



## Georgetown Township Fire Department

Date: June 6, 2007  
To: Supervisor Holland  
Subject: Monthly Fire Runs

The Georgetown Township Fire Department responded to a total of 46 runs for the month of May 2007, with an average response time of 5.32.

Dan Hamming  
Georgetown Township Fire Chief

# Georgetown Fire Dept

## Incident List by Alarm Date/Time

Alarm Date Between {05/01/2007} And {05/31/2007}

Incident-Exp#	Alm Date	Alm Time	Location	Incident Type
07-0000158-000	05/01/2007	08:09:00	7646 20th AVE	463 Vehicle accident, general
07-0000157-000	05/01/2007	09:15:00	1270 Maplewood DR	412 Gas leak (natural gas or
07-0000159-000	05/02/2007	22:56:00	2086 Baldwin ST	561 Unauthorized burning
07-0000161-000	05/03/2007	18:43:00	235 Port Sheldon ST	142 Brush or brush-and-grass
07-0000160-000	05/05/2007	13:59:00	725 Baldwin ST	531 Smoke or odor removal
07-0000162-000	05/06/2007	09:37:00	1165 44th ST	745 Alarm system activation, no
07-0000163-000	05/07/2007	07:39:00	Chicago DR & Port Sheldon	132 Road freight or transport
07-0000156-000	05/07/2007	20:30:00	1525 Baldwin ST /Jenison,	100 Fire, Other
07-0000164-000	05/08/2007	16:16:00	2366 Basswood ST	113 Cooking fire, confined to
07-0000165-000	05/10/2007	09:52:00	7501 Main ST	311 Medical assist, assist EMS
07-0000170-000	05/10/2007	15:27:42	20th AVE & Baldwin ST	460 Accident, potential
07-0000166-000	05/10/2007	15:39:00	2288 Olde Farm DR	321 EMS call, excluding vehicle
07-0000167-000	05/11/2007	14:15:00	1934 New Castle DR	321 EMS call, excluding vehicle
07-0000171-000	05/11/2007	18:14:00	Louise AVE & Baldwin ST	352 Extrication of victim(s)
07-0000168-000	05/13/2007	20:09:00	Mile Marker 66 & I 196	652 Steam, vapor, fog or dust
07-0000169-000	05/14/2007	07:57:00	725 Baldwin ST	743 Smoke detector activation,
07-0000172-000	05/14/2007	17:52:00	1483 Broadview DR	531 Smoke or odor removal
07-0000173-000	05/14/2007	23:38:00	7872 Emberly DR	321 EMS call, excluding vehicle
07-0000174-000	05/15/2007	16:42:00	318 Stonehenge DR	743 Smoke detector activation,
07-0000175-000	05/17/2007	21:47:00	1785 Greenwoods DR	321 EMS call, excluding vehicle
07-0000176-000	05/18/2007	16:54:00	8935 Norman DR	561 Unauthorized burning
07-0000177-000	05/19/2007	14:28:00	4350 Hertiage DR	561 Unauthorized burning
07-0000178-000	05/19/2007	18:31:00	725 Baldwin ST	744 Detector activation, no fire
07-0000179-000	05/19/2007	21:41:00	8113 Weatherwax DR	321 EMS call, excluding vehicle
07-0000180-000	05/19/2007	22:22:00	1878 Greenwoods DR	321 EMS call, excluding vehicle
07-0000181-000	05/20/2007	09:58:00	7551 12th AVE	321 EMS call, excluding vehicle
07-0000182-000	05/20/2007	22:48:00	7680 Riverview DR	311 Medical assist, assist EMS
07-0000183-000	05/21/2007	23:38:00	1370 Bauer RD	321 EMS call, excluding vehicle
07-0000184-000	05/22/2007	02:35:00	6521 12th AVE	321 EMS call, excluding vehicle
07-0000186-000	05/22/2007	13:44:00	7744 Aster LN /Jenison, MI	561 Unauthorized burning
07-0000185-000	05/23/2007	09:08:00	10284 42nd AVE	745 Alarm system activation, no
07-0000187-000	05/23/2007	13:07:00	2223 Pine ST	321 EMS call, excluding vehicle
07-0000188-000	05/23/2007	16:05:00	20th AVE & Tyler ST	352 Extrication of victim(s)
07-0000189-000	05/23/2007	18:19:00	Cottonwood DR & Wallin DR	463 Vehicle accident, general
07-0000190-000	05/23/2007	22:59:00	945 Cypress DR	251 Excessive heat, scorch burns
07-0000191-000	05/24/2007	06:22:00	550 Baldwin ST	735 Alarm system sounded due to
07-0000196-000	05/25/2007	06:24:00	550 Baldwin ST	100 Fire, Other
07-0000192-000	05/25/2007	14:02:00	2135 Tulip LN	321 EMS call, excluding vehicle
07-0000195-000	05/25/2007	14:57:00	Standby by at Grandville	571 Cover assignment, standby,
07-0000194-000	05/25/2007	19:12:00	7102 Keystone CT /Jenison,	561 Unauthorized burning
07-0000197-000	05/26/2007	21:21:00	6650 48th AVE	444 Power line down
07-0000193-000	05/28/2007	13:26:00	8134 28th AVE	154 Dumpster or other outside
07-0000199-000	05/29/2007	13:16:00	Chicago DR & 18th AVE	322 Motor vehicle accident with
07-0000198-000	05/29/2007	15:55:00	3555 Harrison ST	561 Unauthorized burning
07-0000200-000	05/31/2007	15:25:00	20th AVE & Baldwin ST	463 Vehicle accident, general
07-0000201-000	05/31/2007	19:58:00	6610 36th AVE	745 Alarm system activation, no

