

CITY OF TOMAH PUBLIC SAFETY

MONTHLY REPORT May 2022



Public Safety Director / Fire Chief Tim Adler

TOMAH FIRE DEPARTMENT MONTHLY STATISTICS

MONTH/ YEAR May 2022

FIRE CALLS:

1. **STRUCTURE:** 0
2. **VEHICLE FIRES:** 0
3. **GRASS:** 2- (1) mutual aid request
4. **FALSE ALARMS:** 5
5. **INJURIES:** 0
6. **GOOD INTENT CALLS:** 1
7. **HAZMAT:** 3
8. **OTHER:** 4
9. **MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT/RESCUE:** 17

FIRE INSPECTION HOURS: 51

FIRE SAFETY EDUCATION HOURS: 0

CALLS FOR SERVICE: 0

The Tomah Fire Department has 37 members on the roster. Everything is moving along nicely with the ESB project. I continue to be at the weekly update meetings to follow along with the progress. The wet weather we had didn't slow things down much. The school district was made aware of the project and the busy area on N. Glendale. The roadway is being swept daily by the crews and the chain link fence is now in place. I will continue to forward you the meeting notes, again if you want to check out the progress please contact me as I need to set it up with the site superintendent, a hard hat, steel shoes and safety glasses will be required to enter the site. I placed the order for the new outdoor emergency weather siren. I continue working with Keller and our vendor to see if we can relocate the new siren sooner this summer on the site of the new ESB grounds. We are seeing some changes with the fire inspection staff, we are making temporary adjustments right now. I will keep you posted on this situation. The department ran 32 calls for service in May.

Yours in Safety

Public Safety Director / Fire Chief

Tim Adler



Tomah Fire Department Staff



Fire Chief

*Tim Adler (33 Years)

Deputy Chief

*Jeremy Likely (16 Years)

Assistant Fire Chiefs

Dale Trowbridge (32 Years)

*Joe Kube (28 Years)

Joe Amberg (32 Years)

Safety Officer

Dave Baggot (23 Years)

Training Officer

*Bob Walker (21 Years)

Fire Fighters

Tim Larkin (47 Years)

Jody Pierce (28 Years)

Roy Gigous (28 Years)

Jerry Steele (21 Years)

*Brad Retzlaff (20 Years)

Scott Woodworth (20 Years)

*Steve Walheim (20 Years)

Cory Lenz (18 Years)

Ron Schneider (17 Years)

*Dave Meyer (17 Years)

Tim Cram (16 Years)

*Chris Semann (11 Years)

*Rob Moake (7 Years)

*Chad Gunder (8 Years)

*Steve Miller (5 Years)

Megan Mickelson (4 Years)

*Phil Gigous (4 Years)

Joe Lenz (4 Years)

*Bret Noltner (4 Years)

Chris Neal (2 Years)

Brandon Mauricio (2 Years)

Mitchell Larkin (1 Year)

*Taylor McMullen (1 Year)

Brandon Sibert (1 Year)

Captains

*Rob Larkin (25 Years)

Charles Muller (20 Years)

Lieutenants

*Jared Tessman (11 Years)

*Tim Ehlers (11 Years)

Rescue Technicians

Kerwin Greeno (26 Years)

Pat Doyle (26 Years)

