

**CITY OF STREATOR
FIRE DEPARTMENT**



2023 ANNUAL REPORT

Respect Compassion Integrity

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MESSAGE FROM THE FIRE CHIEF

Welcome to the Streator Fire Department!

This annual report is written to inform the public of our operations for 2023 and also to act as an avenue to preserve the history of our department. All information including operational response numbers are factual based on department wide reporting software. These numbers provide a basis to analyze our operations and help to determine trends in service.

I am proud to report that 2023 was an exciting and successful year for our fire department! In addition to continuing our excellent fire suppression and rescue operations, our EMS responsibilities have proven to be successful with consistent responses and many, many positive patient outcomes. We continue to see improvements in the services that we provide.

Thank you to the Streator City Government for providing the resources needed and to all Streator Fire Department employees for your dedication to our community and to the citizens for which we serve.

In Service,

Gary Bird

Streator Fire Chief



ABOUT THE SFD

MISSION

To provide the citizens and visitors of Streator with the best possible protection utilizing an all hazards approach. With our solid foundation in fire protection and emergency medical response, the Streator Fire Department provides the community service in the areas of aggressive fire suppression, prevention, community risk reduction, inspection, investigation, code enforcement, and medical services. The Streator Fire Department will strive to accomplish our mission by incorporating knowledge and applying our core values of respect, compassion, and integrity.



VISION

A fire department that provides the best fire protection and medical care. A department that does the right thing at the right time for the right reasons. A fire department that fills the needs and gaps in the community and completely fulfills the mission of the fire department.

MOTTO

The desire to serve, the courage to act.

PERSONNEL

FIRE CHIEF

Chief Gary Bird

A SHIFT

Captain/EMT David Kupec

Lieutenant Kurt Snow

Firefighter Eric Hoffmeyer

Firefighter/Paramedic Jeff Arendell

Firefighter TJ Renner

Paramedic Tori Davis

Paramedic Amber Reif

EMT Haley Campos

EMT Jasmine Stanton

B SHIFT

Captain/EMT Ryan Reynolds

Lieutenant/EMT Tim Redd

Firefighter/EMT Billy Missel

Firefighter/Paramedic Ed Levy

Firefighter/EMT Russell Callahan

Paramedic Mike White

Paramedic Jon Frey

EMT Dani Frey

EMT Patrick Harvey

C SHIFT

Captain Fred McClellan

Lieutenant/EMT Bryan Park

Firefighter/EMT Ian Rogers

Firefighter/EMT Phil Durdan

Firefighter/EMT Connor McMenamin

Paramedic Cory Moser

Paramedic Alexandria Smith

EMT Justin Vealy

EMT David Emanuel

RETIREMENTS

FIREFIGHTER MIKE MAST

Disability on January 19, 2023



LIEUTENANT BEN DONAHUE

Retired on October 5, 2023



PROMOTIONS

LIEUTENANT TIM REDD

Promoted on August 8, 2023



NEW HIRES

FF CONNOR MCMENAMIN

Hired February 21, 2023

FF TJ RENNER

Hired September 7, 2023

FF RUSSELL CALLAHAN

Hired October 6, 2023



FIRE STATION

The Streator Fire Department operates out of a single station located at 108 North Wasson Street in Streator, Illinois. The 14,000 square foot building was constructed in 2005 and houses all Administrative offices, all Fire and EMS apparatus, and living quarters for all on-duty firefighters, paramedics, and EMTs. The location of the fire station in the center of the city provides the SFD with quick access to all locations in the city limits and the surrounding area.



