



Annapolis Fire Department

July 7, 2025 - CoA Public Safety Committee Report

Fire Chief Douglas M. Remaley

Overview

Response Statistics

- City-wide
- Wards 5 & 7 focused

Operational Challenges

New Apparatus Update

Strategic Plan Update



Ward 5 Responses (CY 2024)



CY 2024 -

Ward Five - 691
responses

8.79% of City Responses

5.04% of Total
(City and Mutual Aid)

Least busy of the 8 wards

Ward	TOTALS
COUNTY	5825
1	1265
2	1347
3	1059
4	730
5	691
6	925
7	979
8	863
	13684

Ward 5 Responses (YTD CY2025)

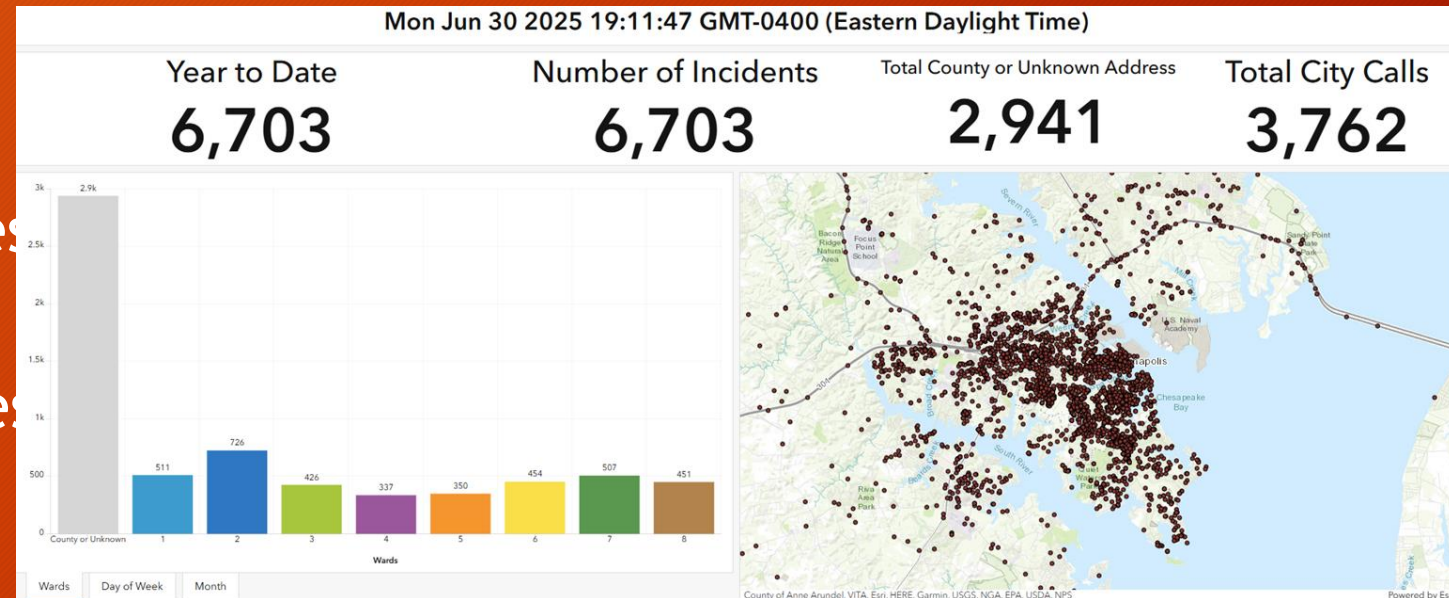


YTD CY2025 (as of 06.30.2025)

Citywide - 3762 Responses

Ward Five - 350 Responses

Ward Five = 5.22% of Total
(City and Mutual Aid)



Ward 7 Responses (CY2024)



CY 2024 -

Ward Seven - 979 responses

12.46% of City Responses

7.15% of Total
(City and Mutual Aid)