*=Rescue Techs



Tomah Area Ambulance Service Number of Calls by Municipality Monthly Report

May 2022

City of Sparta Total: 3

City of Tomah Total: 199

City of Viroqua: 1

Town of Adrian Total: 1

Town of Byron Total: 11

Town of Glendale Total: 1

Town of Grant Total: 2

Town of Greenfield Total: 4

Town of La Grange Total: 9

Town of Lincoln Total: 10

Town of Little Falls Total: 2

Town of Oakdale Total: 3

Town of Tomah Total: 9

Town of Clifton Total: 1

Town of Wilton Total: 1

Village of Oakdale Total: 2

Village of Warrens Total: 9

Village of Kendall Total: 1

Jackson County Total: 1

Total Records 270



City of Tomah City Council Meeting – June 21st 2022

Public Safety director's Report for: **May**

1. **STAFFING:** We are currently at full staff with five full-time members on each of the three shifts and we currently have fourteen part-time members. We recently advertised for the new book keeper position and should hopefully have a successful candidate in place in the next month or so.
2. **BUILDING UPDATE:** Everything is moving along nicely with the ESB project. I continue to be at the weekly update meetings to follow along with the progress. The wet weather we had didn't slow things down much. The school district was made aware of the project and the busy area on N. Glendale. The roadway is being swept daily by the crews and the chain link fence is now in place. I will continue to forward you the meeting notes, again if you want to check out the progress please contact me as I need to set it up with the site superintendent, a hard hat, steel shoes and safety glasses will be required to enter the site.
3. **VEHICLES:** We had a rash of little problems taken care of over the month of May, we had a catalytic converter fail on unit 267, the tires were replaced on unit 266, the ignition coils needed to be replaced on unit 269, we replaced the brakes and rotors on unit 266 along with multiple other little ticket items including oil changes. Of course we are also feeling the effects of the high fuel costs, we have been exceeding 6,100.00 per month, and it is just one hit on the cost of serving our community.
4. **OTHER:** We have placed both quick response units 260 and unit 264 in service and have been Running on many calls. I have been applying for several grants to help fund some upcoming projects. We will be having many Western Technical College Paramedic students working in the With our crews performing their clinicals from May thru August.

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Transfer Statistics break down

May 2022 Statistics

Year to Date Calls for Service – 1,311

- Calls with multiple ambulances – 43

Year to Date Reports Written – 1,313

Calls for Service in May – 270

- Calls with multiple ambulances – 10

Reports Written in May – 269

Year to Date All Transfers – 496 Requested. Accepted 382, Declined 114 – 77.02%

- Tomah Health ER– Requested 283, Accepted 264. 93.29% Accepted.
- Tomah Health OB & Acute Care – Requested 39, Accepted 37. 94.87% Accepted.
- Tomah VA – Requested 52, Accepted 47. 90.38% Accepted.
- Critical Care Transfers – Requested 33, Accepted 31. 93.94% Accepted.
 - Declined – Whitehall to Gundersen
 - Declined – Moundview (Adams, WI) to Gundersen
- In July 2021, we started documenting transfer request from Tri-State Dispatch (MedCom). In 2022, we have received 106 transfer requests either from Gundersen Hospitals (Vernon, Moundview, Hillsboro, Gundersen, or Mayo Lax) or through Tri-State Dispatch. Of these 60 requests, we have accepted 13.

May Transfers – 100 Requested. Accepted 69, Declined 31.

- **Critical Care Transfers - 8**
 - Accepted – 8
- **Salaried Stipend Transfer – 1**
 - Tomah to La Crosse – Critical Care – Intubated Patient
- **Reasons for Turn Down in May**
 - **Staffing – 20 (All Outlying Hospitals)**
 - **On Transfers or 911s / Would Not Wait – 9**
 - **No Trucks Available – 1 (Two on Transfers, Two on 911s)**
 - **Pending Transfer – 1**
- **Longer Transfers – Out of the 69 accepted transfers, 28 were long distance transfers.**
 - **Madison – 19**
 - **Eau Claire – 4**
 - **Rochester – 2**
 - **Minneapolis – 1**

- **Wisconsin Rapids** – 1
- **Wausau** – 1

Mutual Aid

- **Assisted** – 3
 - Wilton Ambulance – 2
 - **Intercept** – Head Trauma
 - **Intercept** – Chest Pain – Turned Over to Gundersen Air
 - Elroy Ambulance – 1
 - **Intercept** – Breathing Difficulty – Passed due to Call Volume and Staffing
- **Requested** – 4
 - Fort McCoy – 4
 - **Mutual Aid** – Fever – Two on-duty ambulances, both on Motor Vehicle Accident. Initially requested for Change of Quarters, diverted to fever patient. Tomah Ambulance 267 responded to assist Fort McCoy if needed.
 - **Mutual Aid** – Hypoglycemia – Two on-duty ambulances, one on transfer, one on 911 call. 260 responded to the call and treated patient until Fort McCoy arrived to transport.
 - **Change of Quarters** – Two on-duty ambulances, one on a paramedic intercept, one on a 911 call.
 - **Mutual Aid** – Lift Assist – Two on-duty ambulances, one on a 911 with direct transport to La Crosse, second on 911 call. Third ambulance called in for General Page. Fort McCoy requested for third call then diverted to Change of Quarters. Responded to Lift Assist as fourth call. Tomah Ambulance 260 responded to assist Fort McCoy if needed.

