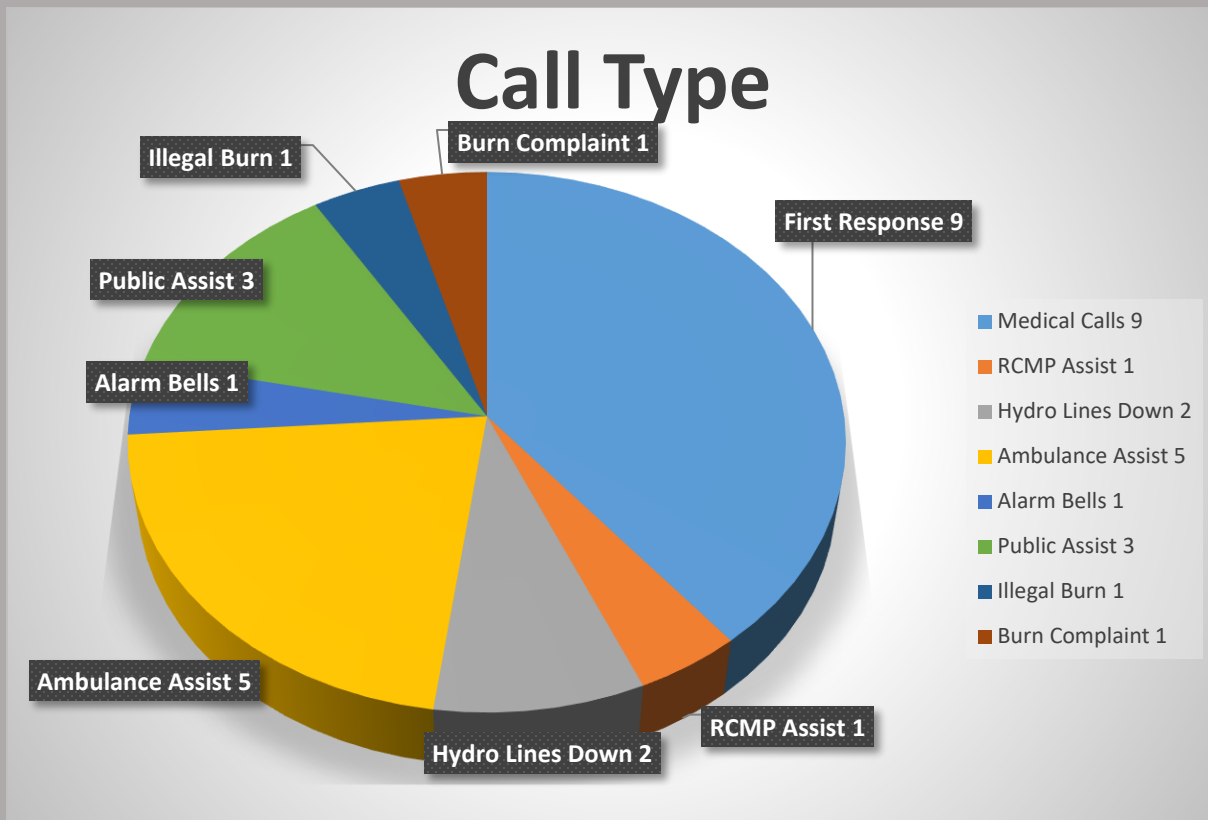


# CHIEF'S REPORT

JANUARAY 2023





Annual call totals located on last page

## Service Delivery

January's wind storm kept members busy members busy in particular with a call for multiple energized lines down outside the Hop Bay complex. At the time of this call there were multiple staff and patrons at The Hub restaurant which PIFR crews directed to shelter in place. With the aid of EMCON traffic safety personnel, the public were safely evacuated. PIFR crews were also called to assist in an active RCMP police incident requiring fire/rescue support.

# Administration

## CRD

- CRD announced a governance review to take place in April. The scope of the review will include include bylaws, administrative processes, relevant policies and procedures, organisational structure, legal opinions, declared service levels, service agreements, insurance policies, and reporting lines.

