

SMFR Special Operations Training Report
November 2020



DC Blanco and Capt. Blosski began exploration of FY 2021 Assistance to Firefighter Grant from FEMA to explore a regional request of 8 Manatee County Fire Districts for replacing communication radios. Several planning sessions were held with various district leadership to discuss planning. During November, Capt. Blosski formulated data collection from each district to begin pre-planning application questions. This data was captured on one master form to prepare for future action. In addition, requests were made from each district on the number and quantity of equipment they wish to pursue in the AFG grant cycle and the amount of cost share each who accept with the grant package. This grant package was discussed with SMFR Administration staff who made a decision not to pursue grant funding.

Other topics and issues handled in November:

- Administration items handled regarding Manatee County CARES grant, several items were received and placed into service.
- Continued assessments were given to SMFR Hazmat Technician to follow up from last months training.
- Capt. Blosski attended the MCFCA Training Officers meeting to discuss county training agenda items.
- BC Gould and Capt. Blosski attended the Tampa Bay HMEP & LEPC meeting via on-line internet. Regional Hazmat training was discussed and 2021 training cycle with courses was discussed.

November 2020 Hazmat Responses:

Date: Incident #: Type Incident: Address: Special Notes:

11/7	2048591	Gas Leak (NG or LPG)	5325 31 St Cir E	Gas Leak Residential
11/12	2049567	Chemical Spill or Leak	808 53 Ave E	Hydrocarbon Illegal Dumping
11/13	2049836	Chemical Spill or Leak	5912 15 St E	Confirmed CO2 leak Commercial
11/13	2049742	Gas Leak (Ng or LPG)	6000 56th Ct E	MA EMFR-Outside Gas Leak
11/14	2049897	Gas Leak (NG or LPG)	3036 54th Dr E	NG Leak Investigation
11/15	2050148	Assist Police or Other Agency	8307 62 Ct E	MA MSO- UAS Drone Operations
11/20	2050801	Chemical Hazard (no spill or leak)	3810 5 St E	Chemical Investigation
11/23	2051324	Chemical Spill or Leak	1707 Roslyn Ave	MA CHFR- Hydraulic Oil >30 gallons
11/23	2051328	Gas Leak (NG or LPG)	5422 Country Lakes Ln	LPG leak confirmed >55 Gallons
11/23	201123-132342	Biological Hazard (Covid)	5200 26 St W	MA CHFR-Bio Decon of bldg.
11/23	2051339	Gas Leak (NG or LPG)	7907 Ashley Cir E	NG Investigation
11/24	2051477	Chemical Hazard (no spill or leak)	3904 15 St E	Chemical Investigation
11/27	2051850	Chemical Spill or Leak	5912 15 St E	Confirmed CO2 leak Commercial
11/29	2052250	Gas Leak (NG or LPG)	8441 Cooper Creek Blvd	NG Leak Investigation

11/29	2052280	Gas Leak (Ng or LPG)	8249 Cooper Creek Blvd	NG Leak Commerical BNS
11/29	2052283	Gas Leak (NG or LPG)	2306 51 Ave Dr E	LPG leak confirmed

MA= Mutual Aid Assistance rendered

November 2020 Mutual Aid Hazmat Assistance: 4
 2020 Mutual Aid Hazmat Responses: 67

November 2020 SMFR in district Hazmat response: 12
 2020 SMFR in District Hazmat Responses: 67

November 2020 Total Hazmat Incident response time: 16 hours
 2020 SMFR Total Hazmat Incident Response Times: 144 hours

2019 SMFR Hazmat Responses (M/A & In District): 119
 2020 SMFR Hazmat Responses (M/A & In District): 134

2020 SWC Reported Cases:

(State Watch reported cases in Manatee County)

Date:	SWC #:	Incident:	SMFR Response?	Address:	Notes:
11/12	2020-6305	Hydrocarbon Spill	N	West of Anna Marie Island	Marine Vessel sank and leaking
11/13	2020-6345	Natural Gas Leak	Y	Accurso Rd & SR 70	NG outdoor leak > 55 LBS
11/11	2020-6481	Hydrocarbon Spill	N	3108 Bay Dr	Marine vessel beached with leak
11/28	2020-6561	Unknown Spill	N	6920 Hwy 41	Unknown sheen in Bowlees Creek

Hazmat Training Hours (November2020):

November2020 total hazmat training hours: 98.25 hours
 An average of 1.2 hours monthly per all SMFR personnel for November 2020

2020 Total Hazmat Training Hours: 2,449.25 Hours^{1,2}
 An average of 30.23 hours per all SMFR personnel for 2020

- 1- Represents all operations personnel for 2020
- 2- (Note: This total does not represent total hours for 2020 SMFR Hazmat Tech School, completed in August2020. Please add 1,760 hours to total for correct number)

Cost Recovery Invoices Pending:

Date:	Incident #:	Incident ID:	Invoiced Amount:
07/14/2020	20-29584	2014 Garden Dr	\$3,909.06

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While the department still remains under Covid-19 precautions, we are using our time wisely via other alternative educational methods. This month the entire department completed an Emergency Response Guideline (ERG) review. This was presented on-line with a 45-minute video on knowledge, skills, and capabilities during an initial response to a hazardous materials incident. The ERG is our primary response guide to first responders on handling a identified hazardous material during transport and a staple in our response.