Legal Blood Draws

- **May 0** – (Year to Date – 16)

TAAS Monthly Statistical Report May 2022

Calls For Service 269 1 Year Ago: 244		Cancelled/No Transport 74 1 Year Ago: 61		Facility Transfers 68 1 Year Ago: 73		Denied Transfers 31 1 Year Ago: 24		Salary Stipend \$125.00 Yr to Date: \$125.00	
Total Miles Driven 4823.8 1 Year Ago: 3867.3		Mutual Aid Requests Draw 1 Year Ago: 13		Incoming Payments \$161,433.69 Yr to Date: \$1249,448		Billed To Patients \$378,044.60 Yr to Date: \$2,151,252		Total Bad Debt Collected In 2022 \$65,582.53	
Billed Medicare \$139,464.60/JUST NGS Yr to Date: \$700,978			Collected Medicare \$45,340.48/JUST NGS Yr to Date: \$202,391			Uncollectable-Medicare (30% Retrivable) \$124,870.77/JUST NGS Yr to Date: \$609,057.82			
Billed Medicaid \$84,311.80/JUST EDS Yr to Date: \$369,462			Collected Medicaid \$12,921.77/JUST EDS Yr to Date: \$60,621			Medicaid Write-Off \$46,282.97/JUST EDS Yr to Date: \$212,367			
Billed Insurance \$73,209.30/also other ngs&eds Yr to Date: \$576,699			Collected Insurance \$28,613.14 Yr to Date: \$161,137		Write-Off Per Insurance \$4,323.50 Yr to Date: \$35,809		Collections \$20,191.87 Yr to Date: \$136,594		Collected Patient \$18,580.80 Yr to Date: \$399,857
Billed V.A. \$81,058.90 Yr to Date: \$425,976			Collected V.A. \$55,977.50 Yr to Date: \$425,442			Outstanding V.A.			
						2020 & Prior \$1,484.88	2021 \$0.00	2022 As of 05/31 \$88,642.70	

NOTES:

CURRENT ROSTER EMPLOYEE ROSTER

Number / Job Status	Licensure	Name	Status		Number/ Job Status	Licensure	Name	Status
Full-Time Staff					Part-Time Staff			
1	FT Director	Chief Tim Adler			19	PT Paramedic/CC		
2	FT Bookkeeping	Christi Anderson			20	PT Paramedic/CC		
3	FT Paramedic/CC	Dep Chief Adam Robarge			21	PT Paramedic/CC		
4	FT Paramedic/CC	C.L. Brandon Sibert	A-Shift		22	PT Paramedic	Laura Scharlau	
5	FT Paramedic/CC	Jeremy Schaller	C-Shift		23	PT Paramedic	Isabell Miles	
6	FT Paramedic	C.L. Chris Brigson	B-Shift		24	PT Paramedic	Allen Sheston	
7	FT Paramedic/CC	C.L. Jeremy Becker	C-Shift		25	PT Paramedic		
8	FT Paramedic/CC	Morgan Scharlau	B-Shift		26	PT AEMT	Chris Prindiville	
9	FT Paramedic/CC	Mitch Larkin	C-Shift		27	PT AEMT	Nathan Bronstad	
10	FT Paramedic	Andrew Rinehart	B-Shift		28	PT AEMT	Tim Ehlers	
11	FT Paramedic	Michael Forlines	B-Shift		29	PT AEMT	Brandon Maurico	
12	FT AEMT	Stacy Frost	C-Shift		30	PT EMT		
13	FT AEMT	Stacey Zellmer	A-Shift		31	PT EMT	Pete Huneck	
14	FT Paramedic/CC	Bryce Bischel	C-Shift		32	PT EMT	Tom Bailey	
15	FT EMT	Dawson Dean	B-Shift		33	PT EMT	Phillip Gigous	
16	PT Paramedic/CC	Gus Stephenson	A-Shift		34	PT EMT	Rostislav Yerokhin	
17	PT AEMT	Sara Moore	A-Shift		35	PT EMT	Kelsey McGarry	
18	PT Paramedic/CC	Lisa Hart	A-Shift		36	PT EMT	Katie Karper	
					37	PT EMT	Hayley Kuester	
					38	PT EMT		
					39	PT EMT		

