

## SOUTHERN MANATEE FIRE RESCUE DISTRICT Interoffice Memorandum

**TO:** The Southern Manatee Board of Fire Commissioners

**FROM:** Bobby Thayer – Training Chief

**Through:** Robert Bounds – Fire Chief

RE: COVID-19 Report

**DATE:** March 7th, 2022

1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter 2022 positive cases:	8
Return to full duty:	8
Total number of Covid-19 Test Employees:	15
Number of Covid Vaccinations Received:	0

Currently our district has no active cases of Covid-19. We have test kits available thru training if needed to test any employees, as most all public test sites have shut down.

At the time of this report, Manatee County has declined in its weekly positivity rate to 2.4%. New cases have also declined and currently we see about 74% of our population over 5 years of age fully vaccinated, with the highest percentage over 60 years.

Currently we will continue to monitor as we slowly remove guidelines and prepare to return to normal. If needed, all guidelines can be reinstated quickly if any variants cause a spike in cases.