

Annual Report



WAHOO EMS

MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF

2018 was an exciting and busy year for Wahoo EMS. It was the busiest year on record for this department in terms of requests for service. With increased call volume, an increase of responsibility on our primarily volunteer workforce occurs. Though some incidents gave us challenges, I can comfortably report that the Wahoo EMS department was able to staff every one of them adequately.

Over the last year some major things happened affecting our agency including the Weston Rural Fire District forfeiting their EMS license. The Wahoo EMS Department is now covering their district through an interlocal agreement. In December, we implemented “duty crews” to share the responsibility of overnight calls for our staff. This is one of the ways we have adapted and changed to assure all calls get covered.

The year was filled with lots of success stories and I can say with certainty that the City of Wahoo and surrounding areas should be proud of the Emergency Medical Services they receive.

I am pleased to present you with the Department of Emergency Medical Services’ Annual Report for the calendar year 2018.

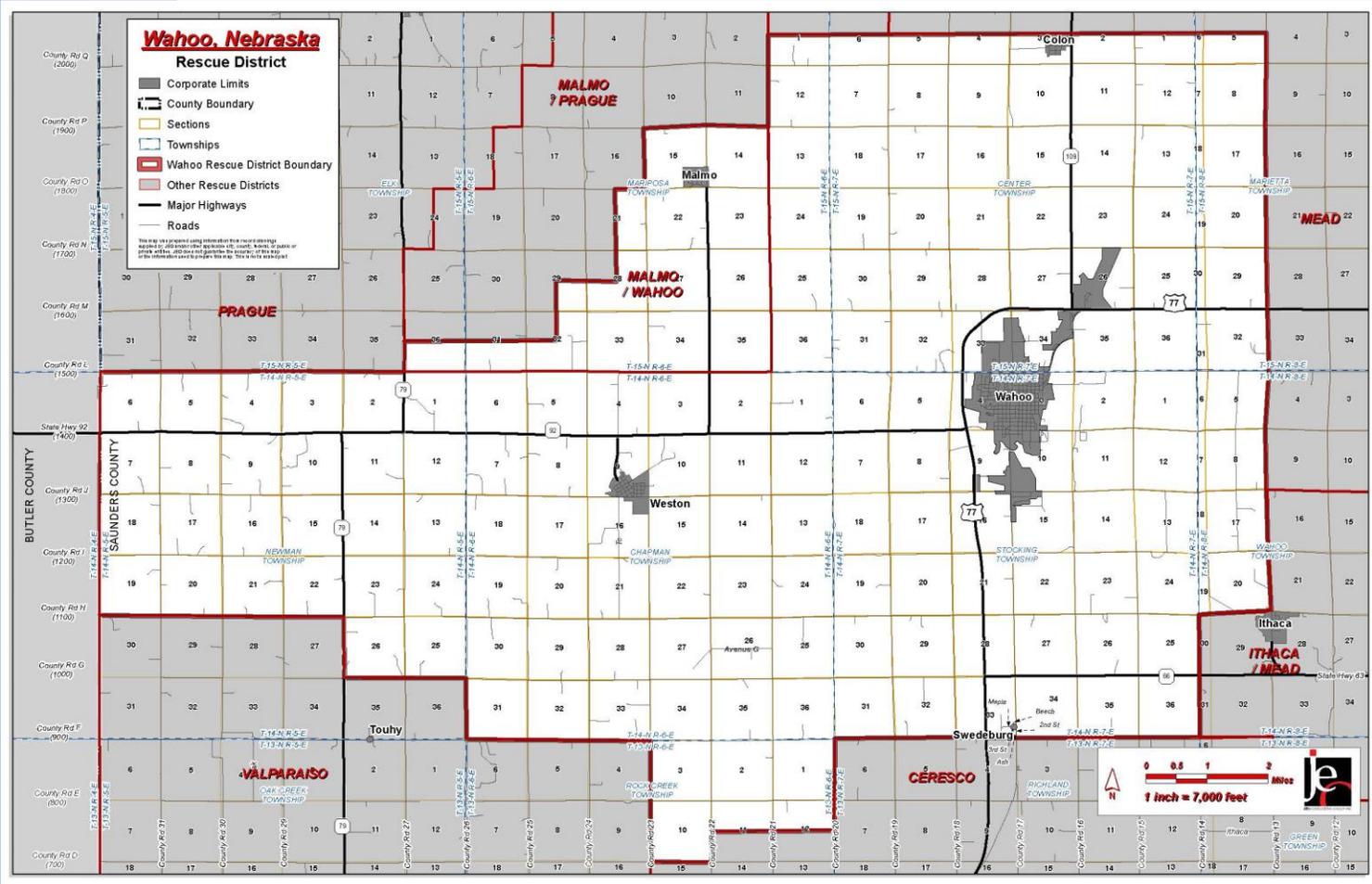
Sincerely,

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Grant Anderson

EMS Chief

WAHOO EMS Response Area



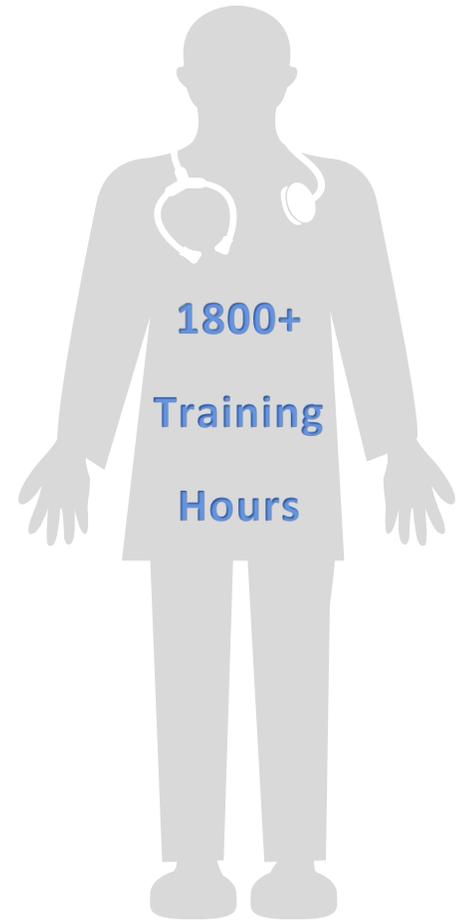
Effective April 1, 2018

2018 Personnel

Paramedics - 6

EMT's - 21

Non-Licensed Members - 10



Paramedic (ALS) Available – 64% of Calls

Top Volunteer Responder – Chris Kems (336 Responses)

13 Personnel Responded to Over 100 Calls



Mass Casualty Drill



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Lifenet 1-3, EMS Chief Anderson, and Cardiac Arrest Survivor



