Delaware Fire Department

August 2026

- Responses
  - *684 for the month*
  - *4,856 for the year*
  - *0.84% decrease overall from last year*
  - *Average 21 calls per day, highest day 30 calls*
- Incident Types
  - *Fire - 5*
  - *Explosion - 0*
  - *EMS – 491*
  - *Haz. Cond. - 12*
  - *Service Call - 52*
  - *Good Intent - 37*
  - *False Calls - 87*
  - *Severe Weather - 0*
  - *Other - 0*
- Emergency Responses Arrived within 6 Minutes or Less
  - *80.04% for the month*
  - *5:21 Average time*
- DFD Transports
  - *318 for the month*
  - *2,319 for the year*
- Total Apparatus Response
  - *969 for the month*
  - *7,410 for the year*
- Fire Loss
  - *$50,000 for the month*
  - *$504,860 for the year*
- Training Hours
  - *1,146 for the month*
  - *11,769 for the year*





8/11 – All DFD units responded to a fire on Wisteria Way. It was controlled in 15 minutes of first arriving unit and was contained to a single unit in a multi-unit building. No injuries were reported and all occupants got out safely.

Summary

Major Incidents

- 8/3 – Cooking Fire – Shearer Place
- 8/5 – Unauthorized burning – Columbus Pk & Hull Dr
- 8/7 – Motor vehicle accident with no injuries – Sunbury Rd
- 8/10 – Motor vehicle accident with no injuries – US 23 & Panhandle Rd
- 8/11 – Building Fire – Wisteria Way
- 8/20 – Unauthorized burning – Penick Ave
- 8/25 – Open burn fire – Fair Avenue
- 8/28 – Motor vehicle accident with injuries – S Sandusky St & Park Ave
- 8/31 – Motor vehicle accident with injuries – US 42 S & Fern Dr

Other Activities

- 8/1 – Touch-a-Truck for block party on Hull Ct
- 8/6 – PR event with State Fire Marshal's Office for hearing impaired smoke detector program and install
- 8/7 – Fire Extinguisher Training with Fidelity Bank
- 8/11 – Station 301 tour to a Mother's Group
- 8/14 – Second Fire Extinguisher Training with Fidelity Bank
- 8/14 – CPR/AED/First Aid training for municipal court employees
- 8/15 – Touch-a-Truck for block party on Ellesmere Drive
- 8/26 – CPR/AED/First Aid Training with bailiff's office
- 8/28 – Station 301 tour for Mom's club of Delaware

Did you know?

Top 3 dispatch calls for the month

- *Sick Person*
- *Falls*
- *Lift Assist*

Emergency responses

- *77.79% of all calls*
- *536 responses*

Runs by Primary Station

- *Station 301 – 327*
- *Station 302 – 52*
- *Station 303 – 221*
- *Station 304 – 89*

Top 5 Busiest Units

- *Medic 301 – 214*
- *Engine 301 – 163*
- *Medic 303 – 160*
- *Ladder 303 – 135*
- *Battalion 301 – 79*

Number of Fires greater than $10,000 in loss

- *1 for the month*
- *11 for the year*

Number of Suspicious Fires

- *0 for the month*
- *0 for the year*

Incident Injuries

- *Civilian*
  - *0 for the month*
  - *0 for the year*
- *Firefighters*
  - *0 for the month*
  - *5 for the year*

Narcan Administration

- *3 for the month*
- *22 for the year*

Narcan Usage Reasons

- *Cardiac Arrest*
- *Narcotic Overdose*
- *Altered Mental Status*

8/7 – Just east of the Point on Sunbury Rd was the scene of a dump truck that went off the road. Before doing so the driver caused damage to retaining walls, a fence, and three vehicles. There were no injuries reported.





8/13 – N Sandusky St was the scene of a multi-vehicle accident. It resulted in six patients being transported to local ERs.

Heat Map of Runs for the Month

