

Committees and Meetings:

- Asst Chief Rodgers continues to be very active working with FirstDue our new web-based application to get it set up and has attended multiple meetings.
- All Officers attended the monthly Officer Planning Meeting.
- Asst Chief Gilliam provided one debriefing the NW MI Peer Support Team.
- Asst Rodgers attended the LEPC/LPT Meeting with Roscommon County Emergency Management and other agencies.
- Chief Fisher attended the NMFC Mtg and Training in Traverse City.
- Asst Chief Rodgers chaired the County Fire Training Committee Meeting.

Department Activities:

- The Roscommon/Crawford County Firefighter 1+2 course scheduled for this winter started on Dec 5th with Asst Chief leading that effort.
- Chief Fisher travelled to San Diego, CA for a week to assist in teaching the Complex Incident Management Course.
- Several members are working on completing the projects that were awarded ARPA funds. This includes the Safety Education Trailer, Rescue/Fire Boat, Replacement Radios, and new Thermal Imaging Cameras.

Significant Events:

- The department Christmas Dinner was held Dec 15th and was a wonderful evening with family and friends.
- We have accepted the resignation and retirement of three department members this past month. Paid-on-call Firefighter Jen Patchin as resigned after 6 years of service, Part-time Paramedic Dan Goyette has retired after 13 years of service and Captain/Firefighter/EMT Jake Figley has retired after 34 years of service.

Upcoming Events or Activities:

- On Jan 4th Chief Fisher and Lt. Bentley will pick up the new/used trailer from Bish's RV in Coldwater. This trailer will then be converted into a Safety Education Trailer.
- The first annual Department Chili Cookoff will be held Thursday evening Jan 5th. We're hoping to enter the winner into the Winter Fest Chili Cookoff.

Respectfully submitted Chief Jim Fisher