APPARATUS

Engine 3



2018 Pierce Enforcer Pumper

Tower 5



2008 Pierce ArrowXT 100' Tower



Engine 2



2000 Pierce Saber Pumper

Engine 1



1989 Pierce Arrow Pumper

Rescue 4



1999 Ford F-350 Rescue

Medic 8



2022 Wheeled Coach



Medic 9



2015 Osage

Medic 10



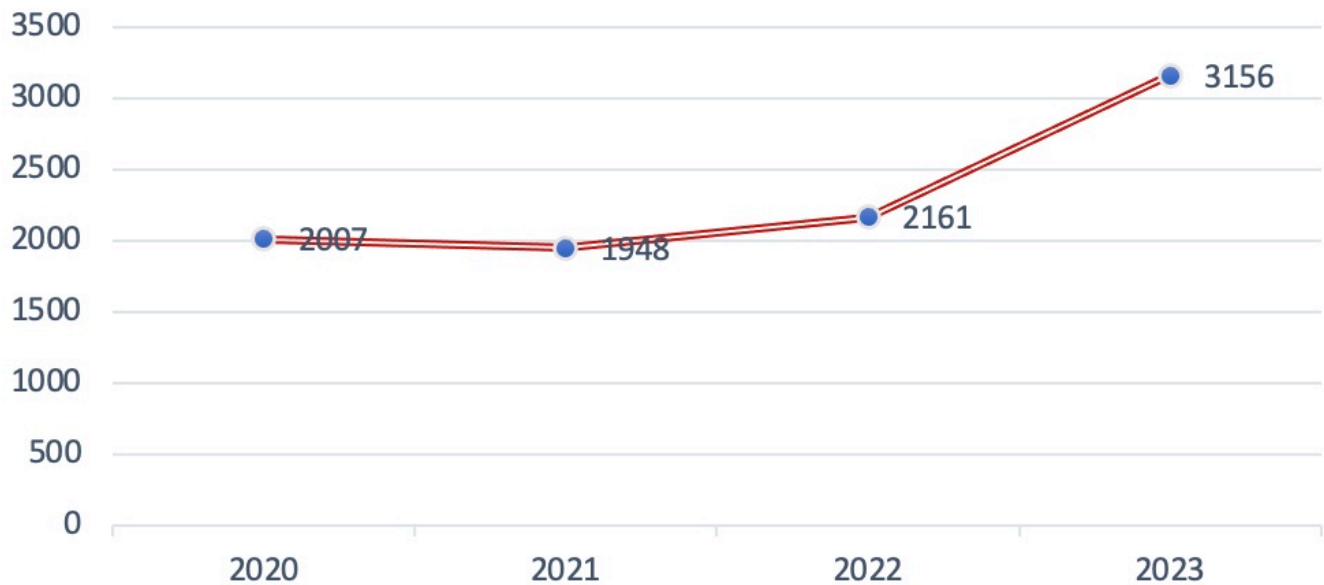
2022 Wheeled Coach

OPERATIONS

CALL NUMBERS

| Total Responses | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 |
|-----------------|------|------|------|------|
| | | | | |
| -Fire | 799 | 646 | 634 | 706 |
| Structure Fires | 21 | 26 | 26 | 28 |
| -EMS | 1208 | 1302 | 1527 | 2450 |
| | | | | |
| Total Calls | 2007 | 1948 | 2161 | 3156 |

**Streator Fire Department
Calls per Year**



RESPONSE TIMES

| Response Times | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | | | | |
| Unit on scene within 4 minutes | 73.24% | 71.56% | 66.34% | 60.85% |
| Unit on scene within 8 minutes | 98.06% | 97.08% | 95.72% | 93.18% |

TOTAL TRANSPORTS

| Total Patient Transports | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 |
|--------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | | | | |
| | 0 | 0 | 478 | 1919 |

VALUE LOST VS VALUE SAVED

| Value Saved vs Lost | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 |
|---------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Losses | \$117,250 | \$124,100 | \$246,000 | \$546,100 |
| Pre-Incident Value | \$23,302,350 | \$4,718,200 | \$2,820,700 | \$6,442,200 |
| % | 0.50% | 2.63% | 8.72% | 8.48% |

FIRE CONTAINMENT

| Fire Containment | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 |
|--------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Object of Origin | 20.00% | 33.33% | 15.78% | 23.07% |
| Room of Origin | 55.00% | 14.28% | 21.05% | 23.07% |
| Floor of Origin | 10.00% | 4.76% | 5.26% | 0% |
| Building of Origin | 0.00% | 9.52% | 16.31% | 15.38% |
| Beyond Building | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 7.69% |

CULTURE OF EXCELLENCE IN RESUSCITATION

The national average for return of spontaneous circulation (ROSC) is 29.7%. This is the number of times that an EMS crew can restore a patient's heartbeat. The national average for survival until neurologically intact discharge from the emergency departments is 8.9%. This is the number of patients that will go home from the hospital and have a meaningful quality of life.

61.9%
ROSC Percentage

All data is filtered to remove situations where bystanders did CPR that was not indicated, obvious signs of death were present (lividity/rigor), the patient had a do not resuscitate order, duplicate reports were generated, and instances of traumatic arrest.

Report data indicates that in total responses, including those to: Reading Fire Protection District, Long Point Fire Protection District, Allen Township Fire Protection District, Leonore Fire Protection District, and mutual aid responses to Grand Ridge Volunteer Fire Department, the breakdown is 33 arrests with 13 resulting in ROSC or a ROSC percentage of 39.3%. Of these 13 who experienced ROSC 3 survived until neurologically intact discharge or roughly 9% of the total cardiac arrests responded to.

Within the city of Streator there were 21 cardiac arrests with 13 resulting in ROSC or a ROSC percentage of 61.9%. Of these 13 who experienced ROSC 3 survived until neurologically intact discharge or roughly 14%.

14%
Neurologically intact

Report data indicates that when a fire department paramedic is on scene with the paramedic assigned to the ambulance there were 11 instances of cardiac arrest with 9 resulting in ROSC or a ROSC rate of 81.8%. Of these 13 who experienced ROSC 3 survived until neurologically intact discharge or roughly 27%.



