



Columbia Borough Fire Department

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MONTHLY

FIRE CHIEF'S REPORT

March 2026

Incident response statistics and additional Fire Department Activities for the month of March 2026 along with Year-to-Date information.

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Information released by the CBF D for informational purposes to the Columbia Borough Manager, Columbia Council, Columbia School Board members, and WHT Supervisor on April 7, 2026.

INCIDENT RESPONSE STATISTICS (TOTALS):

Incident Type	Jan	Feb	Mar	Total Count
Alarms non medical	12	3	1	16
Cancelled	6	13	6	25
Citizen assist	4	5	2	11
False alarm	4	12	10	26
Good intent	4	4	2	10
Hazard non chemical	6	1	4	11
Hazardous materials	5	7	8	20
Illness	4	2	3	9
Injury trauma	4	4	6	14
Investigation	8	2	2	12
Law enforcement support	5	8	9	22
Outside fire	3	0	4	7
Outside rescue	1	1	0	2
Public service other	2	3	3	8
Special fire	0	0	1	1
Structure fire	16	9	8	33
Structure rescue	0	0	1	1
Transportation fire	3	1	0	4
Transportation rescue	1	0	0	1
Water rescue	0	0	2	2
Totals	88	75	72	235

MARCH INCIDENTS:

- **72** dispatched fire incidents with **N/A** volunteer man-hours.
- **45** classes were attended for **170.5** volunteer man-hours.
- **51** activities were attended for **186** volunteer man-hours.
- **Sunday** was our busiest day with **16** incidents.
- Incidents by shifts and our average number of volunteers:
 - 07:00am – 02:59pm **26** incidents.
 - 03:00pm – 10:59pm **36** incidents.
 - 11:00pm – 06:59am **10** incidents.
 - All Shifts **72** incidents.
- **False Alarm** was our most dispatched incident type with **10**.
- Average **9.53** members per call this month.

**N/A VOLUNTEER HOURS WERE SPENT IN THE MONTH OF
MARCH FOR OUR COMMUNITY!
N/A VOLUNTEER MAN HOURS PER DAY!**

Incidents by District



