

# ANNUAL 2020 REPORT



# FIRE CHIEF'S MESSAGE



*Central York Fire Services strives to provide the residents of Aurora and Newmarket with an extraordinary level of Fire Prevention and Protection services.*

*2020 generated an additional challenge in the form of COVID-19. Preventative measures were put in place to ensure the safety of staff, which allowed CYFS to continue to respond efficiently and effectively to all types of emergency calls.*



# COVID SAFETY

**COVID-19 Safety Plan developed and implemented**

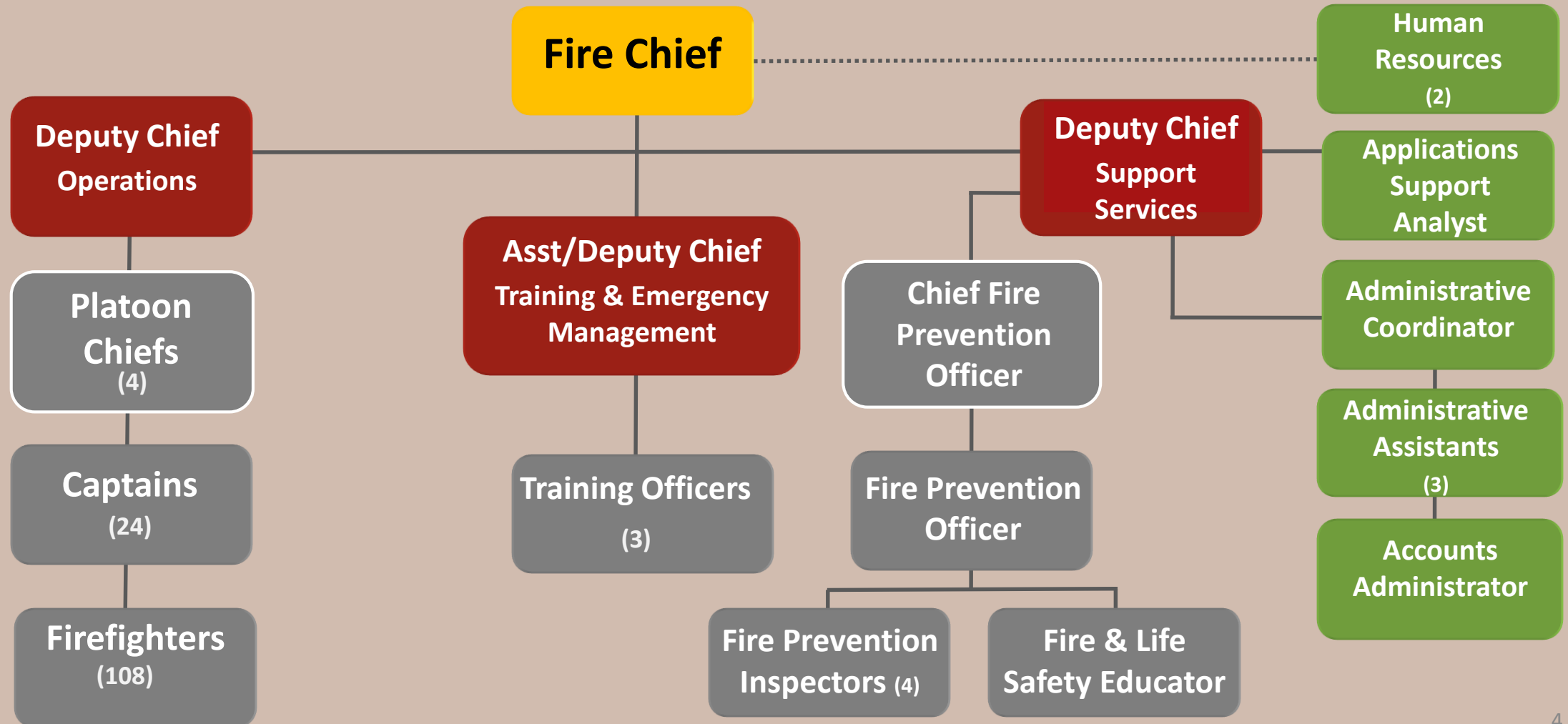
**PPE supplies sustained and enhanced**

**Cleaning procedures reviewed and upgraded**

**COVID screening daily for all on duty staff**

**Alternative crew transport for physical distancing**

# ORGANIZATIONAL CHART



# FIRE PROTECTION

**Fire Protection Services are provided in alignment with the Office of the Fire Marshal's *"Three Lines of Defense"***

- ✓ **Public Education and Fire Prevention**
- ✓ **Fire Safety Standards and Code Enforcement**
- ✓ **Emergency Response**



# PREVENTION OUTREACH



Fire Prevention Week 2020 October 4-10			
<b>Daily Topics:</b>	<b>Sunday</b> "Serve Up Fire Safety in the Kitchen"	<b>Monday</b> Virtual station tour and firefighter gear	<b>Tuesday</b> Home escape planning and smoke alarms
	<b>Wednesday</b> Extinguishers and home hazards	<b>Thursday</b> Emergency Preparedness	<b>Friday</b> History of the fire service, then and now
			<b>Saturday</b> Recap of learning and special offer for teachers