Total Incident Count 46

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Incident Type Report (Summary)

Alarm Date Between {05/01/2007} And {05/31/2007}

Incident Type	Count	Pct of Incidents	Total Est Loss	Pct of Losses
<b>1 Fire</b>				
100 Fire, Other	2	4.34%	\$0	0.00%
113 Cooking fire, confined to container	1	2.17%	\$0	0.00%
132 Road freight or transport vehicle fire	1	2.17%	\$0	0.00%
142 Brush or brush-and-grass mixture fire	1	2.17%	\$0	0.00%
154 Dumpster or other outside trash receptacle	1	2.17%	\$0	0.00%
	<b>6</b>	<b>13.04%</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>2 Overpressure Rupture, Explosion, Overheat(no fire)</b>				
251 Excessive heat, scorch burns with no	1	2.17%	\$0	0.00%
	<b>1</b>	<b>2.17%</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>3 Rescue &amp; Emergency Medical Service Incident</b>				
311 Medical assist, assist EMS crew	2	4.34%	\$0	0.00%
321 EMS call, excluding vehicle accident with	11	23.91%	\$0	0.00%
322 Motor vehicle accident with injuries	1	2.17%	\$0	0.00%
352 Extrication of victim(s) from vehicle	2	4.34%	\$0	0.00%
	<b>16</b>	<b>34.78%</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>4 Hazardous Condition (No Fire)</b>				
412 Gas leak (natural gas or LPG)	1	2.17%	\$0	0.00%
444 Power line down	1	2.17%	\$0	0.00%
460 Accident, potential accident, Other	1	2.17%	\$0	0.00%
463 Vehicle accident, general cleanup	3	6.52%	\$0	0.00%
	<b>6</b>	<b>13.04%</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>5 Service Call</b>				
531 Smoke or odor removal	2	4.34%	\$0	0.00%
561 Unauthorized burning	6	13.04%	\$0	0.00%
571 Cover assignment, standby, moveup	1	2.17%	\$0	0.00%
	<b>9</b>	<b>19.56%</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>6 Good Intent Call</b>				
652 Steam, vapor, fog or dust thought to be	1	2.17%	\$0	0.00%
	<b>1</b>	<b>2.17%</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>7 False Alarm &amp; False Call</b>				
735 Alarm system sounded due to malfunction	1	2.17%	\$0	0.00%
743 Smoke detector activation, no fire -	2	4.34%	\$0	0.00%

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<b>7 False Alarm &amp; False Call</b>				
744 Detector activation, no fire -	1	2.17%	\$0	0.00%
745 Alarm system activation, no fire -	3	6.52%	\$0	0.00%
	<u>7</u>	<u>15.21%</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>0.00%</u>

Total Incident Count: 46

Total Est Loss: \$0

**Georgetown Fire Department  
Maintenance Report  
May 2007**

**Calls**

EMS: 5  
Alarms: 3  
CO:  
Spills: 5  
Others: 3

**Parks Dept.**

(2HR) 5-17-07 mowing cemetery  
(1HR) 5-29-07 mow abandon property for rod

**Miscellaneous**

Mow stations  
Work on sprinkling system at station 2  
Weed flower beds  
Replace and repair parking lot lights at station 3  
Drain air compressors  
Outside generator service  
Gas detector span checks  
Co monitor servicing  
Spray for Ants at stations  
Computer work for fire dept.  
Resupply O2 at stations  
Resupply oil dry material  
Prepare station 1 for new sidewalk.  
Extreme fire serviced station trucks  
(1HR) 5-16-07 helping senior center with there computers  
Cement work in front of station 1  
Fix 3 scba masks  
Order new masks and put in service  
Stone at station 1  
Fix air leak on compressor at station 1  
Fix lawn sprinklers at all stations  
Replace parking lot lights at station 2  
Plant grass at station 2 and resupply black dirt  
New rock at station 1  
(1HR) 5-10-07 Lift station maintenance  
Resupply oxygen for all stations  
Purchase parade supplies

# Georgetown Township Fire Department Fire Inspector Activity Report

May 2007

## Calls

FIRE:	03
ALARM:	02
MEDICAL:	04
PI:	03
PI PIN-IN:	01
CO:	
U-BURN:	04
SPILL:	02
OTHER:	
TOTAL:	19

## Inspections

MAINTENANCE:	15
FOLLOW UP:	13
COMMERCIAL WITH PCI:	34
ZONING COMPLIANCE:	04
TOTAL:	66

## Education

- Went with the Tri-County Fire Inspectors to Underwriters Laboratories Inc in Northbrook, Illinois. UL engineers updated us on the current fire testing that is being done on various products to meet new federal standards. The major test being done at this time is the fire test on new box springs and mattresses. This manufacturing industry has to meet these new standards by July 1, 2007. This testing is being done 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. They gave us a tour of the building where all the fire tests are performed on every type of item imaginable.

