

CUMBERLAND COUNTY FIRE CHIEF'S ASSOCIATION
Cumberland County, North Carolina

Monthly meeting January 25, 1988, Stoney Point Fire Department.

The meeting was called to order and invocation was given by Chaplain Junior McLean. Roll call was taken and there were 23 departments and 11 associate members present. Minutes from the December 1987 meeting were read and approved. Treasures for January 1988 was presented and approved.

GUEST: Larry Lewis with Kelly/Springfield was present and ask that he become an associate member of the association representing Kelly/Springfield Fire Brigade. There was a roll call vote and by majority this request was granted to Larry Lewis as an associate member of the Cumberland County Fire Chief,s Association effective 1-25-88.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Mobile Air Units

- A. Chief Jimmy Goodman ask that all Fire Chief,s review the SOP,s for response of the mobile units in the county and try not to wait so late on calling for there assistance when they are needed. Try and call early if you think you will use 1/2 of your bottle capacity.
NOTE=====AIR 981 at station 9=====AIR 400 at station 2.

2. Stationary Air Units

- A. There was some discussion about the county unit at Central Maintenance on safe operation and the association was advised by Fire Marshal Koonce that the person in charge of the unit was David Cameron with the Cumberland County Rescue Squad and that he was trained for the operations of the unit. Also the county unit should be back in service within the next week.
- B. The association was advised that anytime the county unit was down for repairs that the unit at station was available to all county depts.

3. FireFighters Roster

- A. Fire Marshal Arnold Koonce ask that all Fire Chief,s please forward to his office a current roster of all firefighters including, NAME, ADDRESS, SS#, PH#. Any department needing assistance on preparing this roster, contact the Fire Marshal,s office.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

1. Education & Training

- A. Chairman Mike Middleton advised that the committee had appointed Richard Jones with station as Vice Chairman.
- B. Chairman Middleton advised the association of the upcoming Eastern Fire Seminar and ask that all Cumberland County stations please support the seminar and take advantage of some very outstanding classes available this year.
- C. Gerry Bloom reported on the FireFighter I, II, III standards and stated that any individual firefighter wishing to turn his class certifications in, that he would send them to Raleigh for State certification if they so desired.

2. Planning & Research

- A. Chairman Pete Piner had some discussion about fire departments using a bulk buying system for equipment and reported that he would be working on a standard type ordering form, there is to be further information on this system at the next meeting.

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3. Standards & Mutual Aid

- A. Chairman James Berry advised the association that the committee had appointed Chief Roddy Bullard as Vice Chairman.
- B. There was some discussion about sending air units out on automatic response.
- C. The committee ask that all departments review F.D. SOP,s.
- D. There was some discussion about getting together with Doc Nunnery and looking into the possibility of having special units assigned to special area,s for automatic response.
- E. The committee ask all stations to identify there vehicle,s using the new numbering system with 6" white reflective numbers on the front and side windows. Any department wishing to do this can contact James Berry or David Chavis to look at the way they have identified their vehicles.

4. Communications


- A. Chairman Kevin Herndon advised that the committee had appointed Doc Nunnery as the Vice Chairman.
- B. Departments were asked if they were having any problems with the new numbering sytem or verbal communications. There was no comment.
- C. There was some discussion concerning the required numbers on tops of vehicles requested by forestry being impossible to change. The members were advised to leave the numbers as they were if they could not be replaced.
- D. There was some discussion concerning out-of-town radio traffic and Doc Nunnery advised the members that he was aware of this problem and that the county was working on ways to help with this problem with a new type communications system to be reported on in the near future.

5. Public Relations No Report

NEW BUSINESS:

1. There was a motion and second for requesting the approval of the Cumberland County Commissioners to appoint Commissioner Johnny Evans as Fire Commissioner.
2. President Freddy Johnson ask the members to think about supporting local politicians for our county and state.
3. Fire Marshal Arnold Koonce reported that the NCFIRS computer has not yet been connected to Raleigh but would be done shortly, he ask that all departments please turn in their reports each month. His office also requested that departments having a large number of calls to turn their reports in every week if possible.
4. Fire Marshal Koonce advised the association that the Fire Chiefs and firefighters of this county could and should support local politic,s.
5. Fire Marshal Koonce advised that station 13 is now supporting and funding the Lake Upchurch F.D. and the the two departments are now one district being directed by Chief Freddy Johnson.
6. Chief Mike Middleton reported that station 7 would be out of service 1-30-88 for training at Fort Bragg.
7. There was a request by President Freddy Johnson that the association purchase a tape recorder for the use of recording minutes of the meetings. This motion was approved.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 10:15 p.m.
The February meeting will be announced at a later date.

