



Gerrish Township Fire/EMS Department

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March 2026 Monthly Activity Report

In February 2026, the department responded to 38 requests for emergency services, same as the five-year average of calls for this month. The year-to-date total of responses is 89.

EMS Calls	Our Twp.	Mutual Aid	Intercept	Fire Calls	Our Twp.	Mutual Aid
Medical	14	4	9	Structure	1	1
Trauma	1	0	0	Wildland	0	0
Assists	2	0	0	Powerlines	0	0
Standby	0	0	0	Vehicle Fire	0	0
Cancelled	0	2	3	Vehicle Accidents	1	0
Alarms	0	0	0	Gas Leak	0	0
				Standby	0	0
				Fire/Co Alarm	0	0
				Tech Rescue	0	0
				Assist with EMS/PD	0	0
Totals:	17	6	12		2	1

Total Incident Summary:

- EMS Total Calls: 35
- Fire/Rescue Total Calls: 3
- Non-transport: 4
- EMS Mutual Aid received: 0

Training Highlights (100 Total Hours)

- ICS 300 Class
- Scene Size-up Training
- Reunification Training at Immanuel
- Wildland Fire Refresher Training
- Monthly Staff Meeting

Training Delivered by Personnel

- Our Instructors are continuing to teach the Firefighter I&II Academy
- We hosted a Heart Saver CPR class and BLS CPR Renewal Class for the community
- CTE Program:
 - ✓ CPR/First Aid
 - ✓ Stop the Bleed
 - ✓ Vehicle Extrication
 - ✓ Basement Fires
 - ✓ Wilderness EMS
 - ✓ AVI/MCI Rescue Taskforce
 - ✓ Careers in the Fire Service
 - ✓ Historical Fires
- Markey Township:
 - ✓ *Scene Size-up*

Committees & Meetings Attended

- Chief Gilliam attended the monthly work session and Board Meeting
- Asst. Chief Rodgers and Chief Gilliam attended the Roscommon County Firefighters Association Meeting and Roscommon County Fire Chief's Meeting
- Asst. Chief Rodgers attended the EPP (Emergency Preparedness Planning) Meeting
- Donnie Burkett and Josh Sanford attended the AVI (Active Violence Incident) Meeting
- Chief Gilliam attended the Roscommon County Dispatch Technical Committee Meeting
- Asst. Chief Rodgers attending the Wildland Urban Interface Grant Meeting

Community Involvement (94 Total Hours)

- Continuing to teach in the CTE Public Safety Class two days a week
- Teaching the Firefighter I&II Academy
- Continuing to teach at Markey Twp. Fire/EMS
- Winterfest Cardboard Sled Races: EMS Standby
- Roscommon Sheriff's Auxiliary Annual Bowling Fundraiser
- Participated in the parade to escort the Roscommon High School Wrestling Team to States

Significant Events

- Called out for an unknown fire on Treasure Island, came in from a resident on the north side of the lake. We were able to get our Drone in the air quickly to determine it was not a structure. It ended up being a bonfire at the boathouse.
- 232 continues to be unreliable, FordPro is involved and we are working on a permanent solution.
- Our Drone is out of service due to a training incident, updates to follow

Upcoming Events

- Rescue Taskforce Command Staff Training: the focus is on communication, coordination and safety protocols to ensure a unified response, with all agencies involved

Respectfully Submitted,
Kristi Gilliam, Chief