

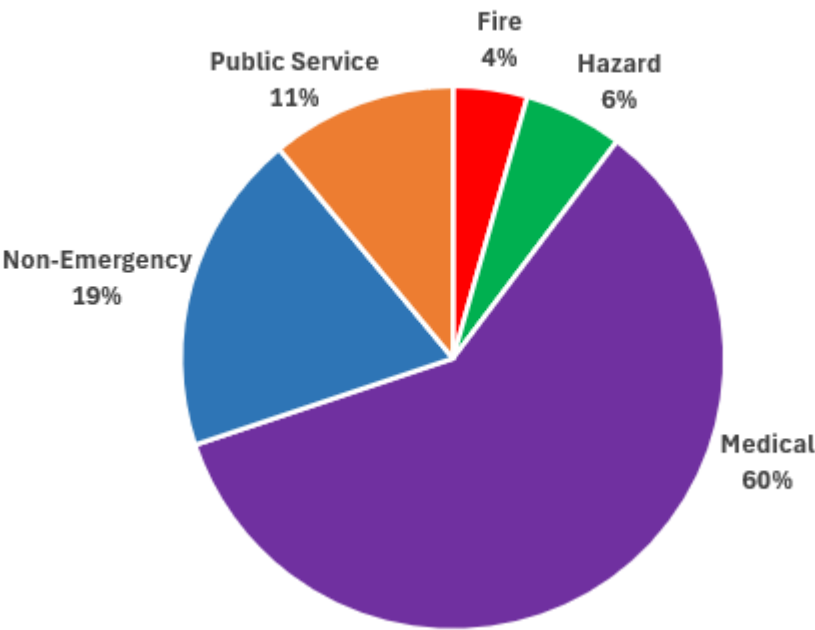


MEMORANDUM

Fire Department

DATE: August 11, 2026
TO: Dominic Lazzaretto, City Manager
FROM: Chen Suen, Fire Chief
By: Chantelle Ramos, Office Coordinator
SUBJECT: Fire Department Weekly Report

The Arcadia Fire Department responded to a variety of emergency calls during the week of August 2 - 8, 2026. The following is a breakdown of incident categories recorded for this period:



Incident Category	This Week	YTD
Fire	6	97
Hazard	8	122
Agency Assist	0	24
Medical	81	2,763
Non-Emergency	26	468
Public Service	15	299
Rescue	0	41
Other	0	9
Total Incidents	136	3,823

Sunday, August 2

At 4:18 p.m., Engine 106, Rescue Ambulance 106, and BLS 106 responded to a medical incident in the 1600 block of South Baldwin Avenue. Fire personnel found a 68-year-old male with a chief complaint of stroke-like symptoms. A full medical evaluation was performed, including vitals, twelve-lead electrocardiogram, oxygen and IV therapies. The patient was transported by Rescue Ambulance 106 to USC Arcadia Hospital for further evaluation.

Monday, August 3



At 3:08 p.m., Truck 105, Rescue Ambulance 105, Battalion 105, and units from Los Angeles County Fire Department responded to a report of a residential structure fire in the 9000 block of Duarte Road. Upon arrival, Los Angeles County Fire reported a working structure fire with pressurized smoke and fire located in the basement. Truck 105 and Rescue Ambulance 105 were assigned as the Rapid Intervention Crew for the incident. Fire crews successfully contained the fire to the room of origin, the cause of the fire is under investigation.

Tuesday, August 4

At 3:16 p.m., Engine 105, Rescue Ambulance 105, and BLS 106 responded to a medical incident at the intersection of Santa Clara Street and North First Avenue. Fire personnel found a 65-year-old female with a chief complaint of difficulty breathing. A full medical evaluation was performed, including vital signs, twelve-lead electrocardiogram, oxygen and IV therapies. The patient was transported by Rescue Ambulance 105 to USC Arcadia Hospital for further evaluation.

Wednesday, August 5

At 12:06 p.m., Engine 105, Rescue Ambulance 105, and BLS 106 responded to a medical incident in the 400 block of Ilene Drive. Fire personnel found an 87-year-old male with a chief complaint of stroke-like symptoms. A full medical evaluation was performed, including vitals, twelve-lead electrocardiogram, oxygen and IV therapies. The patient was transported by Rescue Ambulance 105 to Arcadia Hospital for further evaluation.

Thursday, August 6

At 12:18 p.m., Engine 105, Rescue Ambulance 105, and BLS 106 responded to a medical incident near the 400 block of Santa Clara Street. Upon arrival, Engine 105 and Rescue Ambulance 105 found a 77-year-old male with a complaint of a syncopal episode. Fire personnel performed a full medical evaluation which included a twelve-lead electrocardiogram, established intravenous access, and obtained a complete set

of vital signs. The patient was found to be hypotensive, and paramedics administered normal saline intravenously. Rescue Ambulance 105 transported the patient to USC Arcadia Hospital for further evaluation.

Friday, August 7

At 12:30 p.m., Engine 106, Rescue Ambulance 106, and BLS 106 responded to a medical incident near the 600 block of South Sunset Boulevard. Upon arrival, Engine 106 and Rescue Ambulance 106 found a 91-year-old female with a complaint of general weakness. Paramedics performed a thorough patient assessment, checked the patient's blood sugar, and obtained base line vital signs. Paramedics found the patient's blood sugar to be extremely elevated causing the associated symptoms. Fire personnel obtained a twelve-lead electrocardiogram, established intravenous access, and administered a fluid challenge. After receiving the intravenous fluids, the patient was transported to USC Arcadia Hospital for further treatment.

Saturday, August 8

At 1:33 a.m., Engine 106, Engine 107, Engine 32, Engine 37, Truck 32, Truck 101, Rescue Ambulance 106, Battalion 9, and Battalion 105 responded to a reported house fire near the 1100 block of Monte Verde Drive. Upon arrival, Engine 37 reported smoke showing from a single-story structure. Engine 37 personnel-initiated fire attack and pulled a 1.75" attack line to the rear of the structure. Engine 106 personnel assisted Engine 37 with water supply and pulling an additional hose line. Battalion 105 arrived on scene and established command of the incident. The Arcadia Police Department responded and provided traffic control for fire crews. Truck 32 was assigned to ventilation group and to coordinate operations with interior fire crews. Engine 32 was assigned to fire attack due to the conditions inside and needing additional personnel. Truck 105 was assigned to rapid intervention crew operations and to secure the utilities to the structure. Rescue Ambulance 106 was assigned to medical group to assist with any support functions. Once the fire was knocked down, investigators worked to determine the cause and origin of the fire. Crews remained on scene to complete overhaul operations and identify any remaining hot spots. The structure was evaluated by the Building Department and deemed unsafe for occupants. The cause of the fire is still under investigation.



Fire Prevention Bureau

	<u>This Week</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Commercial Building Plan Checks	1	44
Residential Building Plan Checks	0	63
Fire Alarm Plan Checks	0	27
Fire Sprinkler Plan Checks	2	84
Hood & Duct Plan Checks	0	5
<i>Construction Inspections</i>		
Fire Alarm Inspections	2	22
Fire Sprinkler Inspections	4	152
Hood & Duct Inspections	2	12
Occupancy Finals	1	55
<i>Other Inspections</i>		
Permit Inspections	0	14
Business License Inspections	3	62
Complaint Investigations	0	32
5-Year Sprinkler Certification Inspections	1	47
Defensible Space Assessment	4	43
<i>Annual Inspections</i>	10	481