

# **Cumberland Road Fire Departments**



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#### Fire Chief - Steven Parrish

Cumberland Road Volunteer Fire Department, Inc. is a North Carolina nonprofit corporation chartered in 1955. Its purpose is to provide fire protection, emergency services, and fire and life safety education to the citizens of the Cumberland Road Fire District located in Cumberland County, North Carolina.

The department's mission was to provide the best fire protection they could provide. Today, Cumberland Road Fire Department is committed to providing superior fire, rescue, and emergency services to our community's citizens in a proficient, professional, and compassionate manner. We continuously promote life safety by practicing prevention, planning, education, and training.

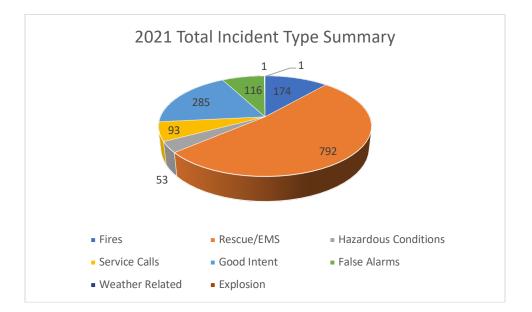
The department uses both volunteer members and employs a 24-hour paid staff to ensure that our mission is met and that quality services are provided. All of our volunteer members and the paid staff take great pride in their jobs and accomplishments. We expect nothing less as we feel our community deserves our commitment.



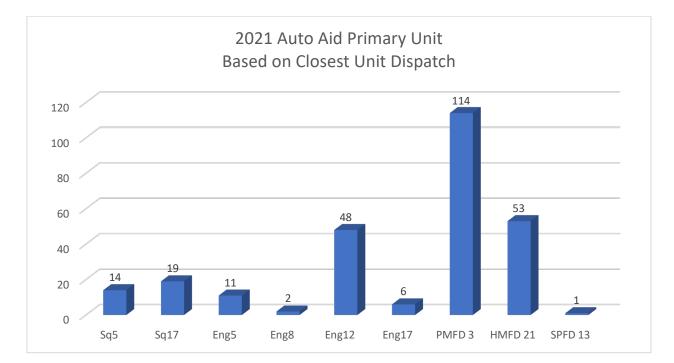
## 2021 Annual Incident Response

During 2021 Cumberland Road firefighters provided emergency services response 1515 times, which included fires, EMS/rescue responses, and non-emergency calls for service. These totals include automatic and mutual aid responses to neighboring departments.

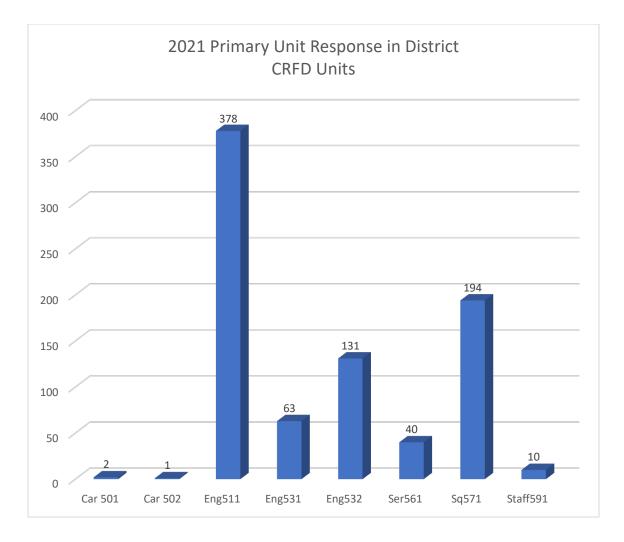




Neighboring departments responded to 268 of the 1183 calls for service within the Cumberland Road fire district, correlated by the Closest Unit Dispatch system.









# 2021 Community Involvement

Partners with the NC Office of State Fire Marshal and Cumberland County Fire Marshal's Office, Cumberland Road Firefighter installed 108 smoke alarms for residents of the fire district. Firefighters also provided Fire and Life Safety education to our Churches, Daycare, Schools, and other community events, including Cumberland County Annual Safety Day. Community outreach, and Fire and Life Safety education, remain one of our highest priorities.





## 2021 ANNUAL TRAINING

Personnel, both part-time and volunteer members, completed a total of 8,661 hours of training in 2021.









## **Significant Purchases**

In 2021 the department purchased a 2021 Spartan engine, replacing one of our aging engines. Our new engine carries 750 gallons of water, with a pumper capacity of 1500 gallons per minute. Along with the new engine the department purchased new fire attack fire hose and nozzles. Our new hose and nozzles can provide more gallons per minute of water on a fire and reduce stress on the firefighters with less wear and tear on the engines.

Other items include:

Thermal Imaging Cameras (4)

iPads for each apparatus (6)

Mobile radios and Bases Station Radio (8)

Positive Pressure Blower (1)

Generator for new Engine (1)

Upgraded Station Standby Generator

Approved and ordered in 2021, our 2022 Spartan FC94 / Hackney, Service / Rescue Unit is expected for delivery mid to late 2022. This unit will replace our existing unit, allowing us to carrier all required ISO equipment for a Service Unit while providing Medium Rescue Services.

As part of the Cumberland County Fire Protection Service District Grant Funding, the department will receive 25 new portable radios, replacing out-of-date, non-serviceable radios.

I would like to thank our Board of Director members for their continued support, and the men and women for their everyday work, response, and training, you have ALL played a part in our accomplishments, and commitment to our community.





