



Emergency Services

Director of Emergency Services— Steve Brockbank



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Trent Lakes Fire Rescue Overview

- 2021 Population:* 6,439
(approx. 10 fold increase seasonally)
- Total Private Dwellings:* 5,750
- Land Area in SqKM:* 861.32 SQKM
- Total Municipal Roads: 291.8KM
- Private Roads (Fire Routes): 246.8KM
- County Roads: 115.9KM
- Provincial Highway: 1.2KM

- Private Land: 95,751 Acres
- Crown Land: 12,239 Acres
- Highland Signature Park: 2,515 Acres
- Private Land within Crown: 16,751 Acres
- Total Including Water Mass: 206,182 Acres

Personnel:

- Number of Fire Halls: 4
- Number of District Chiefs: 3
- Number of Captains: 8
- County SRU Team Members: 5
- We also have a Full Time Chief, Deputy Chief, Fire Prevention Inspector, Training Coordinator, and Fire Administrator. Based at Station 4

Apparatus:

- Pumpers: 4
- Pumper Tankers: 3
- Rescue Trucks: 5
- Heavy Rescue Trucks: 2
- ATV's: 3
- Boats: 3
- Administrative Pick-Ups: 2

Fire Rescue Team – Director of Emergency Services – Steve Brockbank

- 25 years of service (Firefighter for 5 years, District Chief for 7 years, Deputy Chief for 10 years, Fire Chief 3)
- Municipal Employee for 25 years
- Certified ATV/UTV instructor
- AHJ for Fireworks



Committees and Positions:

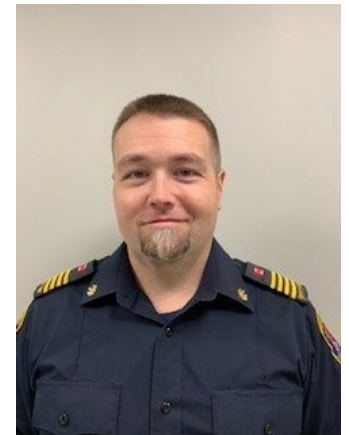
- Board of Directors/Vice President of the Eastern Ontario Emergency Training Center
- County/City 911 Next Gen Dispatch Committee
- Committee member of for Peterborough Paging/Radios
- County of Peterborough Fire Chiefs
- Alternate Community Emergency Management Co-Ordinator
- Health & Safety Committee member

Fire Rescue Team – Deputy Fire Chief: Shaun Moore

- BA in Political Science with a focus in Law
- Firefighter for 3 years, Fire Prevention/Training Officer 4 ½ yrs, Deputy Fire Chief ½ year
- Provincially certified firefighter, NFPA Evaluator
- AHJ for Fireworks

Committees and Positions:

- Member of the Special Rescue Unit for Peterborough County & Instructor
- Adjunct Instructor & Examiner for OFC
- Health & Safety Committee



Fire Rescue Team –

Fire Prevention Inspector-To be hired

- Primary responsibility is to enforce and ensure compliance with legislation, codes, standards, and where necessary, assist in the litigation process.
- Supports, develops, and conducts Public Education Duties as required.
- Conducts fire investigations, liaise with municipal and provincial agencies,
- Provide advice and direction to businesses, community, and stakeholder groups as well as the local media.

Training Coordinator – To be hired

- Responsible for the planning, promoting and directing of the Fire Department Training Program and use of department training resources in compliance with Department policies and operating guidelines as well as legislative requirements pertaining to Firefighter training.

Fire Rescue Team – Fire Administrative Assistant/CEMC- Susan Jackett

- Diploma in Business Administration
- Diploma in Public Administration
- Over 24 years of municipal administrative experience
- 7 years experience working for emergency service department
- CEMC for Trent Lakes (Community Emergency Management Coordinator)
- Assist in all daily operations of the department
- President for the Peterborough CEMC association



