

Fire Department

As reported by Greg Schreck, Fire Chief

Routine Activities for the month:

The Department responded to six calls for service and held three training sessions in November.

Firefighters trained on chimney fire extinguishment and preparing for winter firefighting operations. Winter cold and subzero temperatures can pose significant challenges while fighting winter fires. Training included personal protection by dressing appropriately for maximum protection against cold. Equipment freeze protection was also covered with instruction on water circulation for the prevention of fire hose, nozzle and water valve freeze-up.

Department members also assisted the Chamber of Commerce with the replacement of defective lights in the downtown Christmas decorations.

Run Report for November:

Alarm Date	Alarm Location	Incident Type
11/07/2019	2014 Kittyhawk Ave	Accidental fire sprinkler activation – no fire
11/08/2019	½ S of Highway 30 on Hawthorne	Round baler fire
11/13/2019	295 th & Olympic Ave	Vehicle roll-over
11/15/2019	1009 E Anthony Ave	Vehicle ran into building
11/23/2019	2241 N West St	Smoke detector malfunction
11/25/2019	230 th & Highway 71	Grass fire in road ditch