

Pend Oreille Fire District 4

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CUSICK MONTHLY REPORT December 5, 2023

- POFD4 was dispatched to 53 calls in the month of November, with the breakdown being 36 in Newport City, 6 in the Newport area, 3 in Usk and 7 in Cusick. We also responded to a structure fire across the river on mutual aid for SPOFR. The break down for locations and call types are included below.
- Last month, our staff completed 419 hours of training. Of the training completed, a portion of it was for Advanced ICS for Captain Adam Micone. These hours do not include the EMT training that two of our firefighters are participating.
- POFD4 has been successful in acquiring an additional \$5,000 in COVID relieve grant money from FEMA. This
 is helping cover some of the additional expenses we incurred because of the COVID-19 outbreak. As a quick
 overview, POFD4 has also been successful at recouping over \$105,000 dollars from FEMA in similar
 reimbursements, and have also been awarded \$182,000 from the County's ARPA grant. Nearly all this
 money went towards the purchase of much needed medical equipment and Personal Protective Equipment
 for our staff.
- This is the last week of the District having Limited Term Firefighters. If you remember, I hired these three people to staff equipment to guarantee that we could immediately send apparatus to fires across the state, while reaping the benefit of having them here to handle emergencies as they came up when they were awaiting assignments to other fires. The District experienced a net gain of about \$20,000 by doing this, which essentially gave our community free services while they were on duty. We will be doing this again next fire season.
- The local paramedic service (POEMS) finally closed their doors. The Fire Chief's, along with guidance and coordination from Commissioner Robert Rosencrantz, worked closely to ensure that there was never a lapse in service. Currently, Fire District 2 is providing paramedic services throughout to whole county. As a group we will be looking for ways to strengthen the delivery system even more to ensure that there is never another lapse in service in Pend Oreille County again. POFD4 sincerely thanks John Jackson for his efforts by operating Pend Oreille Paramedics (POEMS). His commitment to the people of our community saved many lives, and increased the level of the quality of life for countless numbers of people.
- Last on my list, please make sure that your smoke detectors or operating properly and that the batteries are good. Also, please keep your Christmas Trees well-watered, and your decorations in safe places. More than 700 houses a year burn down because of Christmas decorations, and smoke detectors are proven to save lives and property. Fires essentially doubles in size every minute, so early warning of smoke increases your chances of survival exponentially. Everybody at Fire District 4 wishes you all a Merry Christmas, and a safe and happy New Year!

11/06/2023 13:18:42 PST	Assault	216 Main St	Usk	
11/13/2023 10:33:24 PST	MVC DELTA	State Route 20 & Highway 211	Usk	
11/15/2023 07:55:46 PST	Heart Attack	425602 State Route 20	Usk	3
CUSICK				
11/07/2023 04:50:58 PST	Unknown Problem	104 1st Ave	Cusick	
11/07/2023 12:32:41 PST	Stroke	104 1st Ave	Cusick	

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11/22/2023 18:16:11 PST	Unconsciousness	502 Bond Rd	Cusick	
11/25/2023 00:47:38 PST	Heart Problem	20701 Westside Calispel Rd	Cusick	
11/25/2023 16:28:00 PST	Illegal Burning	Cusick Meadow Rd & State Route 20	Cusick	
11/26/2023 09:05:57 PST	Illegal Burning	Cusick Meadow Rd & State Route 20	Cusick	7
NEWPORT AREA				
11/02/2023 16:24:00 PDT	Fall	429822 State Route 20	Newport	
11/03/2023 14:19:12 PDT	Sickness	821 Laurelhurst Dr	Newport	
11/12/2023 15:53:02 PST	Sickness	426181 State Route 20	Newport	
11/25/2023 21:40:16 PST	MVC DELTA	mp 434 State Route 20	Newport	
11/27/2023 11:27:53 PST	Fire -STRUCTURE	428863 State Route 20	Newport	
11/29/2023 22:32:14 PST	Citizen Assist	432221 State Route 20	Newport	6
NEWPORT CITY	Cielenees	121 W Walnut St	Noursert	
11/01/2023 17:29:51 PDT	Sickness	121 W Wallut St 1701 W 7th St	Newport	
11/02/2023 07:50:07 PDT	Breathing	337 S Spokane Ave	Newport	
11/02/2023 21:28:43 PDT	Choking Alarm - Fire		Newport	
11/02/2023 23:45:27 PDT	Fall	315 N Warren Ave	Newport	
11/03/2023 16:25:25 PDT		507 W 1st St	Newport	
11/03/2023 18:04:13 PDT	Transfer	714 W Pine St	Newport	
11/05/2023 03:00:19 PST	Alarm - Medical	537 S Union Ave	Newport	
11/05/2023 12:03:47 PST	Fall	1596 W 7th St	Newport	
11/07/2023 05:07:39 PST	Transfer	714 W Pine St	Newport	
11/07/2023 22:27:56 PST	Alarm - Medical	1600 W 7th St # APT 3	Newport	
11/09/2023 01:07:48 PST	Assault	201 N Calispel Ave	Newport	
11/09/2023 14:41:27 PST	Alarm - Fire	507 W 1st St	Newport	
11/11/2023 18:08:48 PST	Breathing	424 W 4th St	Newport	
11/13/2023 14:08:55 PST	Chest Pain	400 W Willow St	Newport	
11/14/2023 17:34:04 PST	Breathing	333211 State Route 2	Newport	
11/15/2023 04:01:43 PST	Unconsciousness	1316 W Pine St	Newport	
11/17/2023 11:50:30 PST	Sickness	103 W Circle Dr	Newport	
11/18/2023 12:48:14 PST	Alarm - Fire	1329 W Pine St	Newport	
11/18/2023 17:28:39 PST	Stroke	311 N Washington Ave	Newport	
11/18/2023 19:10:29 PST	Sickness	1600 W 7th St # APT 3	Newport	
11/19/2023 17:06:55 PST	Assault	424 W 4th St	Newport	
11/20/2023 17:45:27 PST	MVC DELTA	315 N Warren Ave	Newport	
11/20/2023 19:03:59 PST	Overdose	801 W Kelly Dr # SP A15	Newport	
11/20/2023 22:43:20 PST	Fall	400 W Willow St	Newport	
11/22/2023 06:54:36 PST	Alarm - Medical	100 N Washington Ave	Newport	



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11/23/2023 05:25:51 PST	Sickness	924 State Route 2	Newport	
11/23/2023 13:05:55 PST	Breathing	608 W 2nd St	Newport	
11/24/2023 11:27:37 PST	Fall	507 W 1st St	Newport	
11/24/2023 22:31:17 PST	Alarm - Fire	140 Laurelhurst Dr	Newport	
11/25/2023 10:36:39 PST	Fall	140 Raylen Ln	Newport	
11/25/2023 14:03:40 PST	Alarm - Medical	916 W 1st St	Newport	
11/27/2023 08:48:24 PST	Assault	333111 State Route 2	Newport	
11/27/2023 15:22:47 PST	Sickness	327 McAvoy Rd	Newport	
11/30/2023 07:09:35 PST	Sickness	1603 W 1st St	Newport	
11/30/2023 12:55:28 PST	Breathing	1735 W 1st St	Newport	36
MUTUAL AID				
11/09/2023 13:39:01 PST	Fire -STRUCTURE	7453 LeClerc Rd S	Newport	1
			TOTAL	53