EMS 599 – Lifenet Inbound

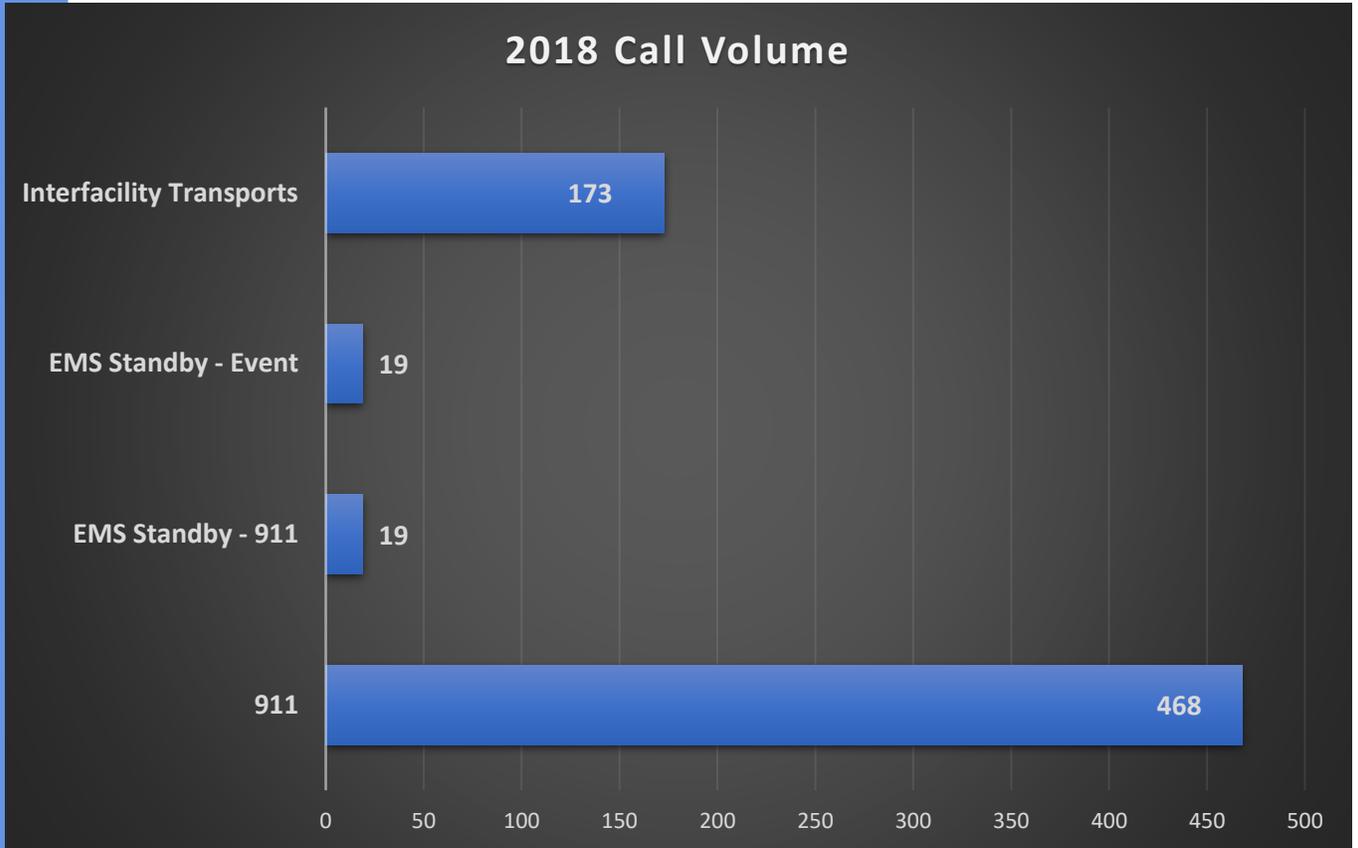


Annual EMS Competencies



National Night Out with Wahoo PD

CALL VOLUME

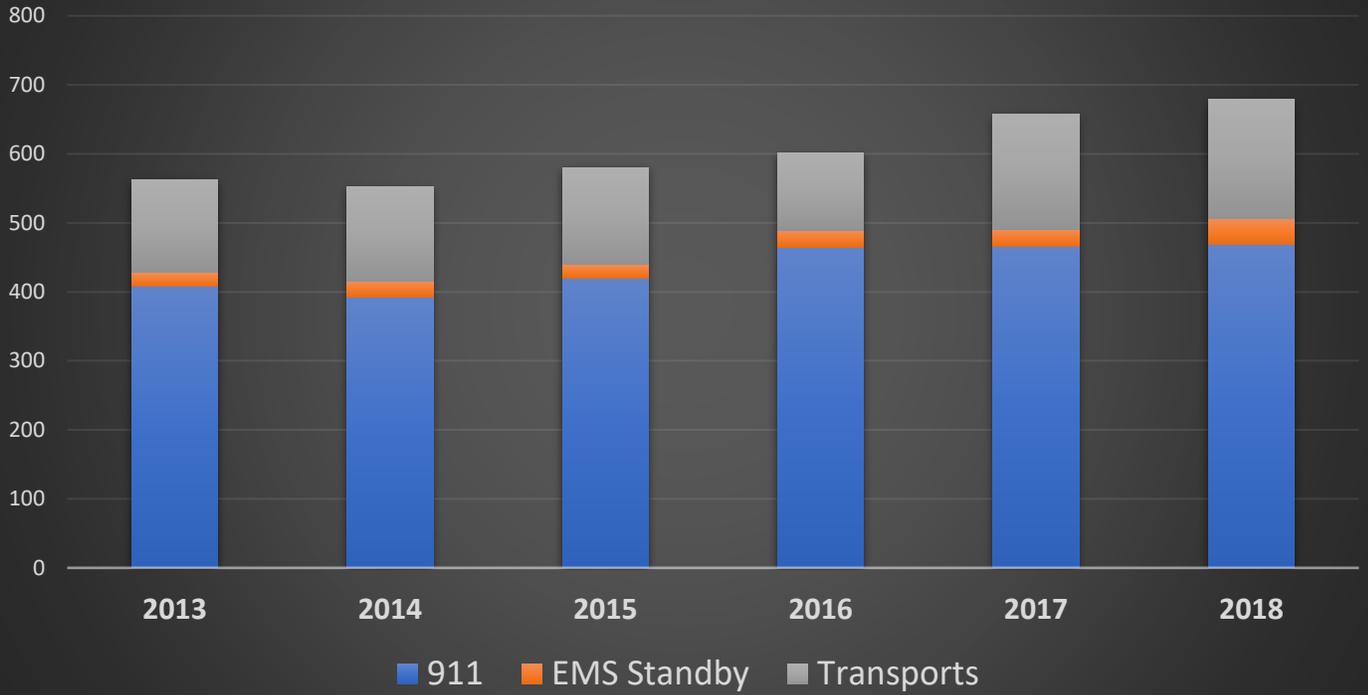


