

Operations December 2024

- **Fire Officer Training** - Fire Officers worked on daily training by leading and confirming their shifts' Fire and EMS Training for existing members of the team. This includes medication changes and process review. The Officers and myself had the first Quarterly Officer meeting, in which we did review several operational questions and discussed the testing process coming up in 2025. We also discussed 3 SOPs that are ripe for updating.
- **EMS Training** – We are now live with biometric tracking system for controlled substances technology allowing tracking of access of truck safe boxes in real time. (b) We needed updating WIFI in some of the stations to allow real time communications with the safe system. We had our bi-annual State of Florida Department of Health EMS inspection, this includes the review of personnel records, training records and drug logs and documentation. They also inspected trucks for mandatory equipment that are required. This includes the EMS “911” trucks and CCT transfer vehicles. We were found to be exemplary in our audit and had no deficiencies.
- **Combined Training**- Vector Solutions is our vendor who provides and archives our online classes that our members take to ensure compliance and training. We had members take 96 classes and training modules and completed 81.25 in training hours. We have each of our members enrolled and drilling on the new RQI program, which assures CPR performance on a going basis, not just after 2 years- when cards “expire”
- **Community Outreach in December** – We were happy as a Department to have planned and coordinated the annual Santa Holiday Parade, on December 24th. This event which included 10 stops in our Community in which we had great participation and tremendous turn out from the public. We aspire next year to have 25 members of the City to join us. Special thanks to “Santa” who gave out over 500 candy canes and was riding in the newly returned “truck 14” which added maximum noise and excitement. Santa was received with the deserving reception for an Icon.