

THE 5-11 CLUB CHICAGO

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CAN YOU NAME THIS FIREHOUSE. IT MAY BE A CURRENT OR RETIRED STATION. ANSWER CAN BE FOUND ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS NEWSLETTER.



The following departments have taken delivery of their new apparatus.

Chicago has taken delivery of more E One Truck going to Truck 2, 3, 4, 17, 29 47.

Newport Twp. (Lake County) Took delivery of a new Custom Cab & Body Works Spartan Metro Star 1500/1500/50

Flossmoor (Cook County) took delivery of a new Rosenbauer Commander 75 ft. Mid mount Tower Ladder for Truck 19

Lockport Fire District (Will County) Took delivery of a new IHC/Hackney Squad No.6

Troy FPD. (Will County) Took delivery of a new Rosenbauer Commander Engine 2211 1500/750.

Elmwood Park (Cook County) Took delivery of a Pierce Enforcer PUC Ascendent Quint 945 1500/750

IMPORTANT DATES



November 1, 2020 Daylight Savings Ends. Set your clocks back 1 hour and change your battery in your smoke detector.

November 3, 2020 Election day. Please remember to vote.

2-11 Alarm w/a Level 1 HAZMAT 1001 E 103rd St August 30, 2020

Battalion 22 and the group responded to a fire in a warehouse. Engine 93 reported on scene with fire through the roof, give me a BOX. Battalion 22 arrived and gave a description of a 1 story warehouse 200 X 200 Fire through the roof. Engine 93 then reported that they lead out their complete hose bed. Send another Engine to go inline. Battalion 22 now requested a Level 1 HAZMAT. 2-2-5 took command of the fire and requested the Hose wagon (611) from the Engine 81s house. 2-1-33 now took command of the fire and requested a 2-11 alarm. Canteens 403 and 405 responded. 5 hand lines, 2 Tower Ladders working and Snorkel 5. Everyone doing defensive due to wall collapse. Fire was struck out about an hour later by 2-1-33



2 Chicago Police Officers Shot at Spaulding Ave and Polk St. August 30, 2020

Early Sunday morning 2 officers were pulling a car over for traffic violations. The officers walked up to the car and were fired upon striking both officers. The officers returned fire, striking the offender. Assist cars responded to the scene and a Sargent decided to take the critically injured officer to the hospital. Canteens 401,403 and 405 were dispatched to the scene. Superintendent Brown and Mayor Lightfoot arrived at Stroger Hospital shortly after the shooting. Both officers are expected to recover.



3-11 Alarm w/a EMS Plan 1 at 6108 S Eberhart Ave September 2, 2020

Battalion 5 and companies responding to a still alarm at 6108 Eberhart. Engine 47 reported on scene with a fire in a 3-story courtyard apartment building. Battalion 5 now at location requesting a Still and Box for heavy fire in the rear. Requesting all trucks to ladder the building. Battalion 5 quickly elevated the fire to a 2-11 requesting all 2-11 trucks to bring their 35 footers to the courtyard. 2-2-1 took command of the fire and requested an EMS Plan 1 for 6 ambulances and a 2nd RIT Truck. Soon after a 3-11 was requested by 2-2-1. Progress report 4 hand lines working 2 master streams working. All floors were checked and found nothing. Later, the fire was struck out by 2-1-5.



**2-11 Alarm Austin Ave. & Bloomingdale Ave.
September 6, 2020.**

Battalion 8 and the group responding to smoke in the area. Upon arrival Battalion 8 reported a fire in the rear of a construction company. Due to water availability he requested a Box. Company's needed to go inline to supply water to the fire. 2-2-2 took command of the fire and requested a 2-11 alarm due to the location of the fire. Description was a large pile of construction waste. Canteen 401 responded at this time. 2 lines working with the Squad 2. The fire was struck out shortly.



