

HKV RFPD Chief Report

June 17, 2026

Calls this period

- **7/8/26 14:52pm. Fir Grove Fire:** ¼ acre wildfire burning windrows, started by columbine. Rebekah - 563, Rachael - 562 and Seth - 541. Self-dispatched as fire was just over the auto-aid line. Worked with Polk County and ODF.
- **7/9/26 14:55pm Tarter Rd. Fire** 2 acre wildfire burning windrows, started by columbine. Rebekah - 563, Rachael and Seth - 541. Self-dispatched as fire was just over the auto-aid line. Worked with Polk County and ODF.
- **7/9/26 Medical call - hemorrhage Maxfield Creek Rd.** Rachael and Seth - 521. Corvallis transported.

Grants

- OFSM grant hours update: on track due to high staff participation
- Working with Motorola to acquire grants for mobile radio repeaters for volunteer vehicles

Apparatus/Station

- Purchasing new hose for 563, damaged in several places
- S&K Landscaping mowed/weed whacked on 6/23/26. Planning 2nd visit.
- Working with Sherwin Williams for donated paint, planning to paint 1st week of August

Training

- Rebekah attended OVFA conference 6/17-6/20 for Pumper/Operator course
- Leo Mellein officially onboarded 7/1/26
- Rachael and Eli are now registered EMTs!

Updated counts:

- 6 EMTs: Adam, Mary, Ben, Rebekah, Rachael, Eli, Leo

- 4 EMRs: Mark, Nick, Laura, Lee
- 1 volunteer in training
- Eli is now doing the Volunteer Resident program at Philomath F&R but continues to staff the station for wildland grant
- Volunteers voted to move drill night to **Wednesdays** starting 7/22/26
- Seth, Eli and Rachael completed all wildland training, awaiting certificates
- Rebekah to attend Fire Defense Board Meeting @ 7/16/26
- Fall/Winter Training plan:
 - Fire Academy for new recruits