 11 — STONE HOUSE VFD



STATION 12 - OCCOQUAN-WOODBRIDGE-LORTON VFD (SPICER)



STATION 13 — DALE CITY VFD (HILLENDALE)



STATION 14 - OCCOQUAN-WOODBRIDGE-LORTON (LAKE RIDGE)



STATION 15 — PWCDFR (EVERGREEN)



STATION 16 - BUCKHALL VFD



STATION 17 - DUMFRIES-TRIANGLE VFD (MONTCLAIR)



STATION 18 — DALE CITY VFD (PRINCEDALE)



STATION 20 — DALE CITY VFD (BUCHANAN)



STATION 22 - PWCDFR (GROVETON)





STATION 23 — PWCDFR (RIVER DAKS)



STATION 24 - PWCDFR (ANTIOCH)



STATION 25 — NOKESVILLE VFD (LINTON HALL)



STATION 26 - PWCDFR (BACON RACE)

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Station 2 - O.W.L. VFD 703-792-5002

Station 3 - Dumfries Triangle VFD 703-792-5003

Station 4 - Gainesville 703-792-5004

Station 5 - Nokesville VFD 703-792-5005

Station 6 - Coles District 703-792-5006

Station 7 - Lake Jackson VFD 703-792-5007

Station 8 - Yorkshire VFD 703-792-5008

Station 10 - Dale City VFD 703-792-5010

Station 11 - Stone House VFD 703-792-5011

Station 12 - O.W.L. VFD 703-792-5012

Station 13 - Dale City VFD 703-792-5013

Station 14 - O.W.L VFD 703-792-5014

Station 15 - Evergreen 703-792-5015

Station 16 - Buckhall VFD 703-792-5016

Station 17 - Montclair 703-792-5017

Station 18 - Dale City VFD 703-792-5018

Station 20 - Dale City VFD 703-792-5020

Station 22 - Groveton 703-792-5022

Station 23 - River Oaks 703-792-5023

Station 24 - Antioch 703-792-5024

Station 25 - Nokesville VFD 703-792-5025

Station 26 - Bacon Race 703-792-5026



| ACCOMPLISHMENTS

COVID-19 Response

- Managed Emergency Operations Center (EOC)
 - ♦ Supported COVID-19 Call Center
 - Established Testing Sites, Vaccine Centers, and PODs
 - ♦ Staffed EOC Warehouse
- Managed COVID-19 Infectious Control Program for County Government
- Managed Personnel Protective Equipment (PPE) warehouse for all County agencies
- ♦ Initiated FRS safety initiatives associated with COVID-19
- Continued System Training



- Created first Strategic Plan for the FRS
- ◆ Conducted FRS Leadership Retreat
- Started High School Cadet Program
- Initiated process for centralized purchasing
- Built and staffed Station 22
- Completed Facilities Condition Assessment (FCA)
- Redeployed existing units and personnel to reduce response times
- Implemented technology enhancements to dispatch units
- Created FRS website for System Recruitment





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COMMUNITY SAFETY & **ENGAGEMENT**





PUBLIC EDUCATION PROGRAMS

LEARN NOT TO BURN SECOND GRADE PROGRAM

At the beginning of each school year, PWCDFR members reach out to local elementary schools, in their first due area, to teach important lifesaving skills to children such as Smoke Alarms, Home Escape, 911 and Burn Prevention.



SOUND THE ALARM/SMOKE ALARM PROGRAM w/AMERICAN RED CROSS

FRS members, in conjunction with American Red Cross volunteers, visit local impoverished neighborhoods to ensure residents have working smoke detectors. Due to COVID-19, this program is temporarily suspended.

INTERNATIONAL WALK TO SCHOOL DAY

In celebration of International Walk to School Day, fire and rescue personnel walk with elementary school students at various schools throughout the county. The event focuses on bringing awareness of the need for safe routes for children who walk or bike to school.





FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

The PWCFRS annually teams up with the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA), to promote Fire Prevention Week. The campaign runs the first full week in October providing the public with various fire and life safety prevention messages and events held at local fire stations. Due to COVID-19, this event was canceled last year.

Community Engagement is vital to public safety organizations. Building a rapport with the public (our residents, businesses and visitors) through direct engagement, helps to strength our relationships within the various surrounding communities and adjacent jurisdictions in which we work, live and play. Strong relationships build trust and confidence among those we serve that the needs of the community will be met with high-quality and efficient services encompassing firefighting, emergency medial services, and emergency preparedness/management. Listed below are a few opportunities providing our residents the opportunity to engage with their Fire & Rescue System.

FIRE & RESCUE SYSTEM COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT & ACTIVITIES



INOVA BLOOD DONOR SERVICES & AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

Throughout the year, FRS partners with INOVA Blood Donor Services and American Red Cross to host blood drives for participation by fire and rescue personnel.

CADET PROGRAM

The Cadet Program prepares high school students for a career in fire related emergency services through instruction and practical exercises related to the Virginia Department of Fire Programs lesson plan, Firefighter I and II. Students are able to work under independent supervision while in a school setting. In addition, students will have the opportunity to supervise and assist the instructor with curriculum oversight and act as a substitute instructor during the absence of the lead instructor.



RIDE ALONG PROGRAM

The Ride Along enables the public to ride as a passenger alongside fire and rescue personnel during one of their shifts. The program was designed to pique interest among individuals who are considering a career as a Firefighter/EMT. Riders experience, up close, what it's like to be on the scene of a fire or an emergency incident. All precautions are taken to secure the health and well-being of passengers.



ALUMINUM CANS FOR BURNED CHILDREN (ACBC)

The ACBC program came to Washington in 1988; PWCDFR began its participation in 1989. All PWCFRS stations provide collection containers for use by the public. Aluminum cans are collected 2-4 times a year and recycled at Potomac Metals in Manassas. All monies raised help local children who are burn survivors. In FY2021 FRS raised \$504 for ACBC.

CENTRAL VIRGINIA BURN CAMP (CVBC)

The first CVBC camp was started in 1994; PWCDFR personnel began attending in 2004. The June summer camp is a week long event held for burn survivors ages 7-17. CVBC also provides a winter camp for teens, held annually during Martin Luther King weekend. This year, due to COVID-19, CVBC hosted a one-day virtual summer camp; the winter camp was canceled. Annually, a \$250 scholarship is awarded to a high school graduate camper.





FILL THE BOOT

Fill the Boot is a Muscular Dystrophy Association program. Members of the Prince William Professional Fire Fighters Local 2598 have partnered with the association to raise money for the MDA NOVA regional office to provide vital treatment, care and equipment for local children and adults with debilitating neuromuscular diseases. Currently, there are over 100 families in our community who receive assistance. The International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF) has partnered with MDA since 1954 through the Fill the Boot Program.

TOYS FOR TOTS

The Prince William County Fire & Rescue System is an official sponsor of the Marine Corps Reserve Toys for Tots campaign. The campaign provides the community an opportunity to donate new unwrapped toys, during the Christmas holiday, to children in need. The public is encouraged to participate by dropping off their contribution at various local fire and rescue stations and county buildings. Toys are delivered to families in PWC and the surrounding region through local churches, and non-profit organizations by way of USMC Quantico Toys for Tots. The campaign runs mid-October to mid-December. Last year's campaign collected 11, 540 toys.











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