Other topics and issues handled in December:

- Capt. Bloski participated in a 40-hour course for Joint Response Terrorism course with Region 4 response. This training builds a link between Explosive Ordinance Disposal (Manatee County Sheriffs department Bomb Squad), 48th Civil Support Team, and local hazmat responders to build a team response to incidents. This training was held in Pineallas County from Dec. 15-18th.
- Capt. Bloski participated with SMFR FPB inspection regarding the Sunoco convenience store on 15th Street in regards to multiple Carbon Dioxide leaks in their soda system. The problem was resolved and a training bulletin was created to remind crews of future response.
- SMFR is declining future Assistance to Firefighter regional grant opportunities. Capt. Bloski did complete a information session with Trailer Estates Fire District administrative staff on Dec. 9th should they continue to seek the 2021 AFG grant.
- On Dec. 10th, Capt. Bloski attended the Region 6 Hazmat Team meeting to discuss future training and exercised within our region in 2021.
- Capt. Bloski (with Chief Gorski) completed 4th quarter Manatee County Cares Grant purchasing package. Total grant package to SMFR was \$32,836,20.
- A vehicle accident occurred on Dec 27, 2021 that caused damage to Station 5. Capt. Bloski handled the outside impact site regarding testing of hydrocarbons (no found) and future replacement of grass and sod areas per DC Blanco.
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December 2020 Hazmat Responses:

Date: Incident #: Type Incident: Address: Special Notes:

12/3	2052917	Gas Leak (NG or LPG)	800 30th Dr West	MA CHFR -NG leak confirmed
12/4	2053146	Gas Leak (Ngor LPG)	7422 Linden Ln	NG Leak Investigation
12/4	2054824	Gas Leak (NG or LPG)	7280 Eleanor Cir	NG Investigation
12/6	2053462	Gas Leak (NG or LPG)	1004 26 Ave E	NG Investigation
12/9	2053927	Gas Leak (NG or LPG)	406 34 Ave Dr E	NG Leak Confirmed Residential
12/9	2053939	Gas Leak (NG or LPG)	7702 Geneva Ln	NG Investigation
12/10	201210-081611	Chemical Spill or Leak	6119 17 St E	SWS spill-2000 gallons sewage
12/10	2054075	Carbon monoxide incidnet	6822 Whitfield Pl	CO2 Investigation
12/13	2054470	Carbon monoxide incidnet	7824 Geneva Ln	CO2 Residential Investigation
12/13	2054561	Oil or other combusitible liquid spill	Morgan Johnson & SR64	MA EMFR-Oil spill
12/13	2054567	Chemical Hazard (no spill or leak)	7617 16th St E	Unfounded odor investigation

12/14	2054578	Gasoline or Other Flammable	1192 Whitfield Ave	Gasoline spill <2 gall
12/14	2054702	Chemical Hazard (no spill or leak)	930 8 St W	MA NRRFD- Unknown vapor leak
12/15	2054824	Gas Leak (NG or LPG)	7280 Eleanor Cir	NG Investigation
12/15	2054838	Gas Leak (NG or LPG)	2115 30 Ave E	NG Investigation
12/16	2055050	Carbon monoxide incidnet	5914 53 Ave E	CO2 Comercial Bns Investigation
12/22	2055946	Gas Leak (NG or LPG)	4989 Creekside Trl	NG Leak confirmed
12/22	2055999	Carbon monoxide incidnet	6338 Positano Ct	CO@ Alarm Malfunction
12/25	2056510	Gas Leak (NG or LPG)	5100 Creekside Trl	NG Investigation
12/29	2056992	Gas Leak (NG or LPG)	8204 Tourist Center Dr	NG Leak confirmed Commercial

MA= Mutual Aid Assistance rendered

December 2020 Mutual Aid Hazmat Assistance: 3
2020 Mutual Aid Hazmat Responses: 67

December 2020 SMFR in district Hazmat response: 17
2020 SMFR in District Hazmat Responses: 107

December 2020 Total Hazmat Incident response time: 19.75 hours
2020 SMFR Total Hazmat Incident Response Times: 163.75 hours

2019 SMFR Hazmat Responses (M/A & In District): 119
2020 SMFR Hazmat Responses (M/A & In District): 174

2020 SWC Reported Cases:

(State Watch reported cases in Manatee County)

Date: SWC #: Incident: SMFR Response? Address: Notes:

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12/3	2020-6664	Natural Gas Leak	Y	800 30th Ave W	NG outdoor leak > 55 LBS with injury
12/9	2020-6776	Hydrocarbon Spill	N	Sarasota Bay	Marine Vessel sank and leaking
12/10	2020-6790	Diesel Spill	N	Tampa Bay	Marine Vessel release <3 gallons
12/10	2020-6808	Combustible Liquid Spill	Y	6119 17th St E	Commercial 2000+ grease spill
12/10	2020-6812	Hydrocarbon Spill	N	4915 Coral Blvd	Marine Vessel release unk. Amount
12/11	2020-6819	Hydrocarbon Spill	N	Sr-37 & SR 62	V.A. with 30 gallon diesel spill

Hazmat Training Hours (December 2020):

December 2020 total hazmat training hours: 233.50 hours
An average of 2.88 hours monthly per all SMFR personnel for December 2020

2020 Total Hazmat Training Hours: 6520.75 Hours ^{1,2}

An average of 80.50 hours per all SMFR personnel for 2020

1- Represents all operations personnel for 2020

2- This total does represent 1,540 hours of 2020 Hazmat Technician School attended by 7 SMFR personnel

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