

 Stouffville



Fire and Emergency Services

annual report

2025

# 2025 Fire and Emergency Services Annual Report

**Proudly Protecting People and  
Property Through Public  
Education, Fire Prevention &  
Emergency Response.**

# WSFES Key Accomplishments

## Administration & Emergency Management

- Hiring of Deputy Chief, Support Services
- Awarded Fire Protection Grant
- Streamline billing process
- Applications for permits available online
- Groundbreaking for the new joint Fire/EMS station at 4902 Aurora Road, station 5-2 in Ballantrae
- Held Annual Emergency exercise in June 2025, with 59 employees participating
- The Town met all 13 mandatory compliance areas under the EMCPA in 2025 and remains fully compliant



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## Fire Prevention & Public Education

- Recipient of 4 awards/grants
- Home Safe Home program
- 124 education events and station tours were delivered, enhancing awareness and safety knowledge
- Public Education team expanded outreach and increased engagement
- The Sleepover with Sparky Program successfully reached 420 kindergarten students.
- Instagram account was launched
- Conducted 838 inspections, including 16 vulnerable occupancy inspections



# WSFES Key Accomplishments

## Training Division

Total of 5985 Training Hours in 2025

- NFPA Qualifications
- OFC Courses
- Fire Prevention Training
- Ontario Job Performance Requirement (JPR) Practical Refresh
- SOG Review
- Live Fire





# WSFES Key Accomplishments

## Suppression Division

- 2220 calls for assistance in 2025, a 22.7% increase in calls over 2024
- Hired 6 new career firefighters
- The Suppression Division includes 44 career firefighters and 13 volunteers, organized into four platoons that cover two fire stations: Station 5-1 (Headquarters) and Station 5-2.
- The department supports neighboring municipalities through mutual aid, automatic aid, and fire protection agreements.

# Recognitions

The following staff received the Provincial Long Service Medal in recognition of 25 years of dedicated service.

- Deputy Chief Mike Doyle
- Deputy Chief Trevor Wawryk
- Captain Laura Cliff
- Captain John Winters



# 2026 and Beyond



- Opening of Station 5-2 in August 2027
- Construction of Training Facility
- Growth of Town/Department