Respectfully submitted,

David R. Chavis, Secretary

CUMBERLAND COUNTY FIRE CHIEF'S ASSOCIATION

RECORD OF ROLL CALL VOTE

PROPOSAL/RECOMMENDATION: Larry Lewis with Kelly/Springfield Fire Brigade to become
an associate member of the Cumberland County Fire Chief,s Association

STATION	YES/FOR	NO/AGANIST
1	X	
2	X	
3	X	
4	X	
5	X	
6	X	
7	X	
9	X	
10	X	
11	X	
12	X	
13	X	

STATION	YES/FOR	NO/AGANIST
14		ABSENT
15	X	
16	X	
17	X	
18	X	
19	X	
20	X	
21	X	
22	X	
23		ABSENT
24	X	
26	X	
City FD	X	

TOTAL: YES/FOR 24
 NO/AGANIST 0
 OTHER 2 Stations Absent

1988 Cumberland County Chief's Association Committee Rosters by Stations approved
January 25th 1988.

Executive Committee

Freddy L. Johnson Sr.	President		Fire Commissioner
Jeff F. Hall	Vice-President	Neil Yarborough	County Attorney
David Chavis	Secretary		
Wayne Burns	Treasurer		
Arnold J. Koonce	Fire Marshall		
Junior McLean	Chaplain		

Education & Training

Station 07 - ~~Mike Middleton~~ ^{Alan Pinn} - Chairman
Station 10 - Richard Jones - V-Chairman
Station 05 - Terry Winstead
Station 10 - Terry Riley
Station 20 - Ronnie Godwin
Station 22 - Pat Stevens
FTI - Gerry Bloom
FF Assoc. - Doug McKinney

Planning & Research

Fay City - Pete Piner - Chairman
~~Station 13~~ - Arvin Freeman - V-Chairman
X Station 01 - Vance Melvin
X Station 06 - Roy Duke
X Station 21 - Ronald West
~~KS Brigade~~ - Larry Lewis

Standards & Mutual Aid

Station 15 - James Berry - Chairman
Station 02 - Roddy Bullard - V-Chairman
Station 03 - P.A. Reeves
Station 23 - David Cashwell
Station 26 - Richard Bullard

Public Relation & Fire Liason

Station 11 - Jeffrey Oliver - Chairman
Station 14 - Bill Clark
Station 16 - Jackie Lee
Station 24 - Joe Marsh

Communications

Station 18 - Kevin Herndon - Chairman
EOC - Doc Nunnerey - V-Chairman
Station 09 - Jimmy Goodman
Station 12 - Bill Autry
Station 17 - James McIntyre
Station 04 - Owen Harris
CERT - Benny E. Nichols
EM - John McGinnis
Rescue - Reese Faulkner

Nomination Committee will be made up of the Chairman and Vice Chairman of each
Committee with the Fire Marshall serving as Chairman.



Cumberland Emergency Management Agency

Law Enforcement Center
131 Dick Street, Room 5
Fayetteville, North Carolina 28301
Phone 483-3903

January 6, 1988

MEMORANDUM

TO: ALL Fire Chiefs

FROM: John C. McInnis, Coordinator
Arnold Koonce, Fire Marshal

SUBJECT: Stationary Air System Update

The Stationary Air System housed at the Central Maintenance Facility, as you know, has been down for some time. The system, purchased in 1976, is the victim of considerable wear and tear. To solve the problem, the compressor and other parts must be replaced. Funds were made available and work is now progressing. It is expected that the system will be back in service in about 3 weeks.

In the meantime, and anytime in the future when similar circumstances exist:

1. Request the Mobile Air System, in emergencies, in accordance with adopted procedures.
2. Go to Station 10 with mobile cascade systems for refilling, during normal work hours. Mobile systems should not be used to refill other mobile systems under most circumstances. Stationary cascade systems will, of course, be refilled by the mobile system by appointment.
3. If possible, wait until normal work hours for the refilling of any air bottles. Air service is available from the stationary system at Station 10 and the mobile systems at Stations 2 and 9.

