

The logo is a Maltese cross with a central circle. The word "FIRE" is at the top, "EM" is on the right, and "SC" is on the left. A banner at the bottom contains "EST. 1855" and "MONMOUTH, IL.". The text "MONMOUTH FIRE DEPARTMENT" is faintly visible in the background.

***Monmouth Fire Department***  
***July Monthly Report***

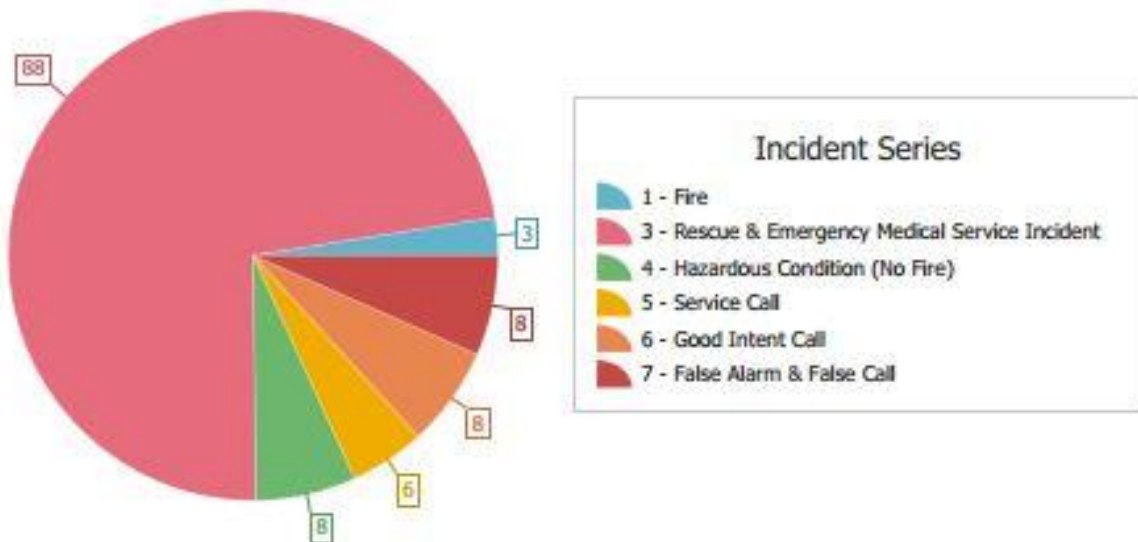
***August 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022 City Council Meeting***

### Emergency Responses:

The Monmouth Fire Department utilizes fire reporting software approved by the United States Fire Administration and the Office of the Illinois State Fire Marshal. This software records fire department responses in over 90 categories to track fire department emergency response statistics. This information is used by the department to support decision-making for fire response planning. Tracking response data with approved software is also required for fire departments receiving Federal and State grant dollars.

## July Incidents

### Incident Reports by Incident Type Series, Summary



#### Incident Type: 1 - Fire

100 - Fire, other	1
154 - Dumpster or other outside trash receptacle fire	1
160 - Special outside fire, other	1

**Total Number of calls for this Major Category: 3**

#### Incident Type: 3 - Rescue & Emergency Medical Service Incident

300 - Rescue, EMS incident, other	1
311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	85
350 - Extrication, rescue, other	1
352 - Extrication of victim(s) from vehicle	1

**Total Number of calls for this Major Category: 88**

#### Incident Type: 4 - Hazardous Condition (No Fire)

412 - Gas leak (natural gas or LPG)	4
463 - Vehicle accident, general cleanup	4

**Total Number of calls for this Major Category: 8**

**Incident Type: 5 - Service Call**

500 - Service Call, other	1
553 - Public service	1
561 - Unauthorized burning	4

**Total Number of calls for this Major Category: 6**

**Incident Type: 6 - Good Intent Call**

600 - Good intent call, other	3
611 - Dispatched & canceled en route	3
622 - No incident found on arrival at dispatch address	2

**Total Number of calls for this Major Category: 8**

**Incident Type: 7 - False Alarm & False Call**

700 - False alarm or false call, other	2
730 - System malfunction, other	1
733 - Smoke detector activation due to malfunction	1
735 - Alarm system sounded due to malfunction	3
745 - Alarm system activation, no fire - unintentional	1

**Total Number of calls for this Major Category: 8**

<b>Total Number of Incidents:</b>	<b>121</b>
<b>Total Number of Distict Incident Types:</b>	<b>20</b>

**Total Number of Incidents Year to Date: 908**

**Total Number of Distinct Incident Types Year to Date: 57**

### **Staff Training:**

The MFD staff completed emergency medical training on the subject of trauma involving the extremities. All of the firefighters reviewed how to properly care for a patient who has suffered a broken bone or a possible fracture. The topics included splinting, demobilization, examination, and transport of the patient.

Fire training for the month of July included the topics of Public Education, District Familiarization, and Pre-fire Planning. The staff reviewed material on each subject and also practiced writing pre-fire plans for select properties in the City.

Captain Peeler and Chief Rexroat attended an Active Shooter Incident Management training that was held at Western Illinois University in Macomb. The training was provided by a company called C3 Pathways who are affiliated with the Illinois Fire Service Institute and the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board. The class included approximately 30 police officers, 20 firefighters, 5 dispatchers, 2 public information officers, 2 emergency managers, and 1 helicopter pilot. The class provided extensive training on the different roles of each agency during an active shooter incident and included many scenarios to practice the skills that were taught.

Earlier this summer, Firefighter Osborn attended a Rope Rescue Technician training at the Illinois Fire Service Institute and this past month, he passed on some of what he learned by providing training to the rest of the department. The firefighters practiced tying different knots for different uses, set up haul systems, and practiced packaging a patient in a stretcher to be lowered or raised for rescue.

### **Non-Emergency Activities:**

MFD provided a standby for the fireworks display at Citizens Lake with one engine and two firefighters. In addition to providing the standby, the firefighters also handed out glow necklaces to children in attendance.

The children attending the YMCA Day Camp visited the North Fire Station on two different days. During the visit, the campers received a tour of the fire station and a presentation on the equipment used by firefighters.

Firefighters attended the annual Backpack Day at South Park that is organized by Karla Wallace. During the visit, the Monmouth Firefighters Local 1702 donated bicycle helmets to pair with bicycles that were donated to the program.

### **Apparatus and Equipment Related Items:**

The air conditioner at Station II needed to be serviced several times over the past few months due to the unit freezing up. The problem occurred during the long periods of excessive heat that caused the unit to run very frequently.

**Other:**

MFD, MPD, Woodard Curran, and Ken Helms met at Station I to discuss ways to provide additional public safety for the car show. Topics that were discussed included security, preparation, staffing, preventative measures, communications, and response.

Chief Rexroat met with the Prime Beef Festival Committee to discuss the setup of the festival including the fire lanes. The committee has proposed making a few changes to the setup for this year to accommodate the addition of food trucks into the festival.

Respectfully submitted,

Casey Rexroat, Fire Chief