Fire Rescue Team – Volunteer Firefighters

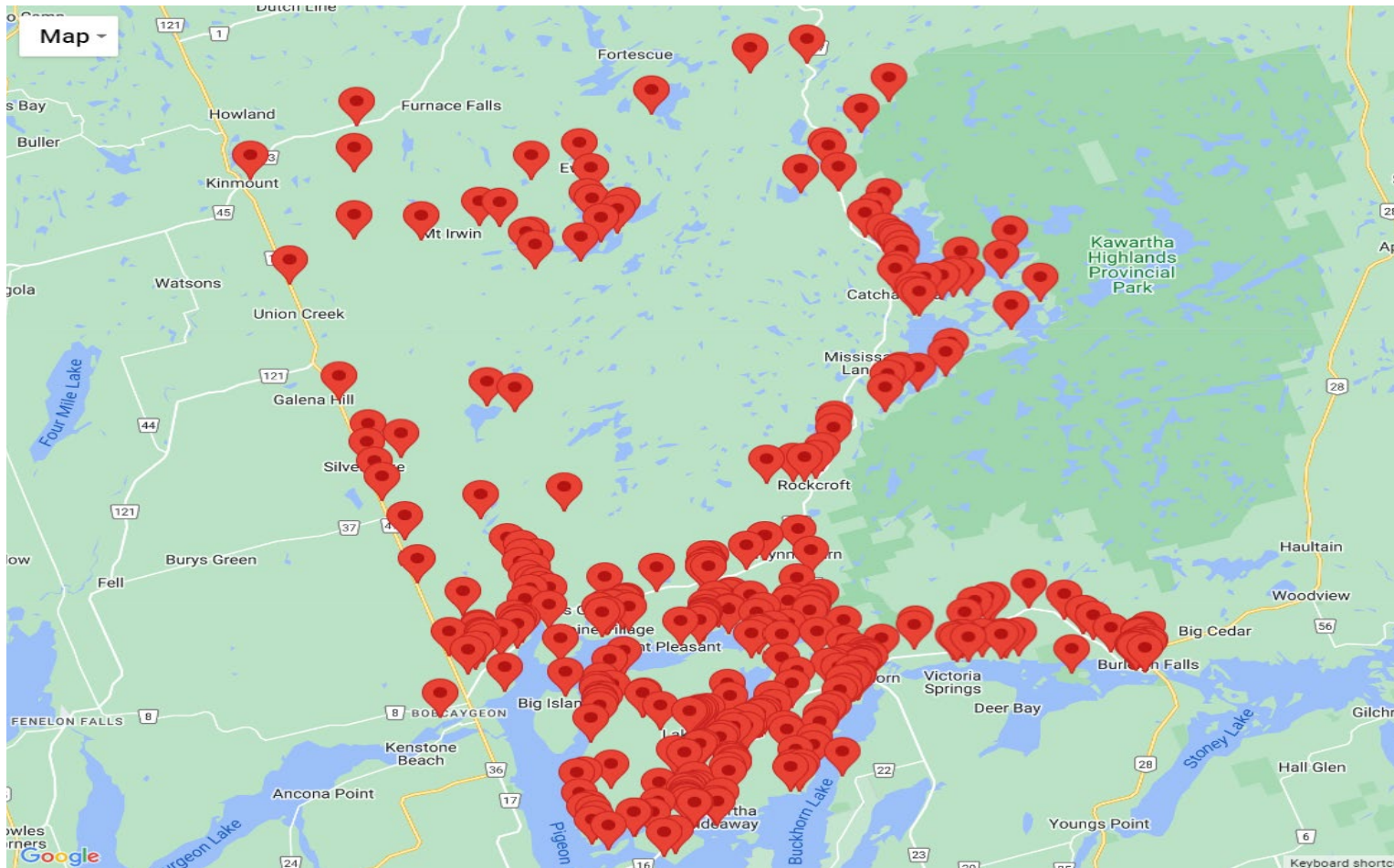
- Our firefighters have a wide variety of experience and years of service.
- Years of service range from new recruits to 40 years experience.
- Our department is currently comprised of 50 members which includes
 - 3 District Chiefs
 - 8 Captains
 - Public Educator
- Perform many Public Education events



What does Fire Rescue do?

