

Third Quarter Report

2025



Deputy Chief Todd
September 29th, 2025

Quartermaster:

Lt. Haines and FF Monroe have been evaluating the demo Innotex structural firefighting gear over the past several quarters even in the later part of 2024. Throughout the process, they have provided valuable insight into the gear's performance and overall usability in the field.

Unfortunately, the gear was not well received and did not meet the specifications or quality standards we are looking for. These evaluations are an important part of ensuring that any equipment considered for our personnel is reliable, durable, and able to withstand the demands of our work, and in this case Innotex fell short of those expectations.

The committee has decided to move forward with Lion gear, which is sold by Phoenix. After research and discussions with departments across the country and performing our own testing, it was determined that Lion offers the best option for our needs at this time. Our continued commitment to due diligence ensures we are providing our personnel with the best possible protection, performance, and value in the field.



(DTFR forcible entry training)

Fire Equipment:

The new Drager SCBAs that went into service in June have received extremely positive feedback. Crews have noted improvements in comfort, durability, breathability, and overall usability, making the transition from Interspiro a success. The department has quickly adapted to the new packs, and they have already become a well-received upgrade to our operations. Several large departments in the area have also reached out as they move closer to purchasing the same Drager SCBAs, which further reinforces the quality and reliability of this equipment.

The confined space bottles and packs have recently arrived and will soon be incorporated into DTFR's confined space operations. Training is scheduled to begin in the fourth quarter to ensure all personnel are confident and proficient with the equipment before it goes into service. These additions further demonstrate the department's commitment to providing safe, reliable, and effective tools for our crews in the field.



(Boat Ops. training Oeder's lake)

Training:

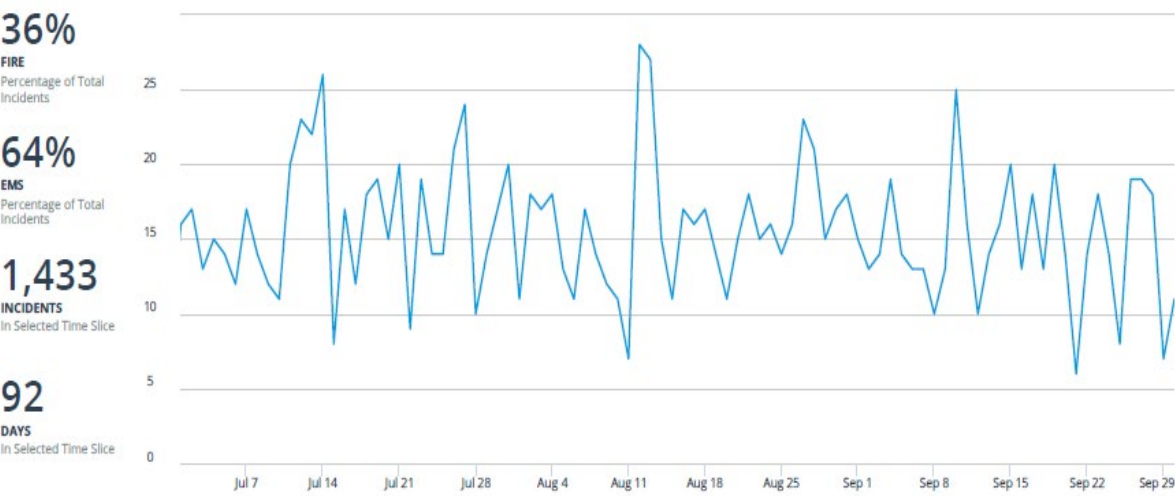
Joint training has continued with both LSFD and the City of Mason, providing valuable opportunities for collaboration and interoperability. These sessions have been well received and have strengthened relationships between our agencies while allowing crews to work together in realistic training environments.

Other departments, including West Chester and Monroe, have also expressed interest in conducting additional joint trainings with DTFR companies. When the committee meets in the fall, more of these trainings will be scheduled to expand on our partnerships and ensure all participating departments are prepared to operate effectively together in the field.

We may have an opportunity to burn an acquired structure within the next month or two. We are currently coordinating with the homeowner to finalize requirements and ensure all safety, legal, and logistical measures are in place before the burn takes place.

July	(15-17)	MCI Triage	(22-24)	Multi-Company (TC)	(29-31)	Auto Extrication	
August	(12-14)	Pedi Trauma scenarios	(19-21)	Forcible entry	(26-28)	Boat Operations	
September	(2-4)	Trauma Scenarios	(16-18)	Vent/Multi-Company (T)	(23-25)	Haz-mat leak control	

Custom ▾ Jul 1, 2025 - Sep 30, 2025 ▾



Fire Station 56	184	199	159	542
Fire Station 57	208	176	170	554
Fire Station 58	72	66	65	203
Fire Station 59	39	52	43	134
Total	503	493	437	1,433

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(52) Water problem	4	2	2	8
(53) Smoke, odor problem			1	1
(54) Animal problem or rescue	5	3		8
(55) Public service assistance	23	15	14	52
(56) Unauthorized burning	1		2	3
(57) Cover assignment, standby at fire station, move-up	1		1	2
(60) Good intent call, other	12	4	5	21
(61) Dispatched and canceled en route	32	35	36	103
(62) Wrong location, no emergency found	5	1	1	7
(63) Controlled burning	1			1
(65) Steam, other gas mistaken for smoke	2	10	6	18
(67) HazMat release investigation w/no HazMat	6	1	4	11
(71) Malicious, mischievous false alarm	1	3	5	9
(73) System or detector malfunction	18	24	7	49
(74) Unintentional system/detect... operation (no fire)	27	37	35	99
(90) Special type of incident, other		2		2
UNK	3	1	1	5

FIRE: 511

EMS: 922

TOTAL: 1,433