**2-11 Alarm Fire w/a Level 1 HAZMAT at
4501 Addison St. September 13, 2020**

Battalion 7 and units responding to a Still alarm at 4501 Addison St. Upon arrival Battalion 7 reports a fire in a 1 story factory 200x200. Fire on the roof. A Box was pulled by Battalion 7. 2 master streams and Squad 2 working. 2-2-2 took command of the fire and requested the rehab unit to the scene and everyone going defensive. A 2-11 requested by 2-2-2 w/a Level 1 HAZMAT. At this time 3 master streams working and Squad 2. Heavy fire in the rear. Canteens 401 & 405 responding to the fire now. 2-1-24 arrival and took command of the fire now. The fire was quickly brought under control and struck out by 2-1-24.



**Charles Barango Memorial Ride
September 17, 2020**

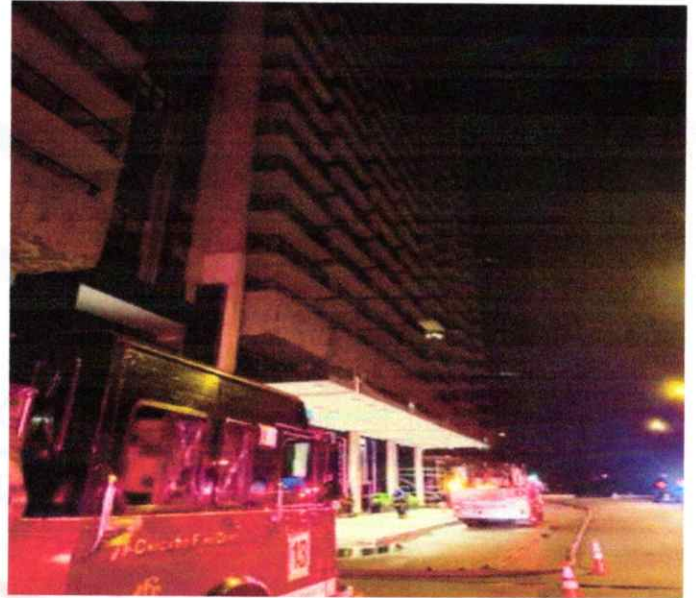
Canteen 401 was detailed to the Police Academy for the Charles Barango Memorial ride. Charles was a SWAT officer that was killed on his motorcycle by a DUI driver.





**2-11 Alarm Fire w/a EMS Plan 2
400 E Randolph St
September 15, 2020**

Battalion 1 responding to a report of a fire in a hi rise. He reported on scene with nothing showing. Battalion 1 reported smoke on the 32nd floor. A Still and Box with an EMS Plan 1 was requested. Engine 13 was leading out. 2-2-1 took command and pulled a 2-11 with an EMS Plan 2 using the center stairwell as evacuation stairwell. The fire was under control shortly and was struck out



**SWAT Job 1335 E Sibley Blvd. Dolton
Mutual Aid Response. September 24,
2020**

Canteen 402 requested by C.C.EMRS to a SWAT Incident at 1335 E Sibley Blvd. Father was healed up in a hotel holding the wife and child. The incident lasted about 6 hours and nobody was injured.



**2-11 Alarm Fire 4712 W Chicago Ave
September 26, 2020**

Engine 117 and the group responded to a report of a fire. The working fire response now by M.F.A.O. Engine 117 reports heavy fire coming from a body shop. Battalion 18 reported on scene with fire through the roof of a 1 story truss roof 100x125 requesting a Still and Box.4 hand lines working and Tower 14. Later Battalion 18 reported making good progress. About an hour into the fire a 2-11 alarm was requested by 2-2-4. Fire was struck out a little later.





***2-11 Alarm Fire 820 N Lawndale Ave
October 11, 2020***

Engine 44 reported on scene with a fire in a 1.5 story frame dwelling. Upon arrival Battalion 18 requested a Still & Box. Fire in a 1.5 story dwelling with exposure on both sides. 2 lines working. Quickly the 18th pulled a 2-11 alarm. Fire was in 3 buildings with one collapsed. 4 lines on the fire know. Fire was quickly brought under control and struck out by 2-2-4.



Progress of Engine 115s New House



**FIREHOUSE ON PAGE ONE
BELONGS TO ENGINE 117
LOCATED AT 816 N LARAMIE.
THERE NEWER HOUSE IS LOCATED
AT 4900 CHICAGO WITH TOWER
14.**

