



## SEABROOK FIRE DEPARTMENT

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## Report of The Fire Department

Date: January 6, 2025

To: The Board of Selectmen and William Manzi, Town Manager

Prepared By: William J Edwards, Fire Chief

Hello,

We wanted to start by wishing everyone a Happy New year! I Hope 2025 will be a happy and healthy year for everyone!

Since we last met we've had some happenings:

We had a small celebration with resident Kenneth Cash. Kenneth had had a medical emergency and to say he was very lucky would be an understatement. We celebrated with Kenneth, his family, Seabrook ER & Portsmouth Hospital members and also Seabrook Fire members who responded to and provided care to Kenneth. Very good to see these outcomes, it was a really good response by all providers that helped in giving Kenneth the ability to be there for that celebration.

FF Tiah Eaton has passed her Paramedic Exam, we wanted to congratulate her on passing. The medic programs are long and tedious, and takes a lot of dedication and focus to complete.





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We also would like to Congratulate new FF Frank Chase III, he will be starting in the coming weeks. Frank will be a third generation FF following his Father and Grandfather as full time FF at Seabrook FD.

FF Tim Milian retired from our department. We want to wish Tim the very best going forward and let him know how much we appreciated his work and time at Seabrook FD.

On Dec. 19th we escorted Santa thru town. We wanted to thank all of our residents that came out to see Santa. We had some really good weather and it was a great night. We also wanted to thank the Town Manager and Selectmen Eaton & Kyle for not only coming by but riding with us for the night. Hope you guys had a great time, this is our favorite event we do and its so much fun each year, we are already looking forward to next year.

This year's Seabrook FD Toy Bank was very successful again! You may have seen us at Walmart taking donations at our Stuff the Truck events. We were able to help over 90 families, almost 200 children this holiday season. This is a program that has been run by FF for almost 30 years. A Lot of the longevity and success of this comes from donations, most of those coming from Seabrook residents. We'd like to again thank all those that donate and give their time during the holidays, it's very appreciated.

We participated in Operation Warm again this year, providing over 100 coats to families in Seabrook. This is our 5th year with Operation Warm, it's been a great program and we're happy to bring this to Seabrook residents.





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Our department also participated in the Seabrook Rec's festival of trees. We wanted to thank the Rec for also putting together these community events. It's awesome to have so many opportunities to bring the community together.

The Tahoe purchased by the board is fully in service and responding to calls. Our New Fire Engine is getting the final touches to also be put in service. Once fully inservice we would like to invite the board and town manager to the station to see both the new Tahoe and new Engine.

Respectfully,

William J Edwards Fire Chief