

RE: FIRE DEPARTMENT 3RD QUARTERLY REPORT 1989

ITEM 18  
MANAGER'S REPORT NO. 70  
COUNCIL MEETING 89/10/30

MUNICIPAL MANAGER'S RECOMMENDATION:

- 1. THAT the recommendation from the Fire Chief be adopted.

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TO: MUNICIPAL MANAGER 1989 OCTOBER 24

FROM: FIRE CHIEF

SUBJECT: FIRE DEPARTMENT 3RD QUARTERLY REPORT 1989

PURPOSE: To provide Council with information relating to the Fire Department's activities for the 3rd Quarter, 1989.

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RECOMMENDATION:

- 1. THAT this Report be received for information purposes.

R E P O R T

- \* This Department responded to 2,062 alarms during the 3rd quarter. Of these 54, were fires (22 building and 32 vehicle) which resulted in a loss of \$1,979,425.
  - \* Three building fires, (a school, supermarket and a pharmacy - 5.6% of fires with loss) accounted for \$1,640,900 (82.9% of estimated loss).
  - \* Twenty-one of the fires with loss (6 building and 15 vehicle) were arson/set, suspicious or cause unknown.
  - \* A suspect has been charged in connection with the arson fire at Maywood School on September 03 which resulted in a loss of \$1,300,000.
  - \* Thirty-two firefighters sustained smoke or haz/mat exposure/ inhalation, minor or light injuries with no time loss. One firefighter who injured his back during a training session was off work for seven Shifts, and one firefighter was off work for 10 Shifts as a result of a fracture to his right foot which was sustained when he stepped on uneven concrete at one of the Fire Halls.
  - \* One citizen, an adult female, died from smoke inhalation as a result of a building fire caused by smokers' material.
  - \* The Fire Department's Public Education Officer, appointed July 01, had a very busy first three months on the job. In addition to familiarizing himself with the various aspects of his responsibilities, he was involved in the following activities:
- |                       |   |                            |    |
|-----------------------|---|----------------------------|----|
| Public Displays       | 7 | Fire Drills                | 5  |
| Fire Safety Plans     | 6 | Lectures & Demonstrations  |    |
| Other Public Services | 3 | (to 432 adults & children) | 12 |

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Other activities included attendance at 35 organizational meetings, answering numerous phone inquiries, and the preparation of articles for local newspapers and other publications.

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- \* Additional statistical information relating to the Fire Department's activities for the 3rd Quarter is attached to this Report.



H.E. Maglinnis  
FIRE CHIEF

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Attachment

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CUMULATIVE TO DATE			
1989		1988	
NO.	ESTIMATED LOSS	NO.	ESTIMATED LOSS
294	\$ 3,626,145	143	303,689
143	320,336	241	228
600	475	600	475
3,426	3,304	1,400	1,125
1,400	5,565	6,104	\$ 3,929,834
9,103 / 1,096		8,487 / 1,252	
614		489	
1,636 / 210		1,914 / 314	
18		17	
NO	NO	NO	NO
TIME LOSS	TIME LOSS	TIME LOSS	TIME LOSS
37	76	37	76
43	64	43	64
3	6	3	6
1		1	
\$ 770.00	\$ 730.00	\$ 770.00	\$ 730.00
3,380.00	2,290.00	3,380.00	2,290.00
18,921.75	17,986.50	18,921.75	17,986.50
\$23,071.75	\$21,006.50	\$23,071.75	\$21,006.50

1989		1988	
NO.	ESTIMATED LOSS	NO.	ESTIMATED LOSS
84	\$ 1,876,400	101	\$ 601,325
51	103,025	75	138,044
82	64	64	64
192	157	157	157
1,170	1,122	1,122	1,122
483	1,025	461	1,025
2,062	\$ 1,979,425	1,980	\$ 740,394
2,249 / 184		2,337 / 362	
166		208	
536 / 74		617 / 93	
5		5	
CITIZENS		CITIZENS	
FIRE FIGHTERS:		FIRE FIGHTERS:	
NO	NO	NO	NO
TIME LOSS	TIME LOSS	TIME LOSS	TIME LOSS
13	15	13	15
19	23	19	23
2	2	2	2
OTHER		OTHER	
DEATHS:		DEATHS:	
CITIZENS		CITIZENS	
1		1	
FIRE FIGHTERS		FIRE FIGHTERS	
-		-	
REVENUE:		REVENUE:	
\$ 400.00	\$ 210.00	\$ 400.00	\$ 210.00
1,380.00	1,120.00	1,380.00	1,120.00
6,422.25	5,656.50	6,422.25	5,656.50
\$8,202.25	\$6,986.50	\$8,202.25	\$6,986.50
BUILDING		BUILDING	
VEHICLE		VEHICLE	
FALSE ALARM		FALSE ALARM	
PUBLIC SERVICE		PUBLIC SERVICE	
RESCUE & SAFETY		RESCUE & SAFETY	
OTHER		OTHER	
TOTAL:		TOTAL:	
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166		208	
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CITIZENS		CITIZENS	
FIRE FIGHTERS:		FIRE FIGHTERS:	
NO	NO	NO	NO
TIME LOSS	TIME LOSS	TIME LOSS	TIME LOSS
13	15	13	15
19	23	19	23
2	2	2	2
OTHER		OTHER	
INJURIES:		INJURIES:	
CITIZENS		CITIZENS	
-		-	
FIRE FIGHTERS:		FIRE FIGHTERS:	
SMOKE/HAZARDOUS MATERIALS		SMOKE/HAZARDOUS MATERIALS	
INHALATION/EXPOSURE		INHALATION/EXPOSURE	
13	15	13	15
19	23	19	23
2	2	2	2
OTHER		OTHER	
DEATHS:		DEATHS:	
CITIZENS		CITIZENS	
1		1	
FIRE FIGHTERS		FIRE FIGHTERS	
-		-	
REVENUE:		REVENUE:	
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