You will be notified as soon as the county stationary system is back in service.

STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURES
MOBILE AND STATIONARY AIR SYSTEMS

The following is operating procedures and organizational guidelines for the mobile and stationary air systems.

I. MOBILE AIR SYSTEM

The priorities of response are as follows:

- A. Life Threatening Incidents (Any Situation)
 - B. Industrial Fires or Incidents
 - C. Commercial Fires or Incidents
 - D. Residential Fires:
 - 1. After use of $\frac{1}{2}$ (Half) of your stations air supply (Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus Bottles)
 - 2. During the incident and not after the incident
 - E. Non-Emergency Incidents (i.e., diving operations)
 - F. Training
 - G. Filling Stationary Cascade Systems
 - H. Filling Mobile Cascade System
1. Cumberland County is served by two Mobile Air Systems, Air 90 housed at Station 9 and Air 200 (County System) housed at Station 2. The county is geographically divided into two Air Districts. The dividing line is as follows: From the Harnett County Line and the Cape Fear River intersection; following the river until the Norfolk Southern Railway and Tree Top Drive vicinity; from there following the Norfolk Southern Railway to its intersection with the Seaboard Coastline Railroad; from there following the Seaboard Coastline Railroad to the Robeson County Line.
- Properties located on the East side of the division boundary will be served by Air 200 (Station 2) and properties located on the West side of the division boundary will be served by Air 90 (Station 9). Cumberland Central will dispatch the appropriate Air Unit. The Eastern division is designated Air Zone A and the Western division is designated Air Zone B.
2. The Cumberland County Mobile Air Unit (Air 200) is housed and operated by the Vander Fire Department under the supervision of the department chief/Coordinator, Cumberland Emergency Management Agency.

3. Routine operators maintenance on the County System (Air 200) is conducted by Station 2 personnel and all other maintenance related requirements are conducted by the Cumberland County Central Maintenance Facility under the supervision of the Facility Supervisor. Station 2 is responsible for getting the unit to and from the maintenance facility.
4. In the absence of the Coordinator, Cumberland Emergency Management Agency, assignment decisions (County Unit Only) that require a judgement falls under the following persons:
 - A. Cumberland County Fire Marshal
 - B. President, Cumberland County Fire Chief's Association
 - C. Fire Chief Station 2
5. Use of the Air Systems for training purposes is on a first come - first serve basis, and will be utilized only on MULTI-COMPANY RESPONSE EXERCISES. A seven (7) day notice is preferred. While being utilized for training purposes, the unit will be available at all times for emergency response.
6. Out of county response for Mutual-Aid assistance will be in accordance with existing agreements, and after the approval of a Charge Person listed in Paragraph 4. The System will return immediately if an in-county emergency arises and the other Air System is unavailable.
7. Request for filling Stationary Cascade Systems maintained by Fire Departments will be submitted to the appropriate District Air Unit. A lead time of 72 hours is preferred. Mobile Cascade Systems will be filled at the department where the System is housed.

II. COUNTY STATIONARY AIR SYSTEM

1. The Stationary Compressor System is located at the Cumberland County Central Maintenance Facility on Mayview Street.
2. Only Central Maintenance Facility personnel may operate this System.
3. Operating hours of Central Maintenance Facility are 0800 till 2000 (8:00 AM till 8:00 PM). After 8:00 PM (2000 Hrs.) Stationary System will be secured. On-call Central Maintenance Facility personnel will return to operate System, after being contacted by Emergency Dispatch Center personnel.
4. If the Stationary System is out of service, the Supervisor Central Maintenance Facility will notify Cumberland Central Dispatch for appropriate dissemination of information to agency users.

III. AIR BOTTLES

1. All air bottles will be marked as to how much pressure the bottle is calibrated

to hold and the hydrostatic testing date. (See example below):

Example:

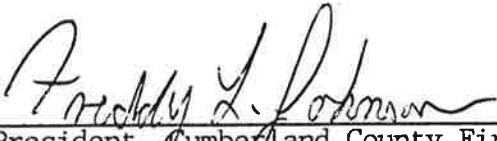
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4500 / 9-85
Pressure / Hytest

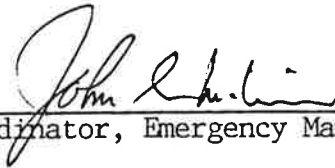
2. Marking of bottles will help the operator of the Air System in filling bottles because two bottles of different sizes cannot be filled at the same time. This will also reduce the chance of injury to the operator.

