

**To: Steve Sims, Fire Chief
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 Subject: Monthly Activity Report for September 2008**

	<u>September 2008</u>	<u>YTD 2008</u>	<u>YTD 2007</u>	<u>YTD 2006</u>
Total				
Emergency Responses	219	2,026	1,683	1,638
Fire Responses	46	458	395	382
Working Fires	0	57	65	87
General Service Calls	32	317	279	293
Station Coverage / Standbys	14	84	51	2
EMS Responses	173	1,568	1,288	1,256
Station #1	104	989		
Station #2	34	286		
Station #3	35	292		
Public Assists	20	118	72	53
Public Service Contacts	31	187	346	385

- 09-03: Chief Sims appeared on KFSM Channel five Morning Show on Public Safety Day
- 09-05: Chief Sims attended Bella Vista Safety Meeting at Riordan Hall
- 09-06: Chief Sims, Dep. Chief Puryear and departmental personnel were on hand for Public Safety Day providing equipment displays and information
- 09-08: Chief Sims attended regularly scheduled BV Ambulance Board meeting
- 09-09: Dep. Chief Puryear attended POA safety meeting
- 09-12: Chief Sims and shift personnel attended in-service on Phillips EKG/Defibrillator monitor
- 09-16: Chief Sims and shift personnel began annual pump testing with engine 3; Chief Sims assisted with tornado drill at Cooper Elementary; Chief Sims and FF Devin Reaves consulted with St. Bernard's and Branchwood Recreation Center regarding their respective sprinkler systems; Chief Sims presented a fire safety lecture at the BV Boys & Girls Club for approximately 20 students
- 09-17: Chief Sims and Dep. Chief Puryear assisted with the fire drill held at Cooper Elementary
- 09-18: Chief Sims and A shift service tested Engines 1 and 2; Chief Sims attended regularly scheduled Metro Chiefs meeting

- 09-19: Chief Sims and personnel attended monthly training meeting, followed by an officers' meeting
- 09-23: Chief Sims and FF Devin Reaves assisted Highlands Healthcare with a scheduled fire drill
- 09-24: Chief Sims and Capt. Ken Farmer traveled to Arkansas Tech to discuss development of disaster preparation map system for Bella Vista
- 09-25: Dep. Chief Puryear convened the first Truck Committee meeting; Chief Sims made a pay committee presentation; Chief Sims provided a Emergency Exit Drills In the Home presentation for approximately 100 students at the BV Boys and Girls Club

Inspection Activity

- General Inspections: 12
- Sprinkler Inspections: 6
- Fire Alarm Inspections: 3
- Plan Reviews: 4
- Sprinkler Plan Review: 4
- Fire Alarm Plan Review: 2