Monthly Invoices May 2022

ACCT #	DATE	DESCRIPTION & INVOICE #	CREDIT CARD YES	AMOUNT
3402	4/25/2022	Bound Tree Inv # 84498597		\$428.32
3402	4/25/2022	Bound Tree Inv # 84498598		\$39.94
3402	4/25/2022	EPM Inv. 2336241		\$1,897.24
3402	4/25/2022	EPM Inv. 2336242		\$24.19
3500	5/3/2022	Ace Hardware Inv. 604679		\$8.99
3400	5/2/2022	Ace Hardware Inv. 604659		\$3.44
3400	5/2/2022	Ace Hardware Inv. 604649		\$24.34
3400	5/2/2022	Ace Hardware Inv. 604648		\$38.35
3400	5/2/2022	Ace Hardware Inv. 604654		\$11.10
2230	5/1/2022	Lynxx Networks		\$565.09
3400	5/3/2022	Amazon Hepa Filter # 113-5208329-6021857	X	\$55.99
3400	4/28/2022	Ace Hardware Inv. 604587 LP gas		\$35.98
3400	5/4/2022	Mississippi Welders - #468009		\$83.04
3402	4/30/2022	Bound Tree Inv # 84506361		\$34.60
3402	4/26/2022	EPM Inv. 2336570		\$385.00
3402	4/26/2022	EPM Inv. 2336797		\$156.00
3402	4/26/2022	Bound Tree Inv # 84500369		\$277.55
2220	5/5/2022	City W&S		\$124.57
2900	5/1/2022	DAS Health - Inv. #2040224	X	\$303.00
2900	4/30/2022	DAS Health - Inv. #2040464	X	\$121.58
3400	5/5/2022	NAPA Auto Parts Inv. # 623436		\$125.66
3400	5/5/2022	NAPA Auto Parts Inv. # 623437		\$12.52
2230	4/23/2022	First Net		\$425.95
3500	4/4/2022	Larkins Inv. # 80682 Unit 269		\$918.32
3500	4/13/2022	Larkins Inv. # 80750 Unit 269		\$253.83
3500	4/21/2022	Larkins Inv. # 33003 Unit 264 Guard		\$2,100.00
2900	4/27/2022	Guthrie Security - Inv. 5375422		\$36.00
3100	5/6/2022	Minuteman Press Inv. # 29358		\$114.26
2210	5/2/2022	Alliant Energy		\$383.02

2200	5/5/2022	WE Energies		\$88.44
3401	4/30/2022	Kwik Trip (fuel)		\$6,159.94
3200	5/11/2022	State of Wisconsin Dept. of Administration		\$140.00
3400	5/11/2022	Mississippi Welders - #468038		\$127.52
3400	5/12/2022	MB Audio Wire for unit 264	X	\$40.00
3400	5/11/2022	Ace Hardware Inv. 604906		\$9.18
3400	5/11/2022	Ace Hardware Inv. 604894		\$2.99
3400	5/10/2022	Ace Hardware Inv. 604867		\$27.56
3400	5/11/2022	Ace Hardware Inv. 604891		\$15.72
3400	5/16/2022	NAPA Auto Parts Inv. # 623862		\$5.98
3100	5/4/2022	Quill Inv. # 24924639		\$344.95

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2900	5/11/2022	Tri State Business Mach Inv. # 545355		\$80.83
3100	5/3/2022	Quill Inv. # 24892962		\$53.98
3400	5/2/2022	Strobes N More Inv. # 256433		\$516.43
3400	5/16/2022	PSS- Public Safety Source Inv. # 465630	X	\$133.00
3400	5/17/2022	Speed Turtle Eng. order # 19695	X	\$23.36
3400	5/17/2022	NAPA Auto Parts Inv. # 623889		\$13.01
3400	5/17/2022	NAPA Auto Parts Inv. # 623892		\$5.99
3400	5/18/2022	Mississippi Welders - #468063		\$64.10
3400	5/17/2022	Quick Pressure Inv. # 1645	X	\$255.43
3500	5/12/2022	Dons Plumbing Inv. # S15407		\$95.00
3400	5/25/2022	Mississippi Welders - #468088		\$113.83
3400	5/20/2022	Safe Ship	X	\$19.25
3402	5/17/2022	EPM Inv. 2341483		\$155.65
3402	5/13/2022	EPM Inv. 2340713		\$1,559.19
3402	5/13/2022	EPM Inv. 2340720		\$199.00
3402	5/13/2022	Bound Tree Inv # 84523004		\$190.26
3500	5/13/2022	Bills Heating Inc.		\$198.61
3400	5/24/2022	Belco (Graphics for 260)		\$1,475.00
3400	5/18-21/22	BP Smoke House for EMS Week	X	\$306.79
3400	5/19/2022	NAPA Inv. # 623984		\$16.09
3400	5/19/2022	NAPA Inv. # 623983		\$4.99
3402	5/14/2022	Medline.com Inv. # 2211285332		\$992.32
3402	5/19/2022	Zoll Inv. # 3505572		\$177.85
3402	5/23/2022	Bound Tree Inv # 84534680		\$245.99
3402	5/23/2022	EPM Inv. 23442645		\$107.36
		Total		\$22,953.46