

# MONTHLY ACTIVITY REPORT

## San Marcos Fire Rescue

February 2007

The following are highlights of services provided by San Marcos Fire Rescue for the month of February 2007. Complete statistical data are available upon request.

- The Department answered a total of **219** calls in the 28-day period. This was **7.82** calls per day or one call every **3.07** hours. Year to date calls (470) are up **12.8%** from 2006 (410 calls) and **29.6%** from 2005 (331 calls).
- Rescue and EMS calls were the most often answered calls by volume, comprising 59.36% of the total calls, followed next by Good Intent Calls at 10.5% and Fire, Hazardous Conditions and False Alarm/False Calls each at 6.85% of the total call volume.
- City wide average response time for all calls for service was **5.73** minutes. Our goal is to have fire rescue units on scene within 5-minutes 90% of the time. We were able to meet the 5-minute benchmark on 61% of the calls.
- *The department Iron Man for the month was Firefighter Scott Grunwald with 40 calls answered. Congratulations Scott!*
- C – Shift answered the most calls for service with 76 for the month, followed by A-Shift with 75 and B-Shift with 68.
- Our public safety and education programs continued with 103 citizens served during this years Fire Prevention month.

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- San Marcos Fire Rescue attended the 1st Annual Guns & Hoses Celebration at Merrill Gardens where residents and staff honored Police and Firefighters.
- San Marcos High School Career Night was attended by a company of firefighters who discussed professional firefighting as a career with students.
- Fire Administrative Staff participated in a CAPCOG Regional Disaster Drill testing interoperability among area-wide agencies.
- Fire Chiefs Baker and Nored attended the Central Texas Fire Chief's Association meeting in Cedar Park to discuss leadership and management roles, Incident Command and personnel matters.
- Chief Nored attended a week-long training school at the Center for Domestic Preparedness in Alabama, funded by Homeland Security, where he trained on managing incidents involving nerve agents such as VX and sarin.
- Administrative staff attended the City's Citizen Relationship Management and Laserfiche Training.





Brad Mason takes the Oath of Service for San Marcos Fire Rescue.  
Brad started with the department on January 12, 2007.

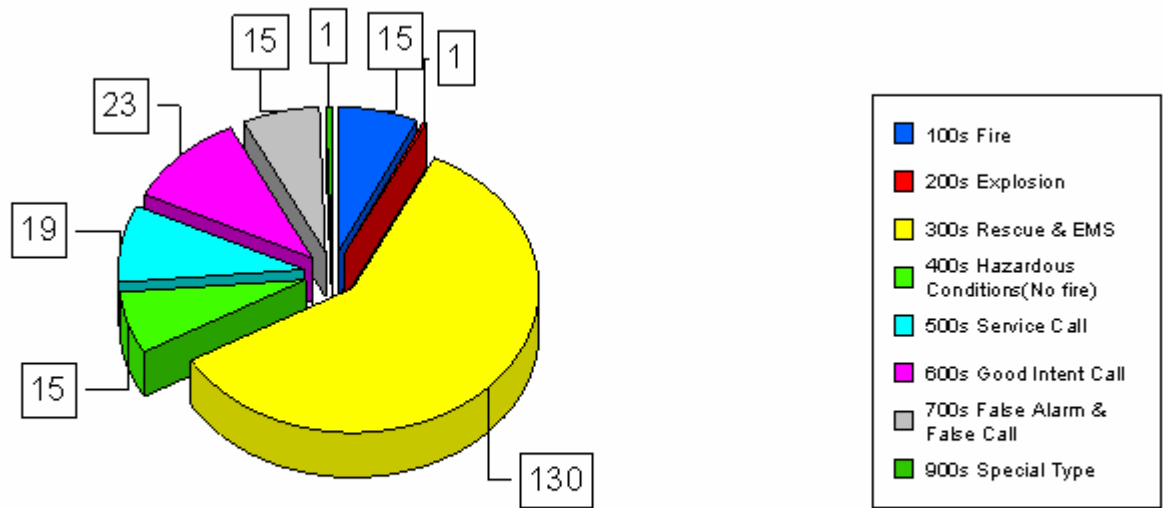


Fellow Firefighters welcome their new brother, Brad Mason at the  
City's Municipal Courtroom Celebration.  
Everyone noted this is the first City event they ever attended where all the cake was eaten!!

Our Smoke Detector Hot-Line number is 512.393.8484. Please call us if you need a smoke detector or have questions about how many you need and where they need to go in your home.



## Incident Report, By Type Of Incident



*Graphed Items are sorted by Incident Type*

**Type Of Incident:**

**Total Of Incidents:**

**Percentage Value:**

100 Series-Fire	15	6.85%
200 Series-Explosion	1	0.46%
300 Series-Rescue & EMS	130	59.36%
400 Series-Hazardous Conditions(No fire)	15	6.85%
500 Series-Service Call	19	8.68%
600 Series-Good Intent Call	23	10.50%
700 Series-False Alarm & False Call	15	6.85%
900 Series-Special Type	1	0.46%

**Grand Total: 219**

**Type Of Incident Most Frequent: 300 Series-Rescue & EMS**