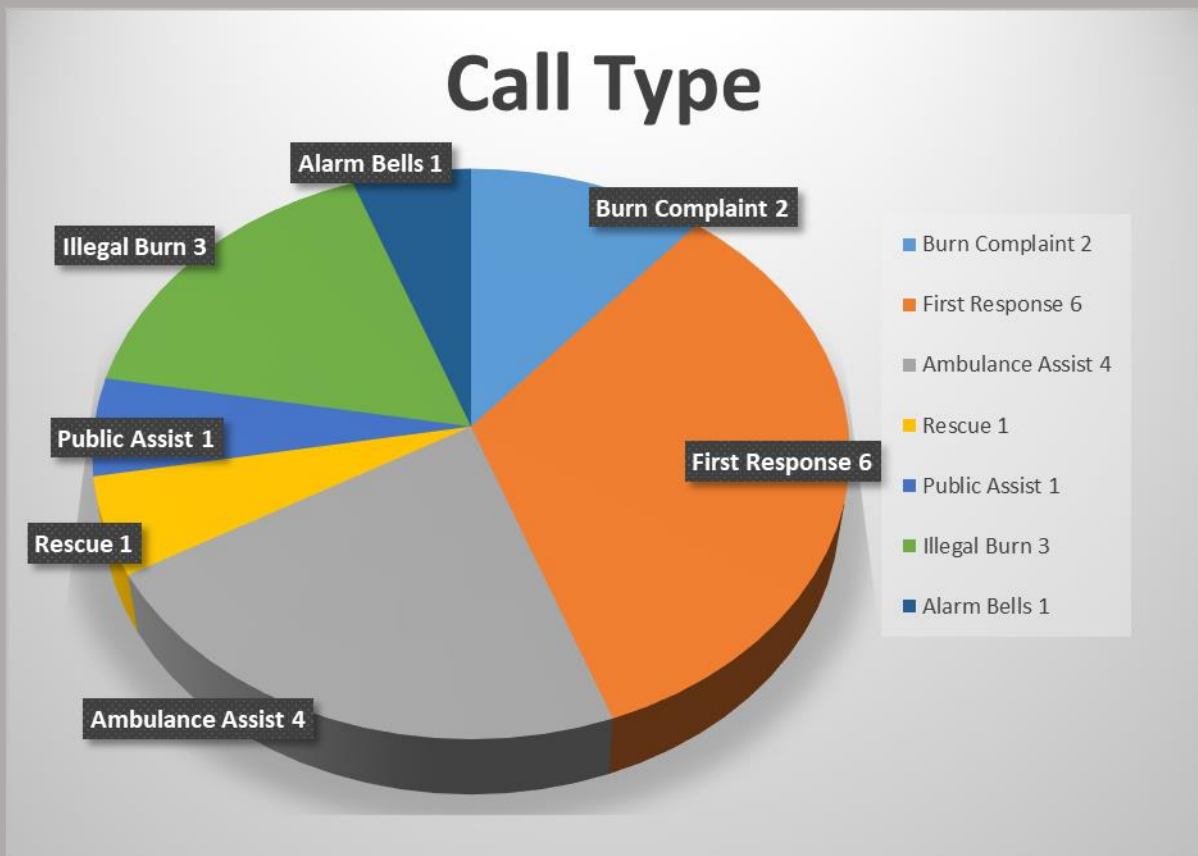


CHIEF'S REPORT

June 2024





Annual call totals located on last page

Service Delivery

- June's response was fairly typical made up of a variety of call types. Of note was a rescue call for a child locked in a vehicle on a hot summer's day. Members attended and used a car unlock kit to successfully open the vehicle without damage, the child was uninjured.

Apparatus and Equipment Inspections and Maintenance

- Annual hose testing has now commenced now that our seasonal employees are on shift. They will be testing over 15,000 feet of fire hose and supply lines.

Training

- **Several of our members completed their wildland operations and safety for structural fire fighters course. This intensive two day course prepares our firefighters to respond to wildfires on Pender and qualifies them for deployment elsewhere in the province in the event the Office of the Fire Commissioner request them.**

Administration

CRD

- **Nothing to report.**

Community Risk Reduction

Fire and Life Safety Inspections

- **Medical Clinic**
- **Pender Island Course**
- **BC Ferries Otter Bay Terminal**
- **2X Residential Fire Smart Inspection**

Events and Public Education



- **Wildfire and structural protection training weekend (click on picture)**
- **PIFR attended Fun Day at the School**
- **Chief Dine provided a wildfire information session for the Magic Lake Property Owners Society**

Finance

- **Budget has been prepared for 2025 and will be presented by President Marsden for approval prior to be forwarded to the CRD.**

Capital Equipment & Facilities

Capital and Infrastructure

- Fire hall 2 and 3 monitoring system upgrades have been completed. Hall 1 is pending.

Personnel

Staffing

- The summer employment positions have been filled .Two applicants have been selected, Ewan Holmes and Devan Hanson. They will be assisting in, maintenance, annual equipment testing and community risk reduction activities.

Submitted by,



Fire Chief, Michael Dine
Pender Island Fire Rescue

Code Number	2024 Call Description	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Quantity
1	Structure Fire			1		1								2
2	Chimney Fire	1												1
3	Vehicle Fire													0
4	Grass Fire				1	1								2
5	Forest Fire													0
6	Burn Complaint		1	2	2	4	2							11
7	First Response	7	10	8	9	9	6							49
8	Ambulance Assist	1	2	2	2	4	4							15
9	RCMP Assist													0
10	Smoke Sighting			1	1	2								4
11	Chemical Spill													0
12	Oil Spill		1											1
13	Fuel Spill													0
14	Gas Leak			1	1									2
15	Appliance Fire				1									1
16	Hydro Lines Down/Incidents	7	1	1		2								11
17	Smoke Smell				1	1								2
18	Motor Vehicle Incident													0
19	Miscellaneous	1												1
20	Plane Crash													0
21	Search & Rescue	1					1							2
22	Alarm Bells		3	2		1	1							7
23	Public Assist / Good Samaritan	3		1	3	3	1							11
24	Rope /Embankment Rescue					1								1
25	Illegal Burn / Illegal Equipment Use		2			6	3							11
All	Calls to Date	21	20	19	21	35	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	134
All	Calls from Previous Year	23	19	15	21	18	25	28	40	32	28	24	17	290