## Operations

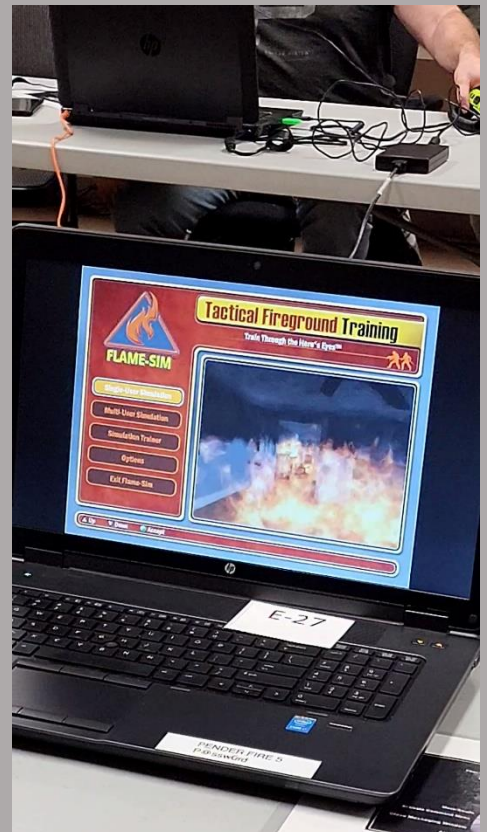
- January generated a variety of call types demonstrating our all hazards service delivery.

## Apparatus and Equipment Inspections and Maintenance

- Ongoing

## Training

- Our 2023 recruits are underway and doing well with their initial training.
- Members participated in training using our digital command simulator.





## Community Risk Reduction

### Commercial Inspections

- The Tides Resort
- Childcare Facility
- Pender Island School
- Dragonfly Daycare

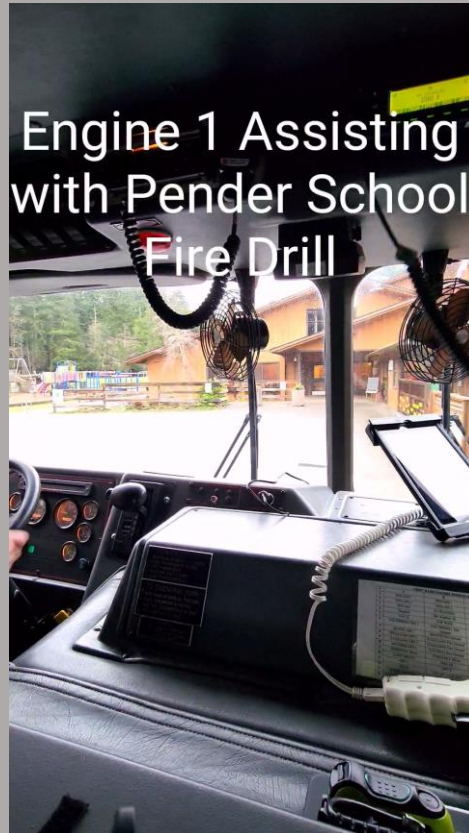
### Events / Public Education

### Media

- One of our social media campaigns highlighted the risk of creosote buildup in chimneys. “As it builds up, creosote can cause chimney fires, which can then lead to house fires. Make sure to have you chimney inspected and cleaned at least once a year.”



- PIFR assisted with the Pender Island School's fire drill. While there we conducted their annual fire and life safety inspections and spoke with the students.



## Finance

- Ongoing

## Capital Equipment & Facilities

### Capital and Infrastructure

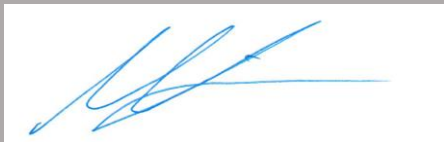
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## Personnel

### Staffing

- Ongoing

Submitted by,

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**Fire Chief, Michael Dine**  
**Pender Island Fire Rescue**

Code		2023												Quantity
Number	Call Description	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	
1	Structure Fire													0
2	Chimney Fire													0
3	Vehicle Fire													0
4	Grass Fire													0
5	Forest Fire													0
6	Burn Complaint	1												1
7	First Response	9												9
8	Ambulance Assist	5												5
9	RCMP Assist	1												1
10	Smoke Sighting													0
11	Chemical Spill													0
12	Oil Spill													0
13	Fuel Spill													0
14	Gas Leak													0
15	Appliance Fire													0
16	Hydro Lines Down/Incidents	2												2
17	Smoke Smell													0
18	Motor Vehicle Incident													0
19	Miscellaneous													0
20	Plane Crash													0
21	Search & Rescue													0
22	Alarm Bells	1												1
23	Public Assist / Good Samaritan	3												3
24	Rope /Embankment Rescue													0
25	Illegal Burn / Illegal Equipment Use	1												1
<b>All</b>	<b>Calls to Date</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>23</b>
All	Calls from Previous Year	28	29	24	15	29	30	34	24	26	34	23	19	315