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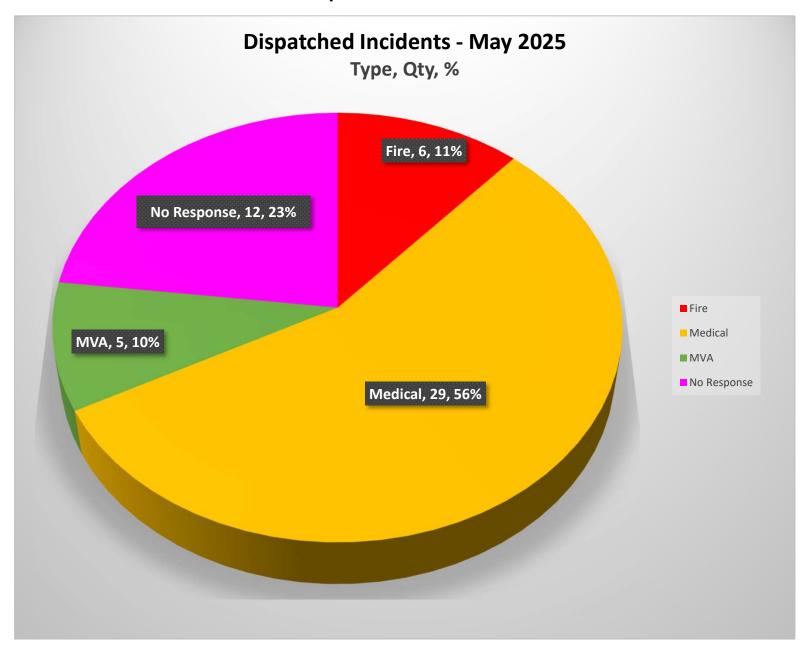
#### Our Volunteer Firefighters and EMS Personnel

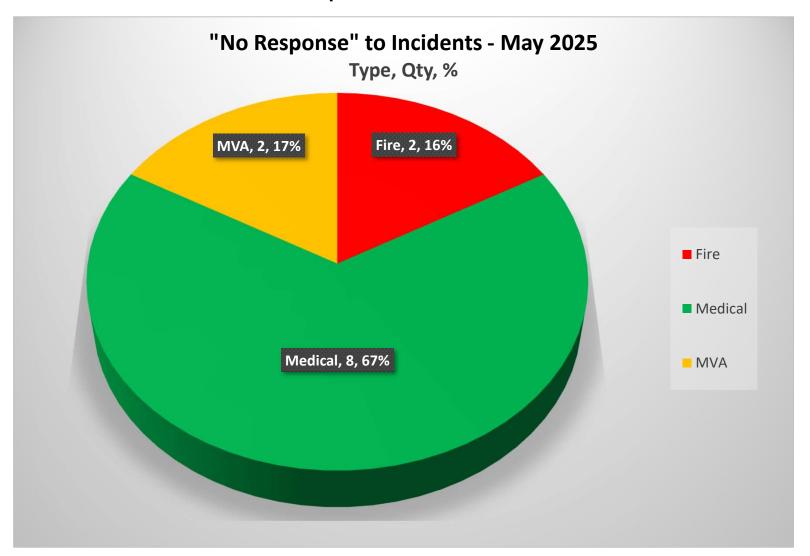
Our South Van Zandt County Volunteers are an incorporated group of career firefighters, professional people, students, and junior firefighters dedicated to the protection of our area. SVZVFD currently operates out of 4 Stations and covers approximately 200sq. miles. SVZVFD currently has 48 active and reserve firefighters and support staff on the roster and has been dispatched to over 460 calls for service so far during 2025.

