



2025

ANNUAL REPORT



A Message From **The Chief**

The Cary Fire Protection District experienced another active and productive year in 2025 as the demands on emergency services continued to grow. The District responded to an increase in call volume of more than four percent over the previous year, reinforcing the importance of maintaining strong staffing levels, consistent training, and operational readiness. Throughout the year, our members responded to a wide range of incidents, from medical emergencies and fires to severe weather events and complex operations that required coordination and adaptability. These responses highlight not only the volume of calls handled, but also the increasing complexity of the incidents our personnel face while serving a growing and changing community.



Chief Brad Delatorre
2019 - Present

Training remained a cornerstone of the Cary Fire Protection District's success in 2025, with annual training hours increasing by nearly five percent. Members participated in a wide range of fire suppression, emergency medical, rescue, and command-level training to ensure they remained prepared to respond safely and effectively. Progress toward a three story training tower at Fire Station 2 also continued, with a bid package submitted in 2025 to support expanded hands on training opportunities in the future. Staffing and prevention efforts advanced as well, including the hiring of eight new part time members and the adoption of twenty seven Fire Code amendments by the Village of Cary, strengthening community protection and enhancing fire and life safety standards.

This annual report reflects the dedication, professionalism, and commitment of the men and women of the Cary Fire Protection District. None of this work would be possible without the support of our residents, the Board of Trustees, and our partner agencies. I am proud of what was accomplished in 2025 and grateful for the opportunity to serve this community.

Board of Trustees

The Cary Fire Protection District has a Board of Trustees consisting of 5 members, who are elected by the residents of the District for terms of 6 years. The Board of Trustees is the authority that governs the Cary Fire Protection District and provides the financial oversight for the District.



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President



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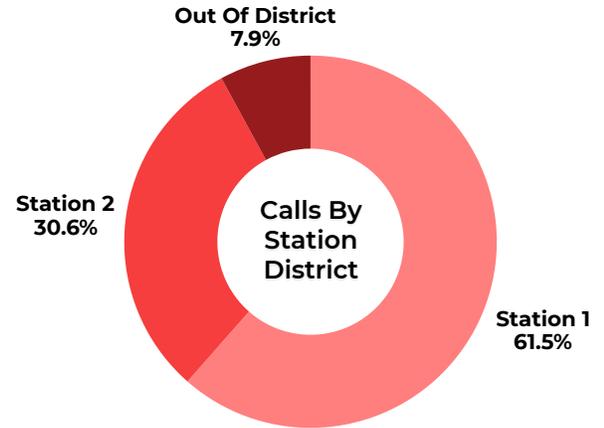
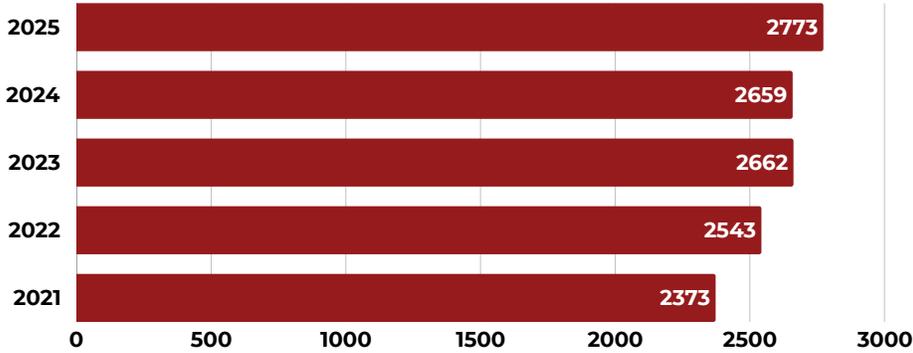


