

# Arlington County Fire Department

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## Community Presentation

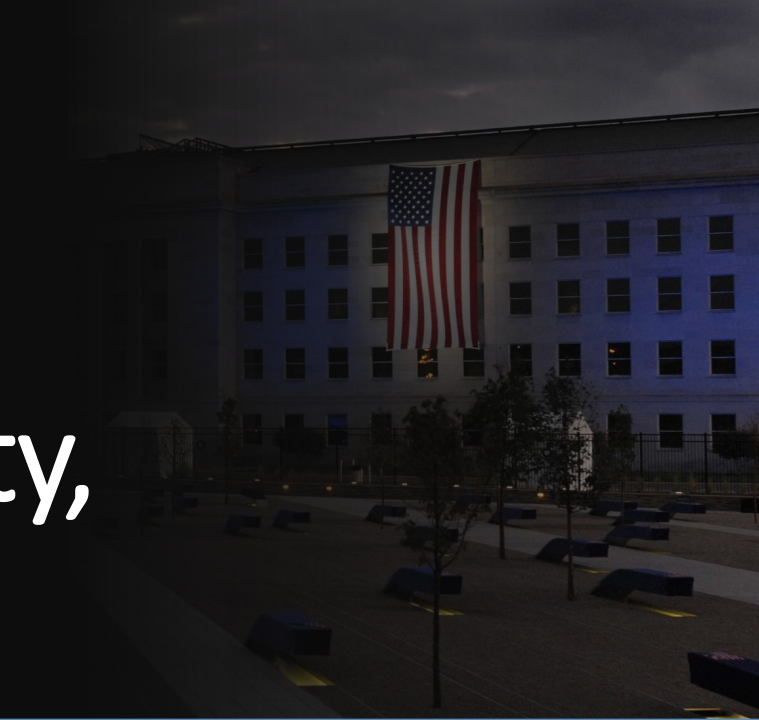


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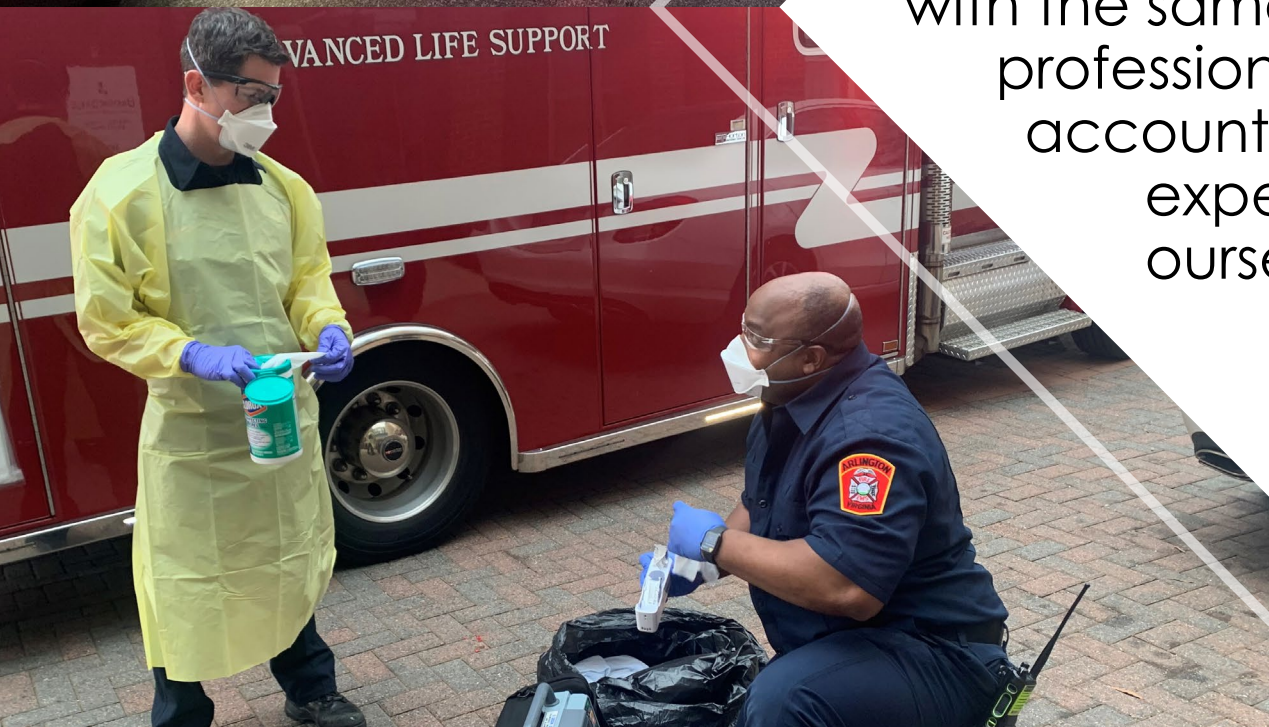


