

BVFD March Response Time Report – Explanation of Mutual Aids

Tones explanation – Dispatch will tone (dispatch) a department out every 4 minutes until someone answers up at their station. After the 2nd tone if no one answers up by the time a 3rd tone is needed then dispatch mutual aids the next nearest department on the 3rd tone.

WC 911 protocol is to automatically dispatch the next nearest department for any car accident, structure/building fire, and CPR in progress

Mutual Aid Breakdown - 6 total mutual aid requests

00:00 – 07:00 = 1 times

07:01-15:59 = 3 times

16:00 – 23:59 = 2 times

Thursday March 5th at 08:52 AM – BVFD was dispatched to a car accident at 20th and Kelly Drive – 13 BVFD personnel responded, treated, and transported the patient - 3 BVFD apparatuses responded - Kennard was dual responded with us by dispatch due to nature of the call - BVFD still handled, Kennard responded and assisted

Thursday March 12th at 02:38 PM – BVFD was dispatched for a brush fire at 9505 County Road 29 – 12 BVFD personnel responded, investigated, and extinguished fire – 6 BVFD apparatuses responded – Kennard Fire, Herman Fire, Fort Calhoun Fire all were mutual aided due to high winds and the fire spreading to a field and a small structure.

Friday March 13th at 02:56 AM – BVFD was dispatched for a brush fire at South Entrance to Cargill – 9 BVFD personnel responded, investigated, and extinguished fire – 5 BVFD apparatuses responded – Fort Calhoun Fire was mutual aided due to size of fire.

Thursday March 26th at 01:26 PM – BVFD was dispatched for a brush fire near County Road 16 and US Highway 75 – 14 BVFD personnel responded, investigated, and extinguished fire - 6 BVFD apparatuses responded – Tekamah Fire , Herman Fire, Kennard Fire, Fort Calhoun Fire, Arlington Fire, Bennington Fire, and Irvington Fire were all mutual aided due to the type of incident and windy conditions causing it to spread fast.

Saturday March 28th at 04:23 PM – BVFD Was dispatched for a brush fire near County Road 19 and County Road 20 – 7 BVFD personnel responded, investigated, and extinguished fire - 3 BVFD apparatuses responded - Arlington Fire was mutual aided by dispatch right away due to weather conditions

Saturday March 28th at 05:26 PM – BVFD was dispatched for difficulty breathing at Blair Housing Authority – 2 BVFD personnel responded and treated the patient - 1 BVFD apparatus responded - Several members were tied up on the previous brush fire, Fort Calhoun was mutual aided due to the information provided by dispatch and needing ALS, Fort Calhoun arrived after BVFD and transported to hospital with Blair's assistance

Total Calls for Service = 109 Calls

- 76 Medical (69.7%)
- 33 Fire-Related (30.3 %)

Average of members per call = 8.03 members

Average Enroute Time = 5 Minutes 49 Seconds

Average On Location Time = 8 Minutes 47 Seconds

80 Hours, 34 Minutes spent on calls

- Average of 44 minutes, 21 seconds per call

Call Distribution

- City Calls 78 (71.5%)
 - 8 Fire-Related (10.2%)
 - 70 Medical (89.8%)
- Rural Calls 31 (28.5%)
 - 25 Fire-related (80.6%)
 - 6 Medical (19.4%)
 - 8 were Mutual aid to neighboring departments (25.8%)
 - 2 to Herman Fire Department
 - 2 to Fort Calhoun Fire Department
 - 1 to Arlington Fire Department
 - 2 to Kennard Fire Department
 - 1 to Tekamah Fire Department

Top Response Locations

- Nursing Homes / Assisted Living Facilities = 27 (24.7%)
 - Good Shepherd = 10
 - Skilled Care Side = 7
 - Assisted Living Side = 3
 - Crowell Home = 12
 - Skilled Care Side = 12
 - Assisted Living Side = 0
- Carter House = 3
- Johansen Manor = 2
- Other Locations
 - Angel Share Apartments = 2
 - Cargill = 4
 - Blair Housing Authority = 3

Top Types of Calls

1. Injured Party from a Fall = 20 Calls
 2. Brush/Grass Fires = 14 Calls
 3. Automatic Fire Detection Signal = 9 Calls
 4. Difficulty Breathing = 8 Calls
 5. Chest Pain = 7 Calls
 6. Medical Nature Unknown = 6 Calls
 7. Sick Party = 5 Calls
 8. Assist a Party Up = 4 Calls
- Unconscious Person = 4 Calls
Back Pain = 4 Calls

Busiest Days of the Week

1. Sunday = 26
2. Tuesday = 18
3. Saturday = 15
4. Thursday = 14
5. Wednesday = 13
6. Monday = 12
7. Friday = 11

Top Time Frame

1. 07:01 – 15:59 = 18 calls during this time
2. 16:00 – 23:59 = 47 calls during this time
3. 00:01 – 07:00 = 44 calls during this time