FIRE PREVENTION/COMMUNITY RISK REDUCTION

SMOKE ALARM INSTALLATION WITH AMERICAN RED CROSS

The Streator Fire Safety Initiative was started in 2016. In the 7 years since the program's inception, a total of 3,427 smoke alarms have been installed in Streator and the surrounding area. The American Red Cross continues to be an outstanding partner with the Home Fire Campaign. All smoke alarms have been provided by the Red Cross free of charge.

3,427
Smoke alarms installed

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

In addition to the smoke alarm campaign, the Streator Fire Department has continued in its mission of public education through station tours, school visits, and community outreach. Over 1,000 fire prevention packets were handed out to K-4th graders in the Streator community. In addition, Streator firefighters visited all K-4th grade students in Streator including several preschool classes.

TRAINING

Training remains the foundation of our performance. The Streator Public Safety Training Facility has provided the department with innumerable benefits to continue advancing our department's competency and ultimate effectiveness. Coordination with the Illinois Fire Service Institute has also provided great training opportunities.



The following training was completed by Streator firefighters:

- American Heart Association Basic Life Support
- EMS Continuing education (minimum 25 hours)
- Driver training (minimum 12 hours)
- Facility (Live Fire) Training (min of 18 hours)
- Hazardous Materials training (min of 6 hours)
- Company training (minimum of 192 hours)
- Officer training (Officers only) (minimum of 12 hours)
- Advanced Pump Operations class taught by IFSI at the Streator Public Training Facility
- Incident Safety Officer class taught by IFSI at the Streator Public Training Facility
- Hosted IFSI Basic Operations Firefighter class with 42 students from more than 20 different departments

4,347
Total hours of training



SIGNIFICANT EVENTS

January 19, 2023



Firefighter Mike Mast retires.

February 9, 2023



Streator Firefighter/Paramedic Jeff Arendell is recognized for being one of the areas Most Outstanding Professionals under 40.

February 15, 2023



Congressman Darrin LaHood visited the Streator Fire Department to tour the facility, talk about grants, and offer support to our mission.

February 20, 2023



Structure fire at 610 N Shabbona Street. A passerby noticed smoke and alerted authorities to the area where a well involved fire was discovered.

February 21, 2023



Firefighter Connor McMenamin started on C shift.

April 12, 2023

Structure fire at 110 W 7th Street. A well involved fire was contained to the room of origin due to a quick response.

April 13, 2023

Structure fire at 503 W Boys Street. A fire in the basement of a home caused significant smoke damage to the home before being extinguished.

April 14, 2023



Firefighter McMenamin graduates from the Illinois Fire Service Institute Firefighter Academy.

April 15, 2023

Structure fire at 214 LaSalle Street. A 2 story garage was accidentally ignited from a burn pile. Firefighters extinguished the fire with 9 firefighters and the help of neighboring departments .

May 22, 2023



The Streator Fire Department celebrates EMS Week!

May 30, 2023

Streator firefighters rescue a girl from the waters of the Vermillion River. The patient was evaluated by Streator Fire EMS and released.

June 21, 2023

A quick response helps prevent a porch fire from spreading to a home. Streator Fire extinguished fire caused by discarded smoking materials at 202 E Broadway St.

August 8, 2023



Firefighter Tim Redd is promoted to Lieutenant.

August 10, 2023

Streator Fire extinguishes an apartment fire in Everett Towers. High rise operations helped to limit the fire to a single apartment and keep all residents safe.

September 7, 2023



Firefighter TJ Renner starts at the SFD.

September 10, 2023

A garage at 413 Penn Street catches fire before spreading to 2 adjacent homes. Streator Fire was able to save both homes.

September 13, 2023

Streator Fire quickly responds after fast action by homeowner to limit damage to a garage on fire at 1004 N Everett Street.

October 5, 2023



Lieutenant Ben Donahue retires from the Streator Fire Department.

October 6, 2023



Russell Callahan begins career with the SFD.

October 11-18, 2023



Fire Prevention Week means Streator Fire is able to make our annual visit to all Streator elementary and pre schools. Firefighters pass along messages of fire safety and discuss what to do in case of fire.

November 20, 2023



A 2-story home at 504 S Bloomington St was accidentally started on fire. The fire in the multi-unit home was extinguished after 45 minutes with the help of neighboring departments.

December 16, 2023



A vacant, single family home at 606 Pine Tree Road is found fully engulfed in fire upon arrival by Streator Fire. The fire was brought under control in around 30 minutes using master stream devices.

December 27, 2023



Streator Fire Department Paramedic Cory Moser is named the OSF St Elizabeth EMS System Paramedic of the Year!