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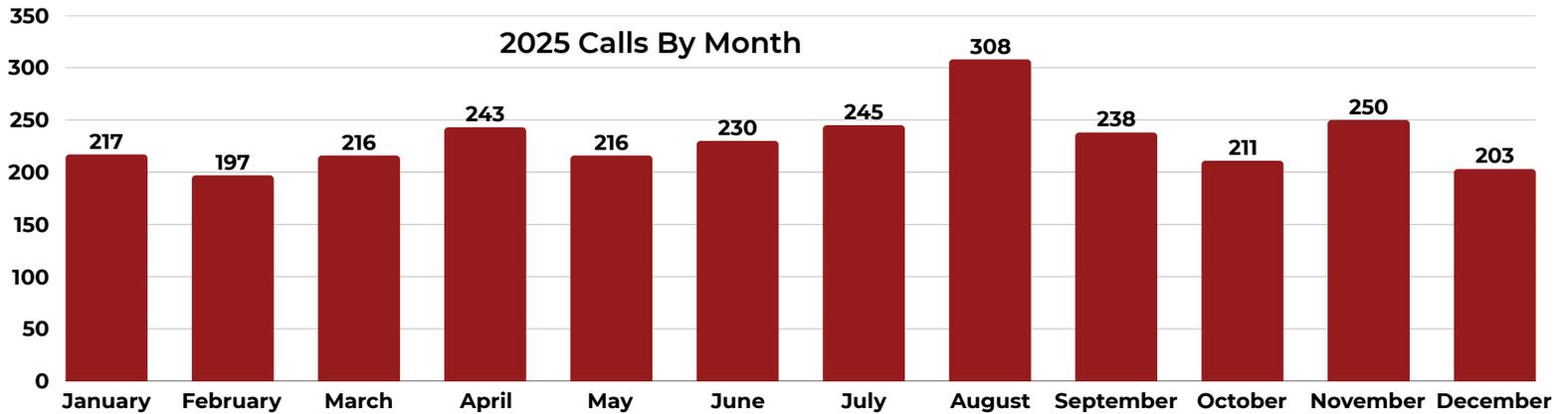
2025 By The Numbers

In 2025, the Cary Fire Protection District responded to **2,773 calls for service**, an increase from the previous year. While call volume remained consistent with recent trends, the continued growth reflects the community's evolving needs and the District's ongoing commitment to providing timely and effective emergency services.

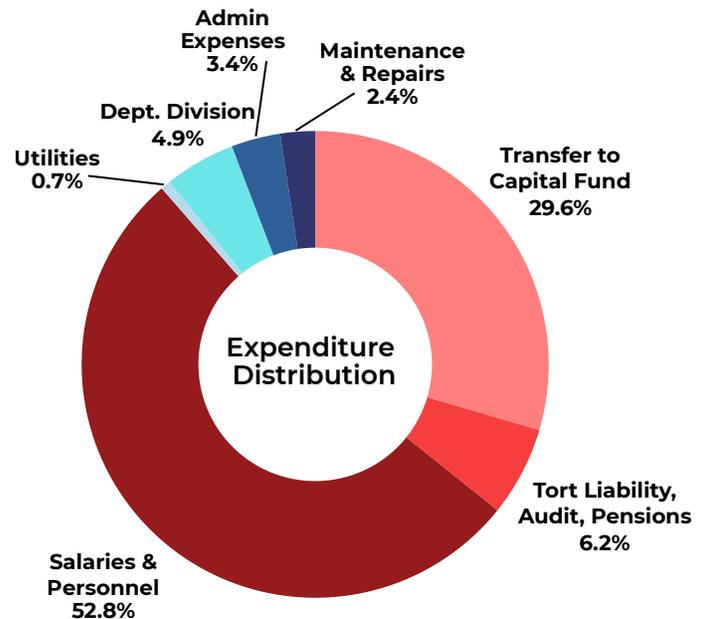
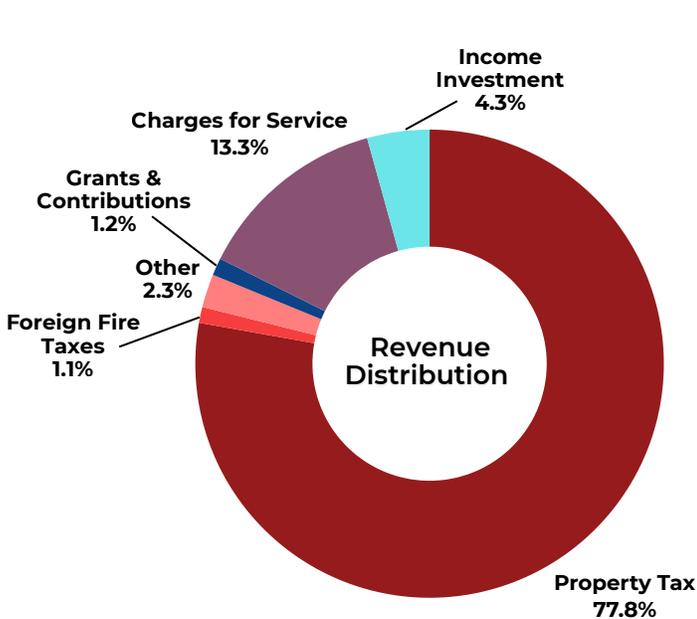
5 Years Of Overall Calls



