



VILLAGE OF KEY BISCAIYNE

Department of Fire Rescue

MEMORANDUM

DATE: January 14, 2016
TO: John C. Gilbert, Village Manager
FROM: Eric Lang, Director of Fire Rescue 
RE: Monthly Report Exceptions

During the month of December 2015 the following are significant exceptions;

Simultaneous Response Rate indicates the frequency of multiple calls that take place at one time. This month 26 calls occurred simultaneously. Sixteen (16) percent of total calls, is the second highest in the calendar year. When this rate increase above 15%, there is frequently a delay in response time to the simultaneous calls, the community experiences more emergency vehicles responding and hears more sirens. The Miami Fire Department and Miami Dade Fire Rescue typically are called on to mitigate increase response times and to be sure that units are available for response. The increase rate did not impact the average response time and was below the 2015 average of 3 minutes and 32 seconds.

Budget: Currently, there are no budget exceptions.

Topic of Interest:

During the 4th quarter of 2015, the Department initiated a Drug Action Campaign. The occurrences of drug and alcohol related emergencies fortunately decreased over the last three months as compared to the previous quarters during 2015. During the time we interacted with over 400 parents at workshop discussing the topic of Drugs and Alcohol in the Village.

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Monthly Report December 2015

Description	Year to Date 2015	December 2015
Average Response Time	3:32	3:27
Total Calls	1957	164
Fire Calls	981	87

Medical Calls, Transports and Revenue

Medical Calls	976	77
ALS Transport	310	23
BLS Transport	187	11
EMS Revenue	\$217,585	\$14,537
EMS Gross Collection Rate (12 month rolling avg.)	46%	46%

Significant Calls and Activities

Auto Fire Alarm	528	30
Building Fire	83	11
Fire and Property Loss	\$207,725	\$2,270
Aid Given	39	0
Aid Received	24	0
Simultaneous Response Rate	14%	16%
CPR Citizens Trained*	252	15
Inspections	875	76
Plans Review	838	39

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