Concur:

Approved:



President, Cumberland County Fire
Chief's Association



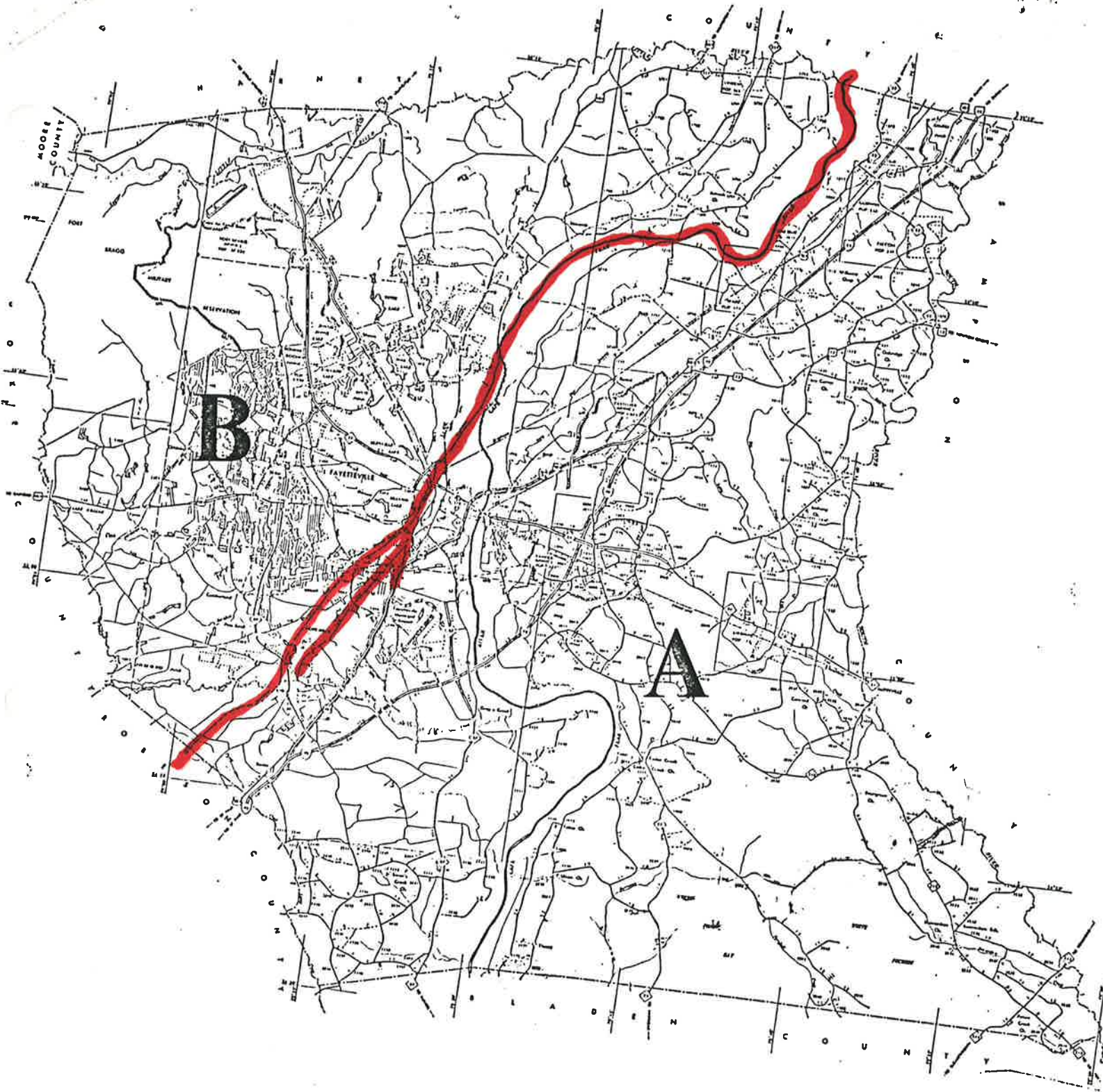
Coordinator, Emergency Management



Chief, Bonnie Doone Fire District



Fire Marshal, Cumberland County



Distribution:

All Fire Departments within Cumberland County
Cumberland County Sheriff's Department
Fayetteville Police Department
Hope Mills Police Department
Cumberland Emergency Response Team
Cumberland County Fire Commissioner

CUMBERLAND COUNTY FIRE CHIEF'S ASSOCIATION
Cumberland County North Carolina

SUBJECT: Appointment of Fire Commissioner

29 January 1988

Ms Mary McAllister
Chairman County Commissioners
P.O. Drawer 1829
Fayetteville, N.C. 28302


Madam Chairman

On behalf of the Cumberland County Fire Chief's Association I want to thank you for all of the support you have given us over the years in the fire service. As you know the Fire Commissioners seat has been vacant since the appointment of Sheriff Bedsole, who has served us outstandingly over the past six years.

The Fire Chief's in the County have asked me to contact you reference the appointment of a new fire commissioner. I hereby ask you to give every consideration to appoint Commissioner Bob Lewis as Fire Commissioner. I have met with Commissioner Lewis reference serving as Fire Commissioner and he has assured me that he would be honored to serve as Fire Commissioner if appointed. Commissioner Lewis has represented Commissioner Bedsole during his absences and therefore has a general knowledge of the Fire Service.

Thank You for your consideration in this matter on behalf of my association.

cf:
Commissioner Lewis
County Fire Marshall


Freddy L. Johnson Sr.
President



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February 1, 1988

Freddy L. Johnson, Sr.
President
Cumberland County Fire Chief's
Association
c/o Arnold Koonce, Fire Marshal

Dear Mr. Johnson:

The County Commissioner representative to the Fire Chief's Association for 1988 will be Robert C. Lewis, Jr. He will also be our representative to the City-County Fire Protection Liaison Committee.

Please see that Commissioner Lewis receives meeting notices. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mary Ann Dolister
Deputy Clerk to the Board

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Treasurers Report..... January 1988

Checking Account

Balance As of
1-25-88..... \$ 269.67

Credits..... \$ -0-

Begining ~~B~~alance.....\$ 269.67

Savings Account

Balance as of
1-25-88..... \$ 1,675.55

Intrest For Quarter
Oct.- Dec. \$ 20.98

Total Intrest for 1988\$ 81.70

Balance last statement.....\$ 1,654.57

Wayne C. Burns
Treasurer

COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND - EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER
NUMBER OF CALLS BY TYPE AND STATION
BY DAY FOR MONTH OF JANUARY, 1988

EDCMNTH

DATE	FIRE	C.C. RESCUE	FAY. RESCUE	STATIONS	ANS. CALLS	C.C. AMB	AGG TOTAL
1	8	21	24	01	15	62	115
2	11	16	17	02	21	46	90
3	10	12	11	03	21	32	65
4	7	15	11	04	13	38	71
5	9	19	12	05	37	52	92
6	14	14	17	06	3	49	94
7	15	32	15	07	38	58	120
8	14	19	21	08	0	62	116
9	11	31	27	09	54	67	136
10	13	17	20	10	28	64	114
11	8	24	19	11	27	68	119
12	8	20	17	12	6	58	103
13	5	13	15	13	15	42	75
14	8	17	21	14	17	52	98
15	8	30	18	15	13	61	117
16	14	16	26	16	8	52	108
17	15	17	15	17	4	41	88
18	7	23	11	18	8	60	101
19	6	6	12	19	0	39	63
20	3	19	26	20	8	64	112
21	7	11	18	21	18	44	80
22	5	16	14	22	56	50	85
23	13	21	15	23	4	51	100
24	10	15	13	24	9	40	78
25	7	9	26	26	0	57	99
26	8	6	17	FORESTRY	0	38	69
27	8	11	16	ARSON	1	42	77
28	17	10	13			45	85
29	16	9	19			44	88
30	20	17	23			57	117
31	14	17	13			40	84
				TOTAL	424		
				EQUIP 10-7	HRS		
TOTALS	319	523	542			1575	2959