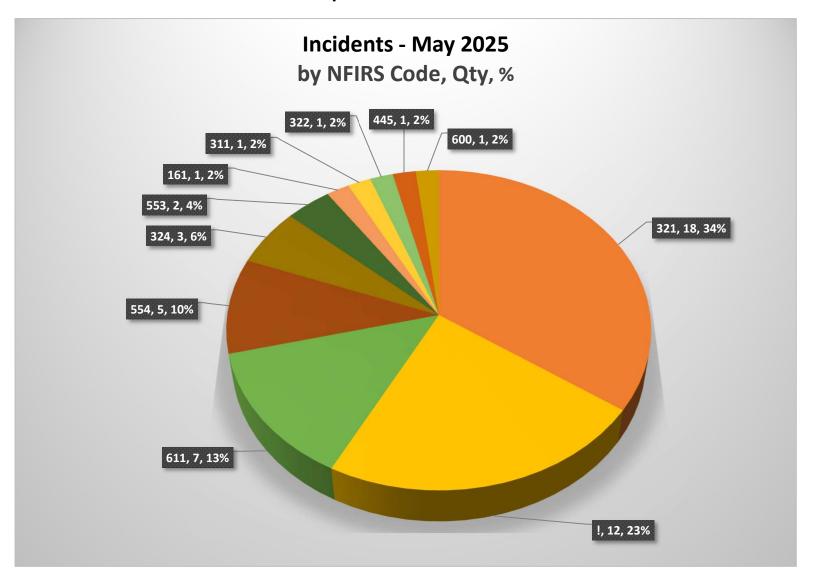
Our volunteer firefighters play a crucial role in our community, often risking their own safety to protect others. Most are balancing firefighting duties with full-time jobs, family responsibilities, and other commitments, and despite their dedication and commitment, volunteer firefighters often face the challenge of not being available to respond to every fire, medical emergency, or accident.

When an emergency call comes in, the response may be delayed due to volunteers having to drive from their home or work to the station to respond to the incident. In some cases our department may not have a volunteer available to respond to an incident.

Volunteer firefighters demonstrate an extraordinary commitment to their communities, often dedicating countless hours of training, service, and sacrifice. They step forward in times of crisis, answering the call to protect lives, property, and the environment, regardless of the risks involved. They routinely make personal sacrifices, leaving work, family, and leisure time behind to respond to emergencies.







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- 111 Building fire
- 112 Fires In Structure Other Than In A Building
- 113 Cooking Fire, Confined To Container
- 114 Chimney or Flue Fire, Confined To Chimney or Flue
- 118 Trash or Rubbish Fire, Contained
- 122 Fire In Motor Home, Camper, Recreational Vehicle
- 131 Passenger vehicle fire
- 132 Road freight or transport vehicle fire
- 123 Fire in portable building, fixed location
- 136 Self-propelled Motor Home or RV Fire
- 137 Camper or Recreational Vehicle (RV) Fire
- 138 Off-road Vehicle or Heavy Equipment Fire
- 141 Forest, woods or wildland fire
- 142 Brush or brush-and-grass mixture fire
- 143 Grass fire
- 151 Outside Rubbish, Trash or Waste Fire
- 154 Dumpster or Other Outside Trash Receptacle Fire
- 311 Medical assist, assist EMS crew
- 320 Emergency medical service, other
- 321 EMS call, excluding vehicle accident with injury
- 322 Motor vehicle accident with injuries
- 323 Motor Vehicle/Pedestrian Accident (MV Ped)
- 324 Motor vehicle accident with no injuries.
- 350 Extrication, rescue, other
- 354 Trench/below-grade Rescue
- 371 Electrocution or Potential Electrocution
- 372 Trapped By Power Lines
- 381 Rescue or EMS standby

- 412 Gas leak (natural gas or LPG)
- 422 Chemical Spill or Leak
- 424 Carbon monoxide incident
- 444 Power line down
- 463 Vehicle accident, general cleanup
- 511 Lock-out
- 531 Smoke or odor removal
- 540 Animal problem, other
- 551 Assist police or other governmental agency
- 553 Public service
- 554 Assist invalid
- 561 Unauthorized burning
- 571 Cover assignment, standby, moveup
- 600 Good intent call, other
- 611 Dispatched & cancelled en route
- 622 No incident found on arrival
- 631 Authorized controlled burning
- 651 Smoke scare, odor of smoke
- 730 System malfunction, other
- 736 -
- 743 Smoke detector activation, no fire
- 745 Alarm system activation, no fire
- 814 Lightning Strike no Fire
- 815 Severe Weather or Natural Disaster Standby
- 900 Special Type Of Incident Other

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