- We provide services which consist of – Medicals(chest pains, drug/alcohol issues, injuries, medical issues, shortness of breath, seizures, etc), Carbon Monoxide/Smoke Alarms, Gas leaks, False Alarms, Lift Assists, Motor Vehicle Accidents, Uncontrolled Burns, Burn Complaints, Fires, Floods, Boat & Off-road vehicle rescue, Boat & Off-road vehicle accidents, Ice & Water Rescue, Assistance to Police and other agencies, Public Service, Power Lines down, weather related emergencies, other rescues.
- 2012 – 325 calls for service
- 2019 - 435 calls for service
- 2020 - 537 calls for service
- 2021 - 527 calls for service
- 2022 - 449 calls for service up until Oct 31 2022
- Emergency calls continue to rise along with general inquiry, if anyone in the public is unsure who to call, they call the fire department. Normal questions answered daily about Open-Air Burning, Fire Related Insurance questions such as Shuttle Tank Certification & distance to fire halls, Fire Hydrants, fire extinguishers, smoke detectors, CO detectors, and water levels in spring and fall.

2022 Incidents to date



Additional Services

Other Services we provide:

- Fire Inspections
- Fire Prevention
- Emergency Management and Planning
- Public Education –School Visits, Library Events, Day Care, Community Care Events, Buckhorn, Cavendish and Kinmount Community Centre events, Trailer Parks, Cottage Associations
- Training
- Public Appearances –Remembrance Day

Legislation

What/who are we governed by?

- Ministry of Community Safety & Correctional Services- Office of the Fire Marshall and Emergency Management (OFMEM) -Fire Protection and Prevention Act and all associated regulations under this Act, Fire Code, Municipal Fire Protection Guidelines
- Ministry of Natural Resources -Forest Fires Prevention Act
- Ministry of Labour -Occupational Health and Safety Act – Section 21 Health and Safety Guidance Notes for fire services in Ontario
- Ministry of Transportation - Highway Traffic Act
- National Fire Protection Association (NFPA)
- Provincial Offences Act
- Public Services Health & Safety
- Municipality – By-laws and Policies

Legislative Requirements

How we enforce our governance?

- Standard Operating Guidelines (As per our Level of Service)

Mandatory Services:

- Emergency Management Plan
- Public Education Program
- Fire Prevention
- Community Risk Assessment
- Mandatory Training Certification
- Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) Prevention Plan
- Provide such other fire protection services as it determines may be necessary in accordance with its needs and circumstances. (E & R By-law)
- Rescue Services

Association Activities & Donations

- Car Wash Fundraiser
- Boot Drives
- Community Centre Events
- Christmas Parade
- Assisting in Public Education Events



2019/20 Donations

- GC Library Auction - \$100.00
- Kinmount & Area Foodbank - \$500.00
- Camp Bucko - \$3,500.00
- TL Outreach - \$3,000.00
- CMHA Team 55 - \$750.00
- TL Hamper Fund - \$100.00
- K.L. Firefighter - \$250.00

2020/21 Donations

- TL Hamper Fund - \$300.00
- Kinmount Legion - \$300.00
- Kinmount & Area Foodbank - \$300.00
- TL Outreach - \$1,400.00

2021/22 Donations

- TL Hamper Fund - \$600.00
- Kinmount Legion - \$300.00
- Kinmount & Area Foodbank - \$300.00
- TL Outreach - \$1,400.00



The Future

- Firefighter recruitment and retention
- Training and Mandatory Certification(Legislation changes and implementations)
- Community Risk Assessment
- Service Level review
- Succession planning for all positions
- Fire code inspection and prevention enforcement including smoke alarms and carbon monoxide alarms
- Provincial Legislative Requirements
- Next Gen 911 & dispatch challenges
- Climate change
- Infrastructure requirements – New Stations
- Population expansion and growth
- Standard Operating Guidelines
- Working within the vision of Council to meet the needs of all ratepayers and our community
- Trailer Parks
- Public Education
- New Construction Development
- Master Fire Plan

Ontario Fire Department Facts

Total Number of
Departments: 441

Total Count and Breakdown by Type	Complement Breakdown by Type
Total # of Full-Time Detachments: 32	Total # of Full-Time Firefighters: 11,574
Total # of Composite Departments: 215 (Including 1 Northern Fire Protection Department)	Total # of Volunteer Firefighters: 18,772
Total # of Volunteer Departments: 194 (Including 48 Northern Fire Protection Departments)	Total # of Part-Time Firefighters: 620