## **Fire Investigation and Follow Up**

- Met with EPS at Meijer, 550 Baldwin, to check into the reason for getting two false water flow alarms. These two alarms came in two consecutive days at 0630 hours. I had them increase the retard on the flow switch by 30 seconds. We ran the inspectors test and EPS still receives the alarm within the two-minute requirement per the insurance company. I told them we'll leave it at this setting and see what happens. Thus far we haven't received anymore false trips

## **Other**

- Emailed Aprils month end reports to Chief Hamming.
- Met with Fire Pros technician at the Township Offices. He was there to perform the annual function test on the fire sprinkler systems.
- Sent out preinspection letters and check sheet to local businesses.
- Had Squad 871's flat tire repaired at DeWitt's.
- Attend the monthly staff meeting with Chief Hamming and F. F. Matt DeWitt.
- Had a meeting with Lowell VanOs, Executive Vice President of Serviscreen. We went over the inspection reports for all the buildings that were inspected last week.
- Worked on department SOP's.
- Assisted Matty with Truck 841 at Station 3.
- Stopped out at Crystal Creek Community Church to advise them that the DNR had issued a "No Burn" for our area and that they would have to wait a few days to burn their brush.
- Assist Dick Kennedy with pulling down garage sale signs.
- Met with the administrator at Sunset Manor reference one of their tenants constantly burning food and activating the fire alarm system.
- Check out the exact location of a new plat going in off Bauer Road for Dave Fontaine, Ottawa County Central Dispatch Authority.
- Replied to Cascade Fire's invitation to their 4<sup>th</sup> of July activities.
- Met with Joe Mazzio, general contractor for My Personal Credit Union, to go over the items needed for their grand opening.
- Worked with Dave Fontaine on verifying the exact wording on street signs that GIS had and didn't match what Central Dispatch and Georgetown had.
- Plan Review – Final Development Plan for Allen Springs.
- Plan Review – Preliminary Plat of Meadowvale, 3358 Bauer Road.

- Updated our street index books with the updated maps of Blendon Township.
- Check out what the residents at 3468 Bauer Road wanted to burn. They were advised that they could burn brush only. No trash, skids, scrap lumber, etc.
- Met with Karen, representative for GVSU housing, at Grand Valley Apartments to go over the location the fire department requires for Knox Boxes. GVSU will be installing these boxes on every housing unit at GVSU.
- Updated the complex map for Grand Valley Apartments and distributed them to the fire stations.
- Met with Mike Marlowe, Director of Operations at Sunset Manor, reference the code requirements for new doors to each resident's room in the Manor.

# Georgetown Township Fire Department

## Fire Prevention Bureau

### Monthly Activity Report

May 2007

**4<sup>th</sup>** – Had the DeBoer family come to Station 3 to grant the birthday wish of the son Matthew. His wish was to go to a fire station and see the big red fire truck. I had him sit in the driver's seat of Engine 826 so mom could get a picture of him driving the big red truck to the fire. After that he sat in the back where the fire fighters sit and he put on the air pack and headset so he was ready to respond to a fire. The next thing we did was go around the truck and look at all the equipment fire fighters use when they're at fire calls. At the end I had a goodie bag of things for him.

**9<sup>th</sup>** – This morning Rob Holland took Engine 826 to the Pre-K class at Georgetown Elementary. This is the class that Rob's daughter is in and they were reviewing everything they had over the past school year. There were 20 students that Rob talked to and quizzed them on what they remembered about fire safety.

**18<sup>th</sup>** - This morning we had 30 students and their care givers from the Kids Circle Care Preschool tour the fire station and look at all the equipment on Engine 826. They all got a turn to sit inside the cab where the fire fighters ride when responding to fire calls. The highlight of the tour for these students was looking at all the flashing lights on the engine. They were all given fire helmets and packets with fire safety coloring books and other assorted fire safety items.

**18<sup>th</sup>** – This afternoon I had Jackie and her two children, Megan and David, stop by for a tour of the fire station and look at the big red fire engine. Jackie told me that all David was talking about for the last two days was going to the fire station to see the big red truck. When they got here David was a quite as a church mouse. Megan had a lot of questions and after about a half hour David started asking questions. They both had fun sitting in the cab of the fire engine and pretending they were going on a fire call. David did tell me that those big scissors we have would be very good for cutting paper. At the end I gave them both fire helmets and a packet of fire safety items for them to take home. Megan did tell me that her older sister would be jealous of where they went when they tell her once she came home from school. A good time was had by all.

How Alarms Were Answered - May 2007

