

# Monthly Departmental Report

## Fire Department

### March 2025

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#### RESPONSES (February)

	<u>Town of Amherst</u>	<u>District 2</u>
Electrical fire	2	
Carbon Monoxide detector activated	1	
Evacuation assist	1	
Hazardous materials		1
Monitored alarm	4	1
Motor vehicle accidents	1	
Flue fire	1	
Smell of smoke / Air quality check	1	
<b>Total events</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>2</b>

#### PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

##### Weekly Fire Fighter Training

During the month of February, the fire department focused it's training on forcible entry, search & rescue patterns, wildfire response training.

##### Junior Firefighter Program

The focus of the junior firefighters' program is to provide youth with theory and hands on training related to firefighter duties. This is completed though weekly training and weekend training sessions once a month. During the month of February, the juniors spent a fair amount of time focusing on hands on training related to forcible entry, search & rescue and wildfire firefighting equipment.

#### RECRUITMENT

The fire department continues to look for new members to join our team. For more information on becoming a member of the Amherst fire department, please go to [www.amherst.ca/volunteer-firefighter.html](http://www.amherst.ca/volunteer-firefighter.html)

#### TASK UPDATES

Task: No open tasks at this time
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