4th busiest of the 8 wards

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Ward 7 Responses (YTD CY2025)

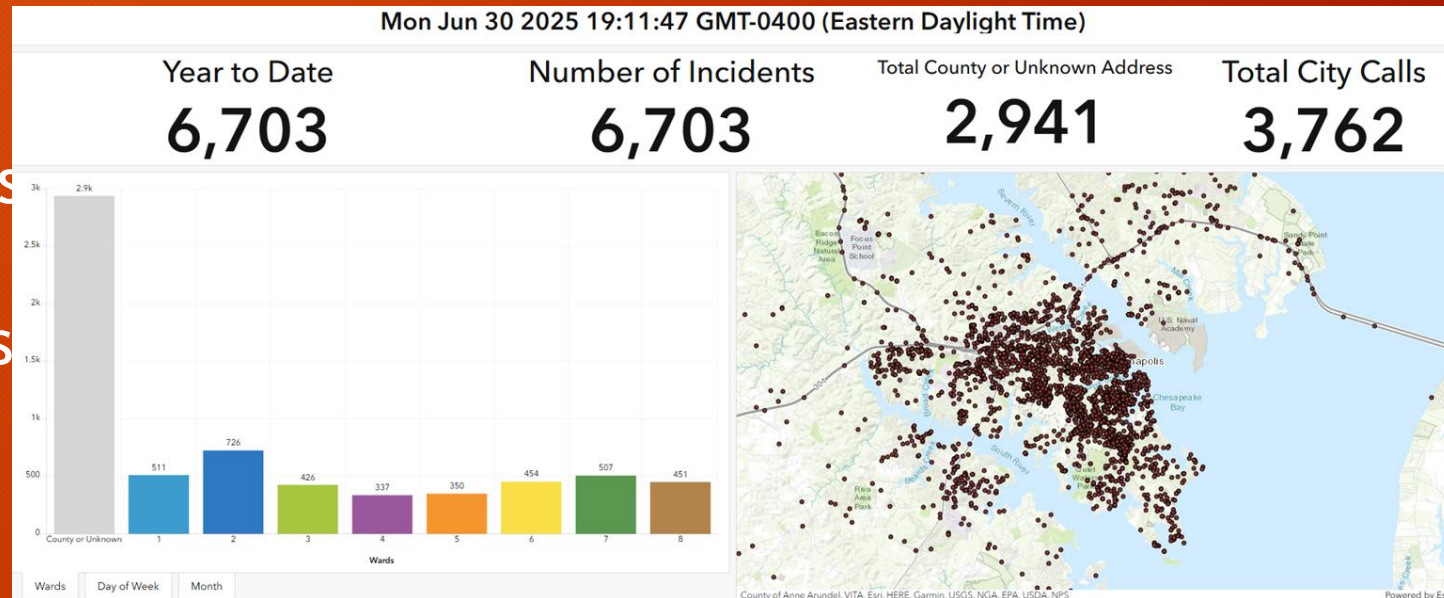


YTD CY2025 (as of 06.30.2025)

Citywide - 3762 Responses

Ward Seven - 507 Responses

Ward Seven = 7.56% of Total
(City and Mutual Aid)