# Arlington County, Virginia

- 26 sq miles, 236,000 people
- Across the river from Washington D.C.
- Home to ANC, Marine Corps War Memorial, Air Force Memorial, the Pentagon
- Green space, 49 miles of trails
- Nightlife, restaurants, community events & culture





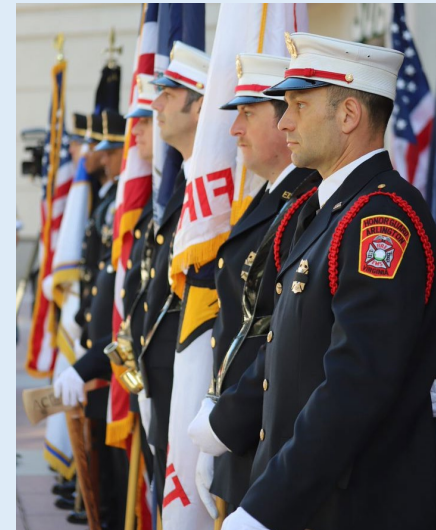


We protect lives and property. We commit to serving you with the same compassion, professionalism, and accountability we expect of ourselves.





*Pride*                      *Integrity*  
*Professionalism*   *Transparency*  
*Inclusive*              *Leadership*



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# Department Values





# Your Fire Department



Fire Chief David Povlitz

400 uniformed &  
civilian personnel

9 Fire Stations

Fire Training Academy

Fire Prevention Office

Fire Chief's Office

Logistics Centers

Over 33,000 responses  
annually

