



# KANSAS CITY KANSAS FIRE DEPARTMENT WEEKLY REPORT FOR THE UNIFIED GOVERNMENT

Week of November 5, - November 11, 2023



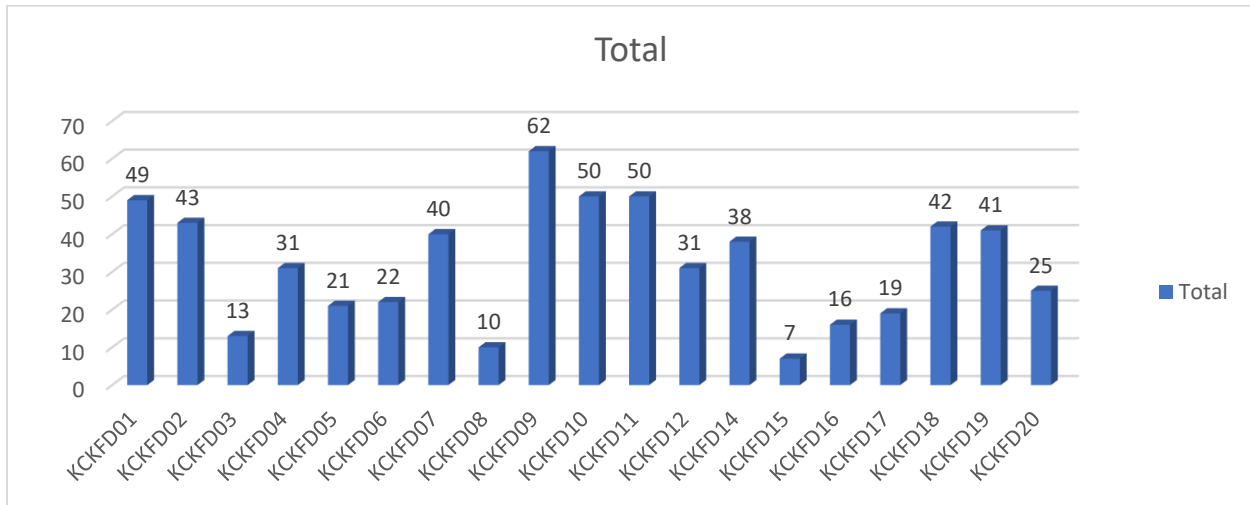
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### Calls to service:

- During the week, the department responded to a total of 606 calls to service, which included 13 fire-related calls.



### Significant Fire Related Calls

- 1800 block of N. 31st Street: Family displaced due to fire.
- 1200 block of N. 18th Street: 3 Alarm Apartment Fire, one victim rescued, confined to building of origin.
- 2000 block of Brickel Blvd.: Fire confined to room of origin.

A brief overview of response times for the EMS, Structure Fires, and Fires (Other) categories.

#### 1. EMS Performance Metrics

- 90th Percentile Response Time: 407.8 seconds (06:48 minutes)
- Travel Time: 328.6 seconds (05:29 minutes)
- Turnout Time: 115 seconds (01:55 minutes)
- Alarm to Arrival: 547.6 seconds (09:08 minutes)
- Call Create to Arrival: 547.6 seconds (09:08 minutes)



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### 2. Structure Fires Performance Metrics

- 90th Percentile Response Time: 03:16 minutes
- Travel Time: 02:01 minutes
- Turnout Time: 01:19 minutes
- Alarm to Arrival: 04:03 minutes
- Call Create to Arrival: 04:03 minutes

### 3. Fires (Other) Performance Metrics

- 90th Percentile Response Time: 04:58 minutes
- Travel Time: 04:16 minutes
- Turnout Time: 01:27 minutes
- Alarm to Arrival: 06:51 minutes
- Call Create to Arrival: 06:51 minutes

## Fire Prevention Activities:

### 1. Smoke Detector Installations:

- November 2, 2023 – 1700 block of N. 40th: Installation completed.
- November 8, 2023 – 300 block of N. 16th St.: Installation completed.
- November 8, 2023 – 2100 block N. 22nd: Installation combined with home safety visit.

### 2. Home Safety Visits:

- November 8, 2023 – 2400 block of N. 100th St: Safety visit conducted.
- November 8, 2023 – 2100 block of N. 22nd: Combined with smoke detector installation.





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### Community Engagement Activities:

- **Social Media Outreach:**
  - November 7, 2023 - Instagram page launch for fire safety and prevention outreach.
- **Public Events and Educational Visits:**
  - November 4, 2023 - Bass Pro Shop/Cabela's event: Santa Claus delivery at 10300 Cabela Drive.
  - November 9, 2023 - St. Patrick Preschool-EEC visit: Fire apparatus visit for pre-K class at 1080 N. 94th Street.
  - November 10, 2023 - Turner USD 202 JAG program: Fire HQ tour for students at 815 N. 6th Street.

### Diversity and Recruitment:

- November 9, 2023 – African American Diversity Breakfast Summit: Hosted at Station 12. Discussions on hiring, recruitment, and a proposed Camp for Public Safety Candidates of Color with 24 participants in attendance.
  - Police Chief Oakman gave the keynote address.

### Training and Education:

- **Professional Development:**
  - November 6-8, 2023- Low-Rise Fire Training: 240 participants, including members from the Edwardsville Fire Department, engaged in lectures, demonstrations, and exercises.
  - November 7-9, 2023 - Magellan Midstream Partners/ONEOK Training: Forty-Two (42) Fire Department personnel participated in annual training at a high-risk/low-frequency facility.



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### Quartermaster/Logistics:

- November 9, 2023 - Fire administration conducted a punch list walkthrough at the soon-to-be-opened Station 16, located in Turner at 55th and Douglas. This review is part of the final preparations to ensure that the new station is fully equipped and operational deficiencies are addressed prior to its opening. Look for our Grand Opening in the near future.





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### **Community Services:**

- The 606 calls to service this week underscore the continuous demand for fire department services and the critical nature of fire prevention measures.
- A total of four (4) smoke detector installations have directly contributed to enhanced fire safety in residential areas.
- Educational visits and public events have served to both raise awareness of fire safety and strengthen community relations.
- The initiation of social media outreach provides a new and ongoing platform for fire safety communication.
- The Diversity Breakfast Summit has initiated meaningful dialogue and actionable plans for diversity in recruitment and community safety programs.
- Inclusive training sessions with other departments like Edwardsville Fire Department ensure regional preparedness and foster inter-agency collaboration.
- The completion of the punch list walkthrough is a critical step toward opening Station 16, which will enhance the department's capacity to serve the community.