



HAMILTON FIRE DEPARTMENT

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2023/2024

Preliminary Year End Report

June 13, 2024

As of May 31, 2024, Hamilton Fire & Rescue is tracking a two year average of 196 incidents response to date.

A second CD for \$150,000.00 was purchase from United Bank of Michigan on February 2, 2024. The yield rate is 5.15 %, with a maturity date of November 11, 2024.

Congratulations to Josh Klein in his completing the EMT Course, and is now a State Certification as an EMT.

Congratulations to Mike Bosch, Riley Capel, and Jacob Rowe on the completion and State Certification as Fire Officer II.

We have been informed in May, by Insurance Services Office, ISO, the Hamilton Fire & Rescue has a new protection rating of 5. This is the best possible rating we can receive without a municipal water system. In speaking with a local insurance agent this could be a 5 to 15% cost savings for a home and or business fire protection insurance policy.

This past year we have join the Tech Rescue Team that includes South Haven Fire, and Saugatuck Fire Departments. The team is doing joint trainings in the Hamilton, South Haven and in the Saugatuck areas. The teams focus on both a elevated and below grade rescue events, ie. tall buildings, tall farm equipment, trenches, ravines, etc.

We continue to work with our surrounding agencies in joint training events. In the fire service today every agency in challenge with having enough people for a major event. We are relaying on each other for support of people and equipment.

The attach financial information is our preliminary findings of the 2023/2024 Fiscal Year. The final report will be presented at the December 19, 2024 meeting, after the Certified Audit is completed in August of 2024.

Again, please feel free to contact us with any questions.

David Haverdink

Hamilton Fire & Rescue