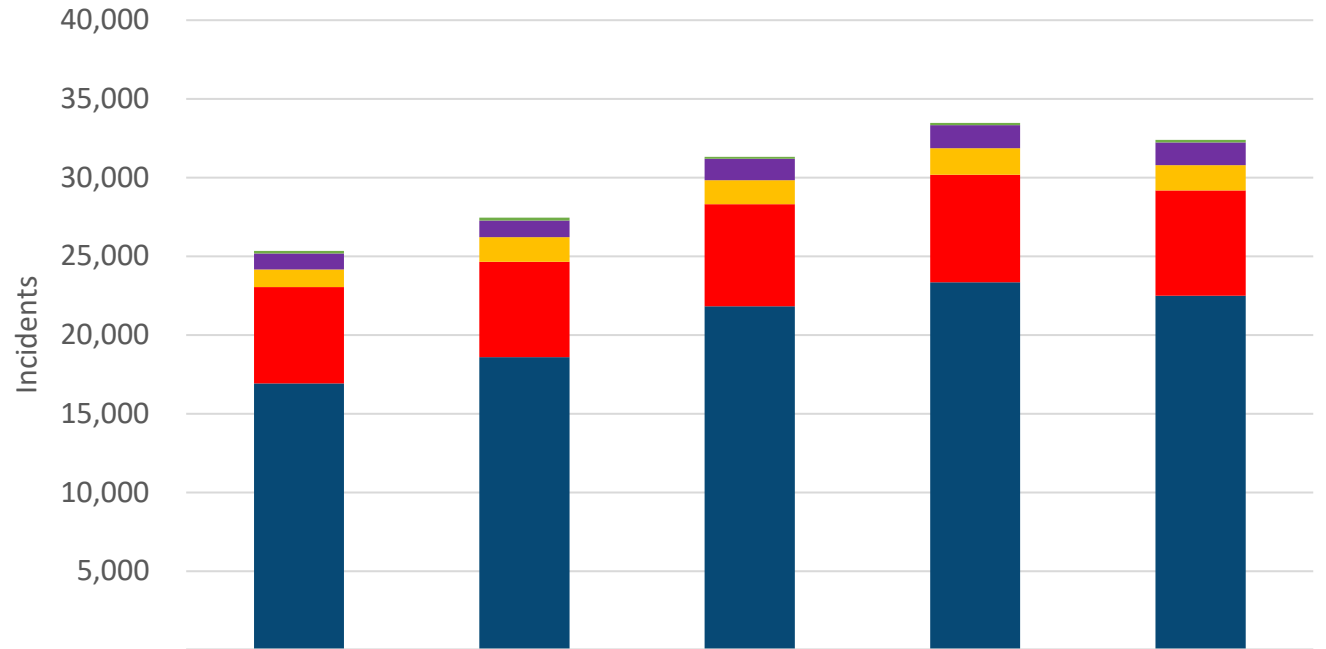




# Emergency Service Responses



Fire Department Emergency Services



	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
HazMat	157	182	130	145	150
Rescue	1,017	1,057	1,364	1,472	1,443
Other	1,131	1,576	1,515	1,688	1,605
Fire	6,109	6,058	6,495	6,818	6,699
Medical	16,936	18,596	21,828	23,360	22,495

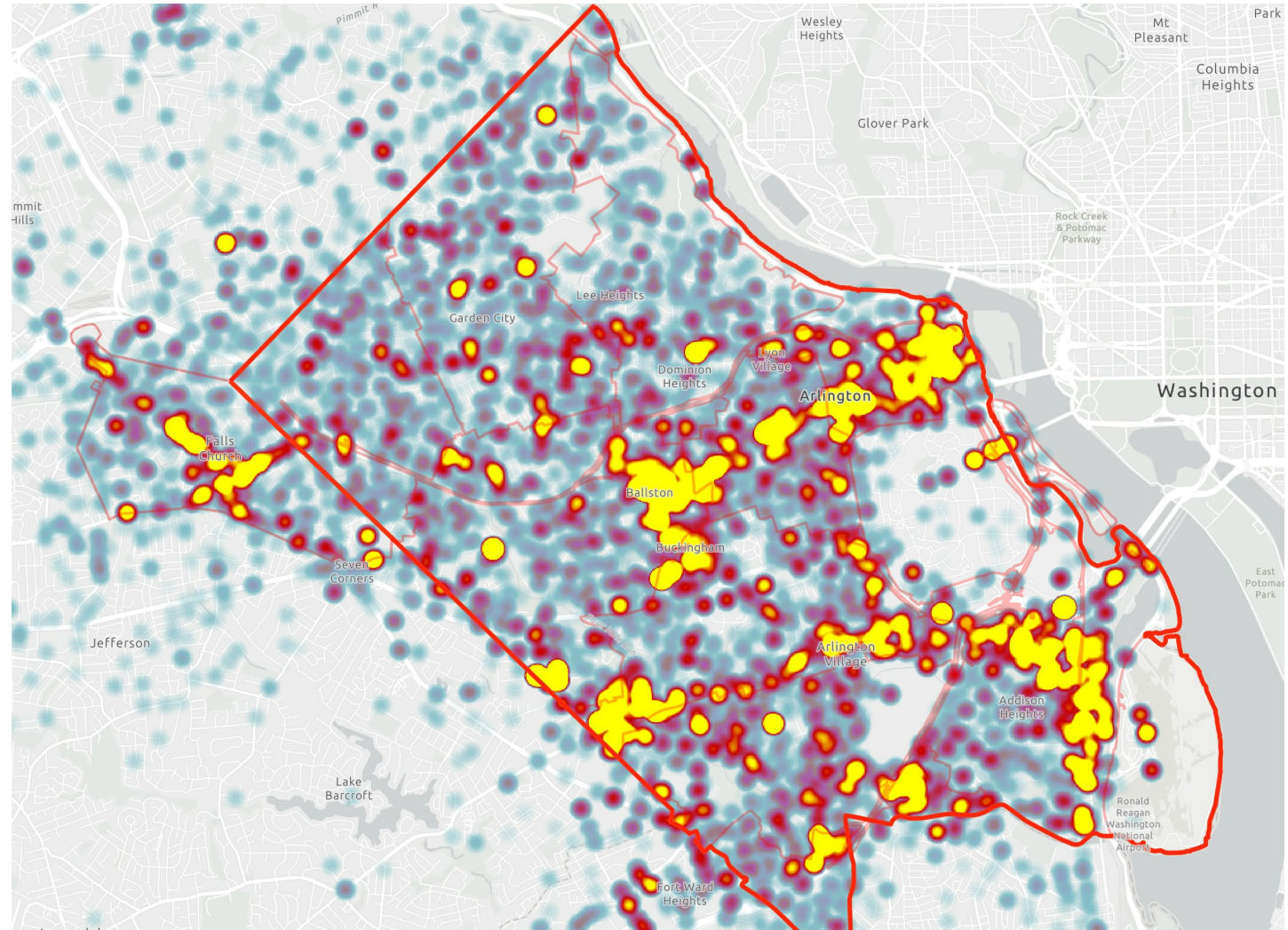
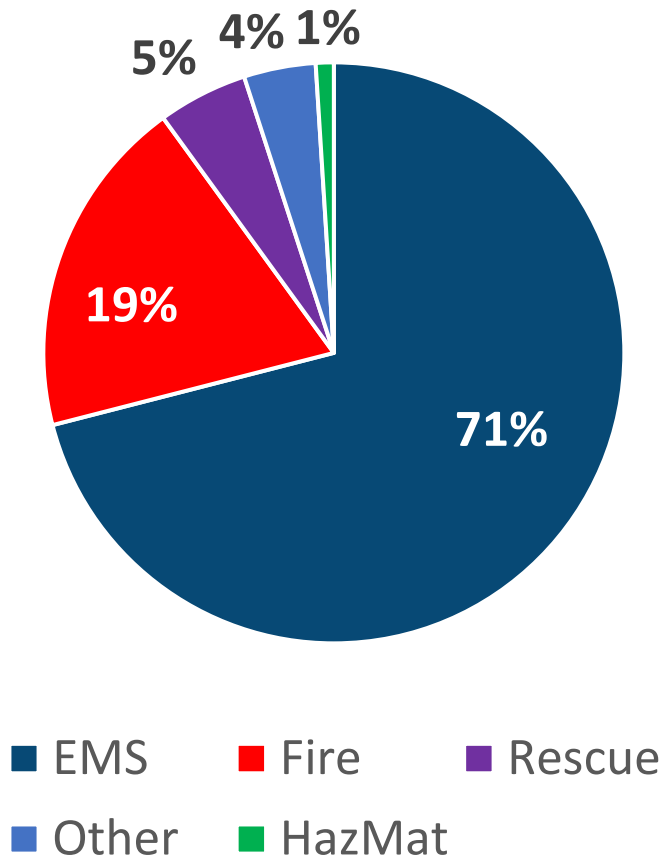




