

OUR VISION

It is the vision of the Payson Fire Department that all members will have the ability to do their jobs; act as fire prevention and safety agents in all respects; be positive role models to other citizens; respond quickly and proficiently to our customers' needs; and will be an active part of a productive, professional, and progressive organization.

OUR MISSION

The mission of the Payson Fire Department is to minimize the loss of life and property resulting from fire, medical emergencies, and other disasters through prevention, preparedness, and response. This will be accomplished in the most cost effective manner with maximum utilization of available resources, never sacrificing the safety of our members.

OUR VALUES

Honesty: We operate with the utmost of integrity.

Loyalty: We are loyal to the department, our coworkers, and the fire service.

Innovation: We have the ability to be creative in our solutions.

Respect: We respect ourselves, each other, and the traditions of the fire service.

Proficiency: We know how to do our jobs.

MAJOR EVENTS

- Fire Chief Dave Staub took over as fire chief on June 2, 2014.
- Maintained 395 fire hydrants.
- Partnered with Payson Community Kids and our Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) during our "Tamales for Toys" to raise over \$6,500 for local kids.
- 20 properties were Fire Wise inspected.
- Partnered with local citizens and elected officials to create new TOP "Firesmart" program.
- Reserve firefighters contributed over 3,156 man-hours for shift coverage.
- Hired part-time Reserve Plan Reviewer Mike Cornelius.
- Continued coordinating regional Rehab/Support Group to assist with large incidents.
- Sent a Type 6 engine and 3 personnel to assist with the Yarnell Hill Fire.

- Sent a Type 1 engine and 8 personnel to the Granite Mountain Hotshot Memorial.
- Continued to collaborate with GCCC to host an AZ State Fire Operations I & II course through the AzCFSE.
- Firefighter Doug Eckhardt awarded Outstanding Service
 Award
- 4 new FIDO pet rescue bags donated to the PFD by United Scottsdale Firefighters.
- Continued implementation of \$784,602.00 SAFER grant to hire six new firefighter/paramedics.
- Closed out \$32,662.00 Fire Prevention Grant for Smoke/CO detectors.
- Implemented \$145,000.00 Assistance to Firefighters (AFG) grant with purchase of four new Zoll cardiac monitors.

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MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Payson Fire Department is to minimize the loss of life and property damage resulting from fire, medical emergencies and other disasters through prevention, education, fire suppression, emergency medical services and emergency preparedness. This will be accomplished in the most cost effective manner with maximum utilization of resources never sacrificing the safety of our members.



INCIDENTS BY RESPONSE AREA

AREA	NO. OF IN	CIDEN
Payson		2,669
Tonto Apache Reser	vation	58
Highways		59
Round Valley / Oxb	ow	44
East Verde Park		13
Hellsgate		22
Houston Mesa		8
Other		11
Auto & Mutual Aid	Received	24
Auto & Mutual Aid	Given	21

INCIDENTS BY STATION

STATION	NO. OF INCIDENTS	%
FS11	1,359	51
FS12	1,103	41
FS13	218	8

INCIDENTS BY SHIFT

SHIFT	NO. OF INCIDENTS	%
A	960	33.3
В	957	33.2
С	967	33.5

Firefighter of the Year



Captain/EMT Rick Winton

450

Incidents By Day of Week FY 2013/2014

Fire Chiel



David Staub

Incidents by Month FY 2013/2014

July Pribles super October December Philips, Patriary Water, Vol. May Tries

PFD Annual Response Trend

INCIDENT TYPES

	Number	%
Total responses	2,884	100
Emergency Medical Services	2,014	70
Fire & explosions	56	2
Hazardous condition	56	2
Service call	409	14
Good intent	241	8
False alarm	108	4

PERMITS ISSUED

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Burn	75
Fireworks Sales	2
Fireworks Display	1
Above-ground Tanks	1
Hydrant Flow Tests	12
Total	91

INCIDENT RESPONSE TIMES

Average Response Times

Payson: 4:36 minutes 5:16 minutes All areas: Call to Dispatch: 0:42 minutes Turnout time: 1:25 minutes

Fractile Response Times

Minutes	Percentage of Incidents	
<1	10.42%	
1	12.80%	
2	24.64%	
3	45.50%	
4	59.24%	
5	73.46%	
6	87.20%	
7	91.94%	
8	96.68%	
9	98.73%	
10	99.05%	
12	100.00%	

Firefighter/EMT Doug Eckhardt receives recognition for Outstanding Service at Town Council meeting - March 30, 2013

STRUCTURE FIRE CAUSE

Intentional	5
Unintentional	22
Equipment Failure	4
Act of Nature	1
Undetermined	8
Other	6
Total	46





FINANCIAL

FY 2013/2014 - \$3.137 million In-town Population served: 15,301 Per capita cost: \$205.01 Assessed Value Protected: \$162 million Comparative Tax Rate: \$1.82 / \$100 AV

STAFFING

Uniform Career FF: 30 Reserve FF: 8 Administration: 2 Volunteer: 11 Fire Stations: 3

Fire Station Tours Car Seats Inspected/Installed

Carbon Monoxide Detectors Installed

Non-emergency Public Contacts Made

Construction Inspections

Smoke Detector Inspections

Fire Safety Citizen Contacts

Smoke Alarms Installed

Business Inspections Plan Reviews Completed

Fire Investigations

Firewise Inspections

130 Citizens Trained In CPR 822 CPR Classes 159 AEDs Installed

RISK REDUCTION ACTIVITIES

153

146

46

20

81

39

52

65

2,000

2,800

TRAINING DATA

Structural Fire Training	2,200 hrs.
Non-Structural Training	2,230 hrs.
Emergency Medical Training	2,383 hrs.
Total Training Hours	6,813 hrs.
Average per Firefighter	179.3 hrs.

SPECIAL TRAINING EVENTS

- Northern Gila County Wildland Refresher Academy & Annual In-house Wildland Refresher Training Completed for all members
- All Members Completed CEVO 3 Driver Training Course
- Four members completed Spinal Motion Restriction Train the Trainer Course
- Four Members Completed EPIC-TBI Trainer Certification
- Hosted a 48 Hour Paramedic Refresher Course
- EMT refresher
- Assisted With Basic Wildland Firefighter Course
- Hosted ADEM "HAZ-MAT First Responder Operations"
- Participated in National Firefighter Health and Safety
- Collaborated With NGCFA to Develop Regional PQW's
- Participated in Multi-Agency Hazardous Decontamination
- Three Members attended the National Fire Academy in Emmitsburg, MD
- Participated in LPG Emergencies Training
- Hosted Two Regional Live Fire Training Drills
- Hosted Fire Operations I & II AZ State Certification Program with GCCC

STRUCTURE FIRE LOSS & SAVE DATA

Pre-incident Structure Value \$ 3,288,500 Total Fire Loss \$ 2,568,000* 33% Save Ratio

* Single large loss on January 5, 2014