2025 Calls By Month



For the 12 Month(s) Ended April 30, 2025 Fiscal Year 2025







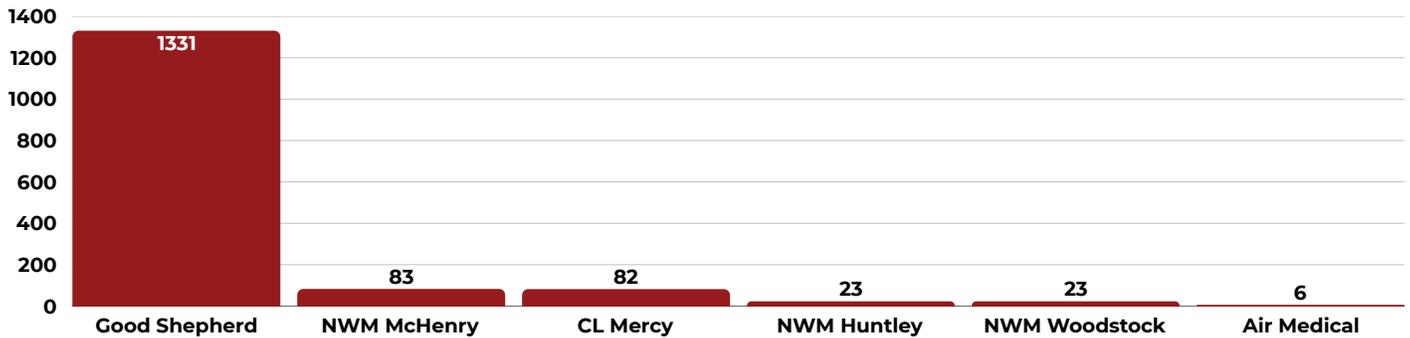
EMS Division

The Cary Fire Protection District's EMS (Emergency Medical Services) Division continued to play a critical role in 2025, responding to the majority of the District's 2,773 calls for service. As medical-related incidents remain the most common type of emergency, the Division has continued to invest in advanced training, modern equipment, and ongoing skill development. These efforts allow crews to provide timely, compassionate care and ensure residents receive high-quality emergency medical services when they need them most.



In 2025, the Cary Fire Protection District logged **2,190 EMS-related calls**, accounting for 79% of all calls for service. While this represents a slight decrease from the previous year, emergency medical responses continue to make up the majority of the District's workload, underscoring the ongoing importance of EMS training, readiness, and resources.

2025 Transport Destinations



Training Division

In 2025, Cary Fire Protection District personnel dedicated 21,059 hours to fire and EMS training, reinforcing the District's commitment to safe, effective emergency response. Training spanned a wide range of disciplines, including fire suppression, emergency medical care, technical rescue, water rescue and recovery, and incident command. Members participated in hands-on drills, live fire training, and classroom instruction to maintain proficiency in current tactics and life-saving techniques. Personnel also attended regional and state-level training programs to further develop skills and maintain required certifications, ensuring crews remain prepared to meet the needs of the community.



Public Information & Outreach

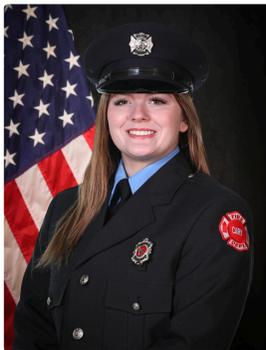
Public information efforts remained an important focus for the Cary Fire Protection District throughout the year, especially during several significant incidents where clear communication mattered most. During these events, the District worked to keep residents and the media informed as situations unfolded, including a residential explosion and fire, a large brush fire, a destructive house fire that displaced a family, and severe weather that led to a local state of emergency. Providing timely and accurate updates helped ensure the community had reliable information during complex and rapidly changing incidents.

Beyond emergency situations, the District remained actively involved in community outreach and public education. Members took part in events such as Cary Police Department's National Night Out, Camp I Am Me, the Salvation Army bell ringing campaign, Cary Main Street Fest, and other community programs throughout the year. These opportunities allowed firefighters to connect directly with residents, share safety information, and build relationships outside of emergency responses.

The District also relied on social media and digital platforms to stay connected with the community year-round. Through these channels, safety messaging, incident updates, and District activities were shared in a timely and accessible way, helping residents stay informed during both emergency and non-emergency situations.



Newest Members



Faith Frank
Badge #236



Connor Herrman
Badge #240



Robert Hutchings
Badge #241



Marco Santano
Badge #249

In 2025, the Cary Fire Protection District welcomed Connor Herrman, Robert Hutchings, and Marco Santano as new full-time members, strengthening the District's staffing and enhancing its ability to meet operational and response demands. In addition, the District Board approved the appointment of Faith Frank to a full-time position in December 2025, with her official swearing-in taking place in January 2026. The District also recognized the successful completion of probationary periods for Caden Cowles, Ben Delatorre, Angelo Lavacchi, Tyler Litgen, Charles McDade, Dominic Mokry, Kyler Ochab, and Joey Siragusa.



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