

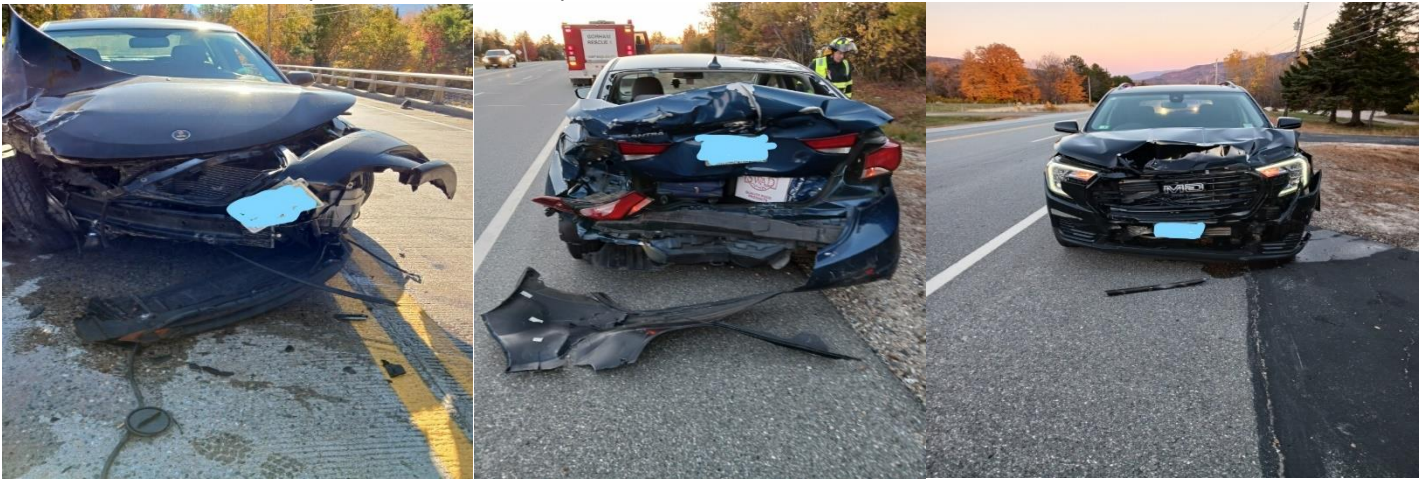


Gorham Fire and EMS
Town of Gorham New Hampshire
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Department Update
October 2022

Fire and EMS

Gorham Fire and EMS continued through the fall season with an increase in EMS calls and a typical month for FD response. Crews responded calls varying from a propane leak to a 3-car accident and everything in between. Crews responded to single vehicle accident on Route 16 by Third Hole in which a car hit both guard rails before coming to rest in the center of the road, pictured below. Also picture below is a two-car accident on Gorham Hill.



Fire Prevention Week

Gorham Fire and EMS participated in the 2022 Fire Prevention Week activities with the school children in the Town. This year's theme, "Fire won't wait. Plan your escape.", emphasized how we must all prepare fire escape plans, test smoke and carbon monoxide alarms every month and replace them every 10 years, implement appropriate building codes, and when possible, install residential fire sprinklers.

FF Palmieri provided education and demonstrations to grades Kindergarten through 5th grade at the Ed Fenn elementary school and Kindergarten through 8th grade at the Salve Regina Academy. Students were instructed on escape plans and fire safety with the older students at Salve Regina Academy learning fire extinguisher use. See pictures on the next page of the presentations.

Emergency Management/Health Officer/Chief Duties

Inspections continue of various types including short term rentals, assembly permits, and yearly school inspections. We are also waiting on final announcements for the 2021 Assistance to Firefighter's Grant and starting to prepare for the 2022 application period which is expected to start in January.

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Call Numbers

Fire: 21

EMS: 79

911: 54

Gorham: 47

Randolph: 3

Shelburne: 2

County Area: 1 – Pinkham's Grant 1

Transfer: 25

Transport: 3 – 2 local, 1 long distance

Decline: 22

Weekday: 48

Weekend: 31

6A-12P: 19

12P-6P: 38

6P-12A: 17

12A-6A: 5

Mutual Aid to Milan: 1

Respectfully submitted,

Chief Philip Cloutier