Calendar Year (CY) 2024 City-Wide Responses



Fire Loss valuation trends -

CY2022 - \$1,085,197

CY2023 - \$2,754,144

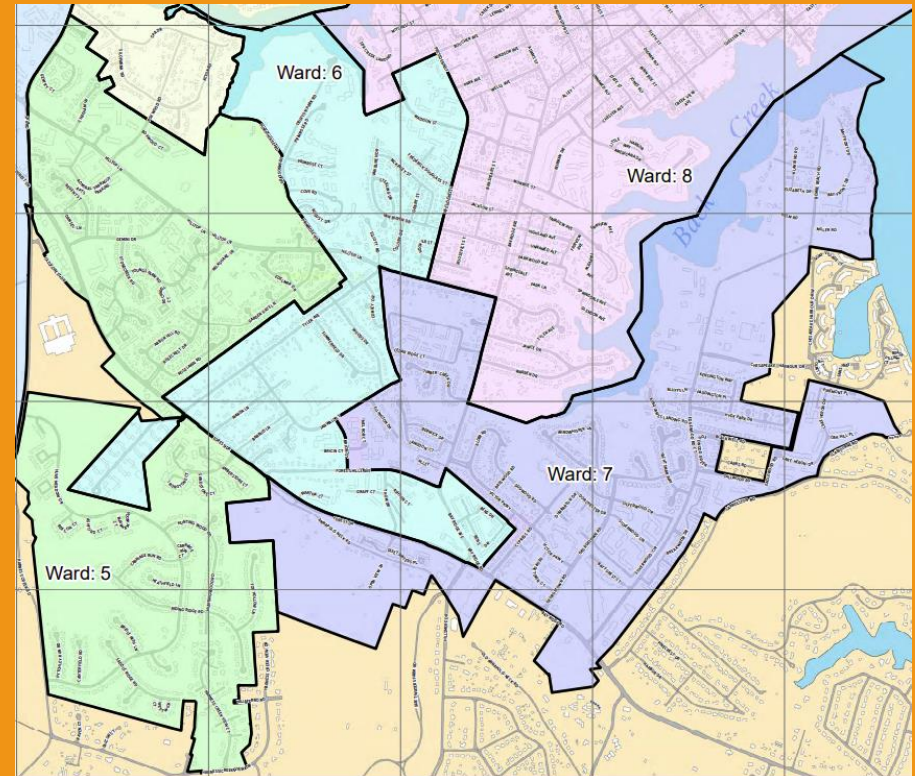
CY2024 - \$450,520

YTD CY2025 - \$132,117



Operational Challenges

- Generally minimal operational challenges, specific to Wards 5 & 7
- Primarily residential occupancies, with some retail and light industrial in Ward 7



New Apparatus Updates



- Replacement for Forest Drive Station, E351
- New Medic Unit for Annapolis Neck, MU48
- New Medic Unit for Forest Drive Station, MU35
- New Fireboat, FB36



Strategic Planning Process



Last Strategic Plan in 2004

Center for Public Safety Excellence (CPSE) Model

Committee Established with Diverse Cross-Section of AFD

Internal and External Stakeholder Surveys and Focus Groups

Internal Focus Group Began - March 2025

External Survey and Focus Group - July 2025

Draft Document to Fire Chief for Review - September 2025

Community Survey

Two (2) - In Person Sessions

Monday July 14th, 2025

09:30am - 11:00am

OR

11:30am - 1:00pm

Eastport Fire Station
914 Bay Ridge Avenue



The poster features a large image of a building on fire with thick black smoke billowing out. Below the image is a red wavy banner. On the banner, the text "Annapolis FIRE DEPARTMENT Survey" is displayed in a mix of bold sans-serif and script fonts. To the right of the banner is the Annapolis Fire Department seal, which is a gold circular emblem with a central figure and the text "FIRE DEPARTMENT ANAPOLIS MARYLAND". Below the banner, the text "Help Us Serve You!" is written in a bold, italicized sans-serif font. Further down, a paragraph states: "The Annapolis Fire Department is conducting a **Community Survey** to better understand the needs and expectations of residents, businesses, and stakeholders." Below this, another paragraph says: "Your feedback is key to helping us plan for the future of emergency services in our city." At the bottom, a paragraph reads: "Please take a few minutes to complete our community survey before Monday, July 14." To the right of this text is a red-bordered box containing the text "SCAN QR CODE TO TAKE THE SURVEY!" in bold, uppercase letters, with a red arrow pointing to a QR code.

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Survey**

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Strategic Planning - Community Survey



QR Code for Online Survey

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Questions?



Thank You!