FIRE OPERATIONS REPORT

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September 2026

Presented to Harris County ESD 29 Board of Commissioners

Data Period: September 1–30, 2026

Key Performance Metrics

September 2026 Summary

118	6:08	9:03	117
Total Incidents	**Avg Response Time**	**90th %ile Response**	**Apparatus Responses**
Primary incident records	Alarm to arrival	Emergent calls	All units dispatched

Note: Response times exclude cancelled incidents. Apparatus count exceeds incident count due to multi-unit responses.

Monthly Call Trends

September 2025 – September 2026

153	108	118	108–153
Peak (Nov 2025)	Low (Apr 2026)	Sep 2026	13-Month Range

Total Incidents by Month

Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep
118	137	153	139	138	115	129	108	114	119	113	109	118

Call volume peaked in November 2025 (153) and declined through early 2026, reaching a low of 108 in April. September 2026 returned to 118 — matching September 2025. Volume has remained within a 45-incident band across the 13-month period.

Major Incident Categories

118 Total Incidents

Medical	**55**	46.6%
Public Service	**22**	18.6%
No Emergency	**17**	14.4%
Hazardous Situation	**11**	9.3%
Fire	**10**	8.5%
Undefined	**2**	1.7%
Rescue	**1**	0.8%

KEY INSIGHT

Medical calls dominate volume (nearly 47%). Public Service and No Emergency represent significant non-emergent workload. Fire-related incidents are 8.5% of activity.

Top Primary Incident Types

Leading call categories

Incident Type	Count	% of Total
Fall	13	11.02%
Cancelled	11	9.32%
Fire Alarm	10	8.47%
Breathing Problems	9	7.63%
Motor Vehicle Collision	9	7.63%
Gas Leak / Gas Odor	7	5.93%
Cardiac Arrest	5	4.24%

Incident Count by Apparatus

117 total apparatus responses

E11	E12	D10	E10	T10
78	32	20	11	5
responses	responses	responses	responses	responses

E11 carried the majority of the workload. E12 was the secondary engine. Tanker (T10) utilization remained limited.

Response Time Performance

First arriving apparatus • All categories

Metric	Average	90th Percentile	Longest
Alarm Handling	00:54	01:42	03:56
Turnout	01:29	02:21	03:46
Travel	04:41	07:33	16:16
Total Response	06:08	09:03	17:03

Overlapping calls: 10 incidents (8.47%).

Mutual Aid Summary

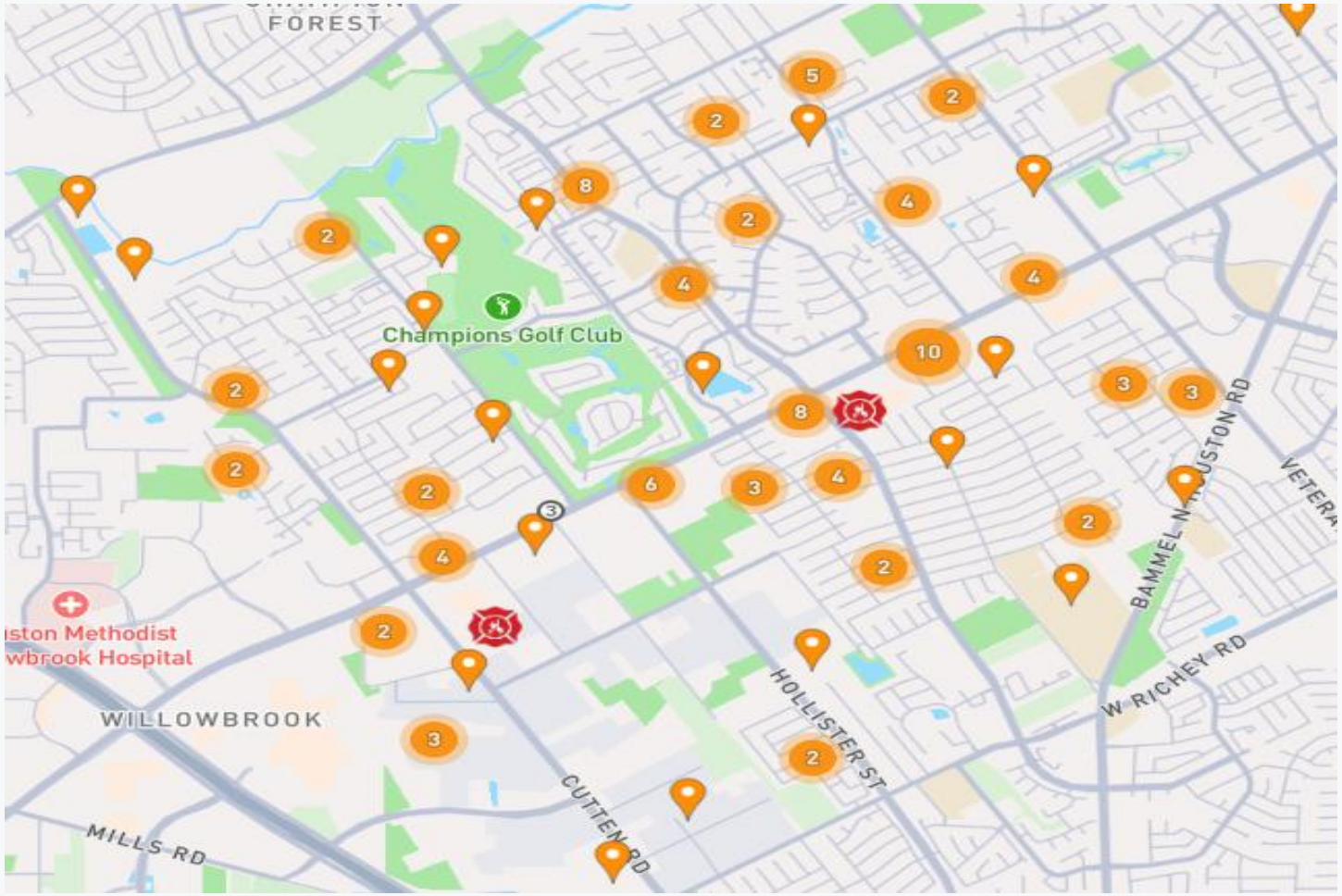
Given: 5 • Received: 2

Department	Given	Received
Cy-Fair Fire Department	1	0
Cypress Creek Fire Department	2	0
Klein Fire Department	1	1
Northwest Volunteer Fire Department	1	1

Net mutual aid provided to neighboring departments.

Incident Geographic Distribution

September 2026 call locations



OBSERVATIONS

Incidents distributed across the district with concentrations near major roadways.

Summary & Observations

September 2026

Volume	118 incidents processed. Medical (55) comprises the core emergency workload.
Response Times	Average total response of 6:08. 90th percentile at 9:03. Travel time is the primary contributor.
Apparatus	E11 handled the majority of responses. Strong engine coverage; limited ladder utilization.
Mutual Aid	Net provider of mutual aid (5 given vs 2 received). Positive regional collaboration.
Non-Emergent	Significant portion of calls classified as No Emergency or Public Service. Opportunity for demand management review.

Car Seat Activity

2026 Year-to-Date (January – October)

40

Families Served

47

Seat Instructions

HCC Event

September Activity
(not in seat total)

Monthly Seats Distributed

Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct
2	8	2	5	6	6	10	6	—	2

September reported as HCC Event and excluded from seat totals. Peak month: July with 10 seats distributed.

Thank You

Questions & Discussion

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