



January Activity Report

Madeira & Indian Hill Joint Fire District

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Highlights and Fire / EMS Incidents: We began 2025 with a few highlights including a tanker rollover and a winter storm. Locution is up and running for each station and more highlights are below from the month.



HazMat: Tanker Rollover – Indian Hill

Date: January 10th, 2025

Location: Loveland Madeira Rd.

Description: MIHJFD received notification of an MVC with injury involving a tanker truck. The driver lost control of 2800 gallon tanker truck hauling off-road diesel fuel and crashed on Loveland Madeira north of Keller Rd. The driver was transported, and the rest of the incident was spent containing leaking fuel and recovering the tanker, which was on its roof. Greater Cincinnati HazMat Unit, the Ohio E.P.A., and the Rangers and Water Department from Indian Hill were utilized to mitigate the

incident, which took over six hours. A full incident overview was conducted.

Winter Storms: Two winter storms hit the JFD within one week that included two significant snow accumulations and extremely low temperatures. The tanker rollover occurred prior to the second snow fall, but snow was a factor during the incident as a storm rolled in about two hours into the incident. No other major incidents occurred as a direct result of the snow.

Mutual Aid: We provided mutual aid for a working fire in Norwood. The quint responded to Norwood for an early morning fire on a bitterly frigid winter morning. The house was undergoing renovation and was fully involved upon arrival.



USAR / Drone: Quarterly training occurred with confined space rescue at Blue Ash Fire Department. The drone personnel also trained in video transmission capabilities and reviewed recent incidents. USAR had one activation for a missing person in Fairfield. The person was found 8 miles from home and was transported for exposure injuries due to the cold.

Rescue Training: Ice conditions were favorable for ice rescue training. All three unit days had time on the ice at Stepping Stones for rescue scenarios. We also had members from Milford Community FD attend those trainings.

Projects

Ladder Truck Replacement: After a year of study and the completion of the Leadership Academy Project, the Madeira and Indian Hill Joint Fire District Board of Trustees decided to replace the quint with another quint. The JFD spent the year evaluating whether to purchase another ladder or change our deployment to engines only. Details of the project will be available upon completion of the written report by the members of the 2024 – 2025 Leadership Academy.

ISO: Jacob Huddleson from ISO came to the JFD for the Fire Suppression Rating Schedule (FSRS). The evaluation went well, and results should be available in two to six months. We are currently rated at 3.

Prevention: Highlights from prevention are on the chart.

Personnel: We received notification that another part time employee who works a regular rotation will be leaving the JFD for a career opportunity at another department. FF / EMT M. Morgan began his first days of career employment on Unit 2. FF / Medic Hoying's transfer from Unit 2 to Unit 1 took place as well.

Apparatus Maintenance:

**2016 Pierce (E264)
(Support 264)**

- Black Max Leaking, parts ordered
- Discharge valve leaking, parts ordered

Ranger 64

- Plow wear bar
- Turn signal

Engine 65

- Snow Chains solenoid Replaced
- Batteries Replaced

Engine 64

- Cross member recall – Completed
- Pump shift leaking intermittently, will monitor
- Scene light damage, part ordered

Station Maintenance: Bay door panels were finally replaced on Door #4 at Station 64 by Overhead Door. Insurance paid for replacement panels and installation. Air filters replaced and air compressor oil changed at Station 65.

37	Commercial Fire Inspections
1	Knox Box Install
0	Tent Permits
3	Commercial Plan Reviews
5	Car Seat Inspection / Install
2	Address Signs
1	Station Tours 10 Boy Scouts
1	Smoke Detector Installation
1	Underground Storage Tank Insp.
1	Community Events: St. Gertrude Open House

JANUARY RUN DATA

EMS RUNS	JAN	TOTAL
MEDIC 64	30	30
MEDIC 65	90	90
MADEIRA	84	84
INDIAN HILL	27	27
MUTUAL AID Given	5	5
MUTUAL AID Received	6	6
MONTHLY TOTAL	116	116
YEAR TO DATE	116	

NURSING HOMES	JAN
5970 Kenwood	8
7650 Camargo	17
7885 Camargo	27
MONTHLY TOTAL	52
YEAR TO DATE	52

Total Incidents

167

Non-EMS Incidents

51

EMS Incidents

115

All Incidents

Incident Type	# of unique IncidentID				
	Indian Hill	Madeira	NVA	Out Of District	Grand Total
Alarm system activation, no fire - unintentional	1	1			2
Arcing, shorted electrical equipment	1	1			2
Assist invalid	1				1
Building fire				1	1
CO detector activation due to malfunction	1				1
Carbon monoxide detector activation, no CO	1	1	1		3
Carbon monoxide incident		2			2
Cooking fire, confined to container		1			1
Detector activation, no fire - unintentional	1	2			3
EMS - Canceled en Route		1		5	6
EMS call, excluding vehicle accident with injury	22	82		5	109
Emergency medical service incident, other	1				1
Fire - Canceled en Route	5	2		3	10
Fire in motor home, camper, recreational vehicle				1	1
Gas leak (natural gas or LPG)		4			4
Gasoline or other flammable liquid spill		1			1
Medical assist, assist EMS crew		2			2
Motor vehicle accident with injuries	4				4
No incident found on arrival at dispatch address		1			1
Outside rubbish, trash or waste fire		1			1
Power line down	1	1			2
Smoke detector activation due to malfunction	1	2			3
Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional	2				2
Smoke scare, odor of smoke				3	3
Water or steam leak		1			1
Grand Total	42	106	1	18	167