Busiest Day(s) – January 3rd, August 4th, August 31st (7 Incidents)

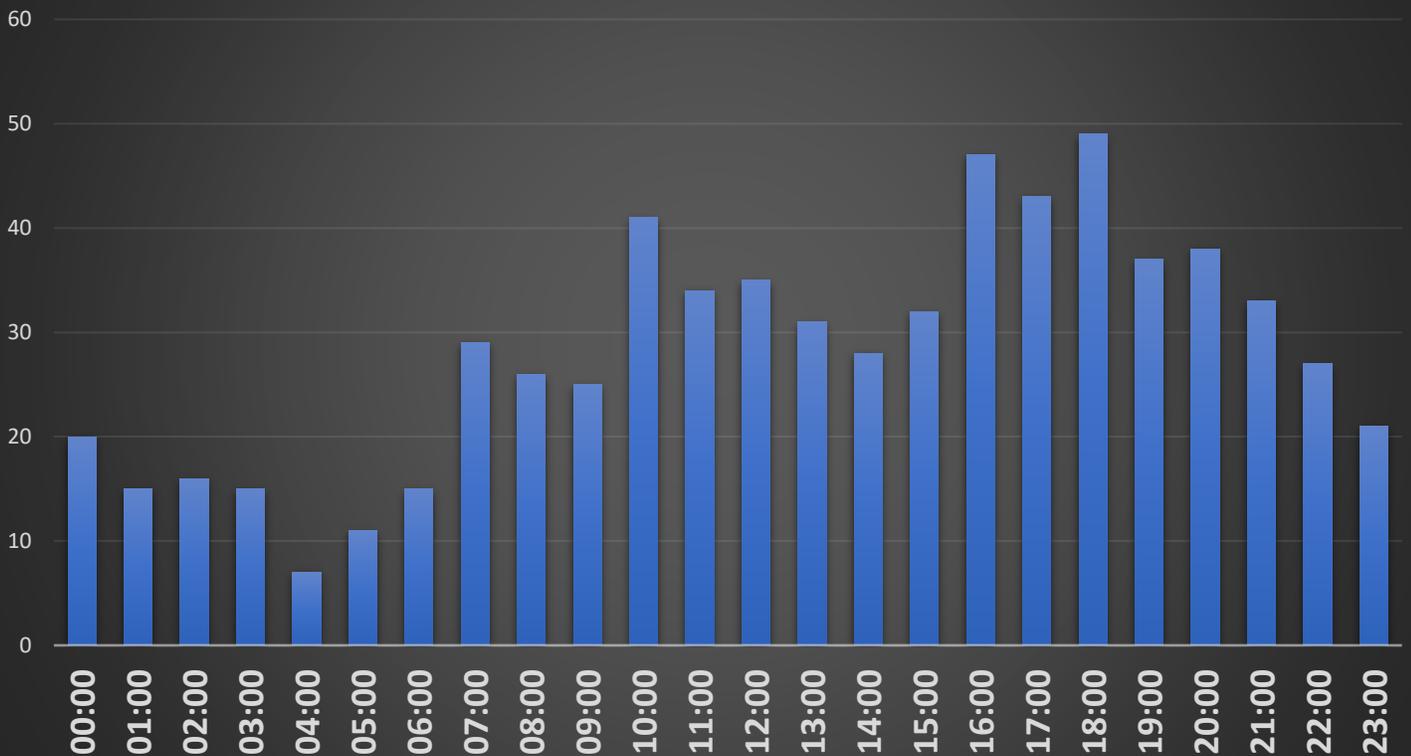
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(Time of Dispatch to Time En Route)

