



**GRAND LAKE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT
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Chief's Report

November 8, 2017

Apparatus / Equipment

Hunting for winter tires for S364

Researching reflective markings for rear of older apparatus (G2G)

4 Gas detectors have been calibrated

Kidde fire extinguisher recall - only fireboat was affected

Added 3 steer tire sets to 2018 budget - L362, T366, T376

Replacing gauges on hydrant test kits

Facilities

Winter configuration in bays nearly complete

Looking at changes with GCEMS departure

Shift staff quarters to move into vacated space on first floor

Bump E371 up to St 1 as second due / 1st due mutual aid response

New kitchen coffee maker

Operations

GFPD hosting Wildland Ignitions class in December

ALL line staff scheduled to attend

Colin Steward and Mike Long working on IC role play training for staff

Slash burning season has begun

GLFPD assessing GC 911 maps for primary use

Hands on refreshers - boat launching and Achilles open water handling

Administrative

Admin computer crash / recovery - checking into warranty coverage
CPR / First Aid training coming up in January - Board are welcome
Working on "closing the loop" on shift communications / action items

Personnel

Resident firefighter Jared Williams has moved to volunteer status
Resident program full at 6

Front Range forecasting 500 career fire jobs - impact on GLFPD
Colin Steward and Blake Mertz to attend FEMA Incident Safety
Officer course this weekend

5 members sitting for state written exams on Nov 21

Staff G2G mtg completed:

Discussed functional assignments / improvement ideas

Winter projects to include:

-Comprehensive recruitment and retention plan

-ISO Audit preparation

-20 year apparatus replacement plan

-Comprehensive staff command and control training

GLFPD Christmas party location selected

Community Partnerships / Pub Ed

Trails Alliance Steering Committee

GCEMS departure from GL - Community input...

Town workshop on Nov 13

BOCC mtg TBS

Fire Chiefs meeting with GC GIS to clarify response zones / protocols