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## MONTHLY REPORT SELECTMEN FIRE DEPARTMENT MARCH 2016

- March 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> Chief Murray, Superintendent Malone, and I along with the Police Chief and Fire
  Chief from Shirley attended a two day Multi-hazard Emergency Planning class for Schools held at
  the State Firefighting Academy in Stow. This is a federally funded program that teaches to a FEMA
  standard. The class teaches a framework for municipal emergency responders to establish an
  emergency plan for schools threats.
- On March 14<sup>th</sup> Captain Fillebrown attended a ceremony at Shriners Burn Hospital where students from ASRD High School were awarded second place in a contest for making a fire safety video. (picture attached)
- On March 17th, the Department took delivery of our new ambulance. It will serve as 36A1, our first-due ambulance for all medical calls. The new unit is based on a 2016 Ford F-550 truck chassis with 4 wheel drive, a new feature that wasn't included on the previous Ford E-Series models. The money for this purchase was approved at the FY-15 ATM. The new ambulance A-1 replaces the old 2009 A-1. The ambulance is a Horton Emergency Ambulance purchased through Greenwood Fire Apparatus the local dealer. The layout of the new ambulance incorporates many new safety features with airbags in the rear compartment and secure mounting for all equipment in case of an accident. (picture attached)
- Fire runs March 85
- Ambulance calls March --122
- Permit Receipts March \$1,570
- Ambulance receipts March \$36,182.21

Respectfully submitted;

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