# 2024 Emergency Incidents



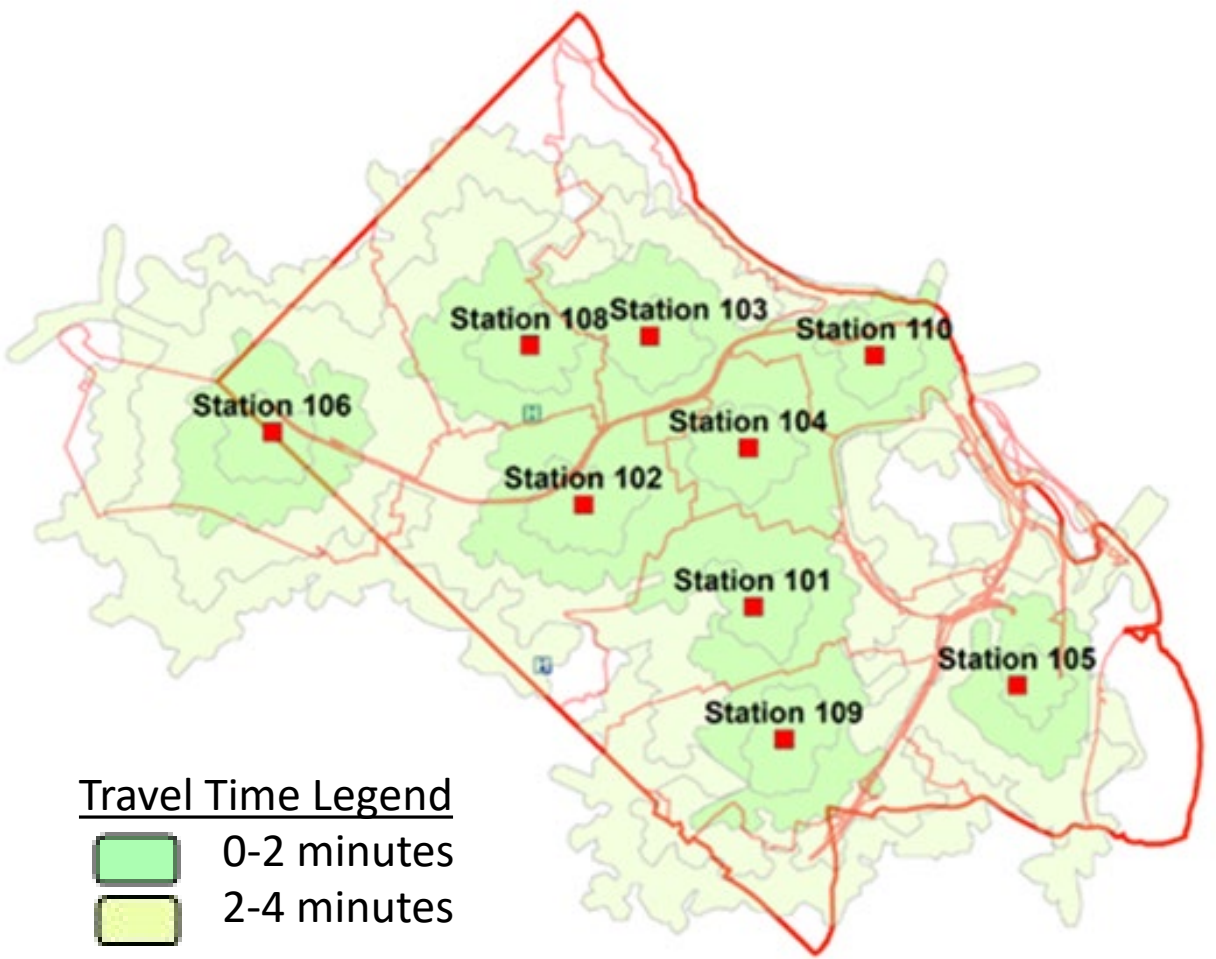
## 2024 Incident Types



2 minutes  
4 minutes



# Fire Station Locations



Travel Time Legend

- 0-2 minutes
- 2-4 minutes

Station	Location	Units
1	Glebe Road	Engine, medic, battalion chief
2	Ballston	Engine, rescue, medic
3	Cherrydale	Engine, bomb unit, battalion chief
4	Clarendon	Engine, tower, medic
5	Aurora Highlands	Engine, ladder truck, medic
6	Falls Church	Engine, ladder truck, medic
8	Lee Highway	Engine, medic
9	Walter Reed	Engine, rescue, medic
10	Rosslyn	Engine, medic



# Emergency Service Resources

## 9 Fire Stations

9 Engines

2 Trucks/ 1 Tower

2 Heavy Rescues

7 BLS/ALS Transport Units  
(with an additional peak time unit)

2 Battalion Chiefs

2 EMS Supervisors

1-3 Fire Marshals







# Specialties



Technical  
Rescue



Paramedics



Hazardous  
Materials



Fire Marshals



Water Rescue



Bomb Squad





# Progressive and Innovative



Advanced EMS practice

Integrated public safety approaches

Early technology adoption

Equity and inclusion

Health, wellness, and safety

Community engagement





# JANUARY

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

# Station Shift Schedule

24 ON - 24 OFF - 24 ON - 24 OFF - 24 ON - 4 DAYS OFF



- Rotating 24-hour shift among 3 platoons
- Our work week is called a “a tour” with 3 24-hour shifts with a day of in between, followed by a 4-day break
- One Kelly day (or day off) per 28-day cycle
- Average of 50 hours/week







# Station Life

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# Question & Answer

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