

Fire & Rescue

- Attained formal accreditation from the Commission on Fire Accreditation International. One of only 89 agencies nationwide and seven in Florida to obtain this accreditation.
- Opened and began full operation of the new Sand Key Fire Station.
- Continued to enhance response levels with the construction of a replacement Clearwater Mall Fire Station and a new Northwest Fire Station.
- Increased ability to respond to high-rise incidents by purchasing and putting in service a second, new 100-foot Skyarm Aerial Fire Truck.
- Attained the American Heart Association's first-ever "Heart Safe City" designation which recognizes Clearwater for being a national leader in excellent responsiveness to cardiac arrests and for being proactive in purchasing and equipping facilities with life-saving Automatic External Defibrillators.
- Purchased a new maintenance facility to service all department vehicles, saving a year of construction time.
- Produced a high-rise safety video and brochure for presentation to condo associations.
- Conducted 236 public education programs, training 4,365 adults and 7,975 children in fire and life safety courses.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
FIRE PREVENTION WEEK IS OCTOBER 3 - 9 PUBLIC NATURAL GAS WEEK IS OCTOBER 3 - 9 JAZZ HOLIDAY RUNS FROM OCTOBER 14 - 17					1	2 Make a Difference Youth Fishing Tournament
3	4 Commission Work Session, 9 a.m. Last day to register before November election	5	6	7 Commission Meeting 6 p.m.	8	9
10	11 Columbus Day	12	13	14	15	16
17	18 Commission Work Session 9 a.m.	19	20	21 Commission Meeting 6 p.m.	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31 Daylight Savings Time Ends Sea Turtle Nesting Season Ends	<h2>Building Our Future Together</h2> <p>School children learn the proper way to cross a street at Safety Village.</p>					