Total Miles Transported – 6,550

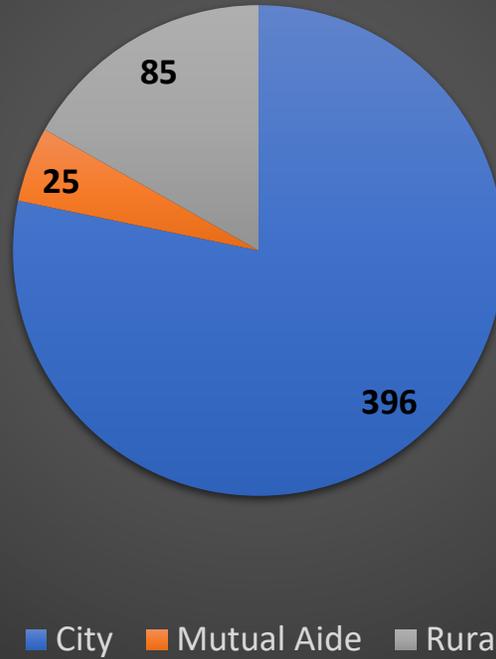
Annual Trending



Annual Call Volume by Hour of Day



Total 911/Standby Responses By Location



Busiest Month – August (73 Calls)

Average # Of Responders Per 911 Call - 6

Most Common Complaints – Traumatic Injury & Chest Pain



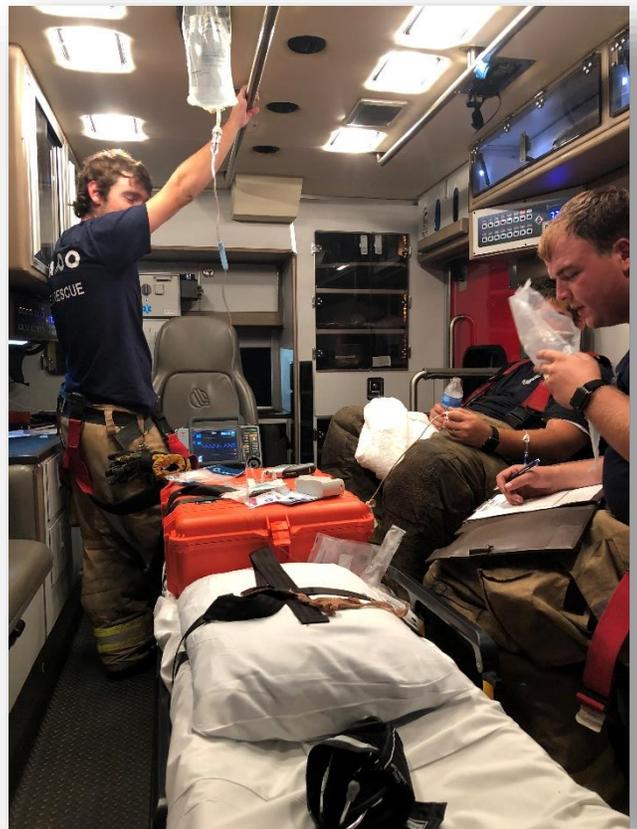
EMS Standby – Cross Country Meet



Inventory Checks



2018 Open House



Firefighter Rehab/Training