# ENGAGE WITH US



**Central York Fire Services**



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# PREVENTION HIGHLIGHTS

## **Mandatory Residential Sprinklers in new subdivision**

- All 109 new detached homes in subdivision are sprinklered

## **Inspections**

- 551 Building Inspections
- 217 General Inspections (request or complaints)

## **Ontario Building Code Review**

- 158 OBC inspections – 290 Plan Reviews

## **Fire Investigations**

- Conducted 10 Fire Investigations - 25% increase over 2019

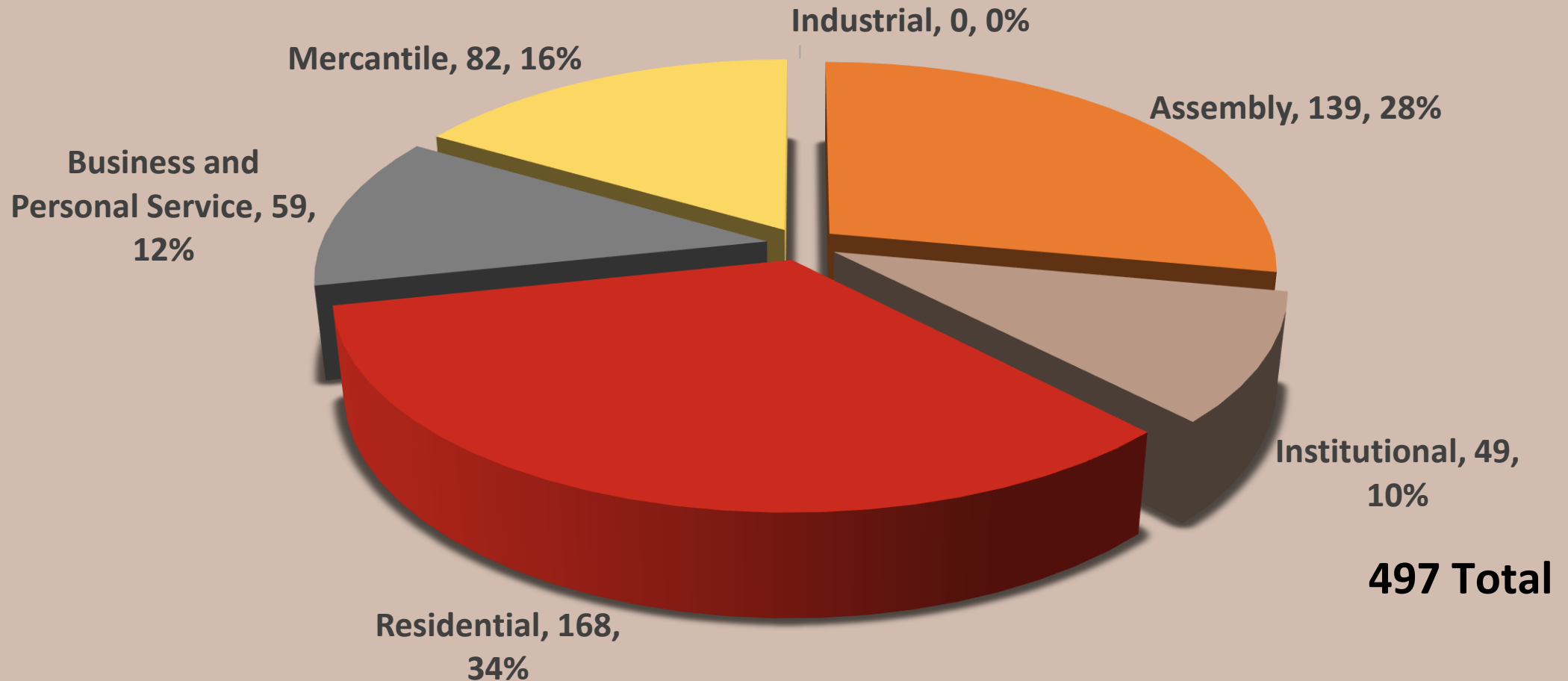


# VULNERABLE OCCUPANCIES

## **Nursing Homes and Retirement Homes**

- **32 facilities in primary response area (including Southlake Hospital)**
- **3 facilities are under construction and should be completed in 2021**
- **Fire Prevention staff conduct annual inspections**
- **Evacuation drills are part of the process using “Table Talk – PowerPoint Fire Drills”**
- **Fire Code Changes – all care facilities will require sprinkler protection under new legislation**
- **30 facilities currently have sprinkler protection**
  - **2 facilities have until January 2025 to comply**

# FIRE CODE AND OBC INSPECTIONS



# TRAINING HIGHLIGHTS

## **Mindfulness Training**

- **Partnered with YR Police to deliver Mindfulness Training to 2020 Recruit Class**

## **NFPA 1021 – Company Officer**

- **21 Firefighters certified**

## **Blue Card – Incident Command Certification**

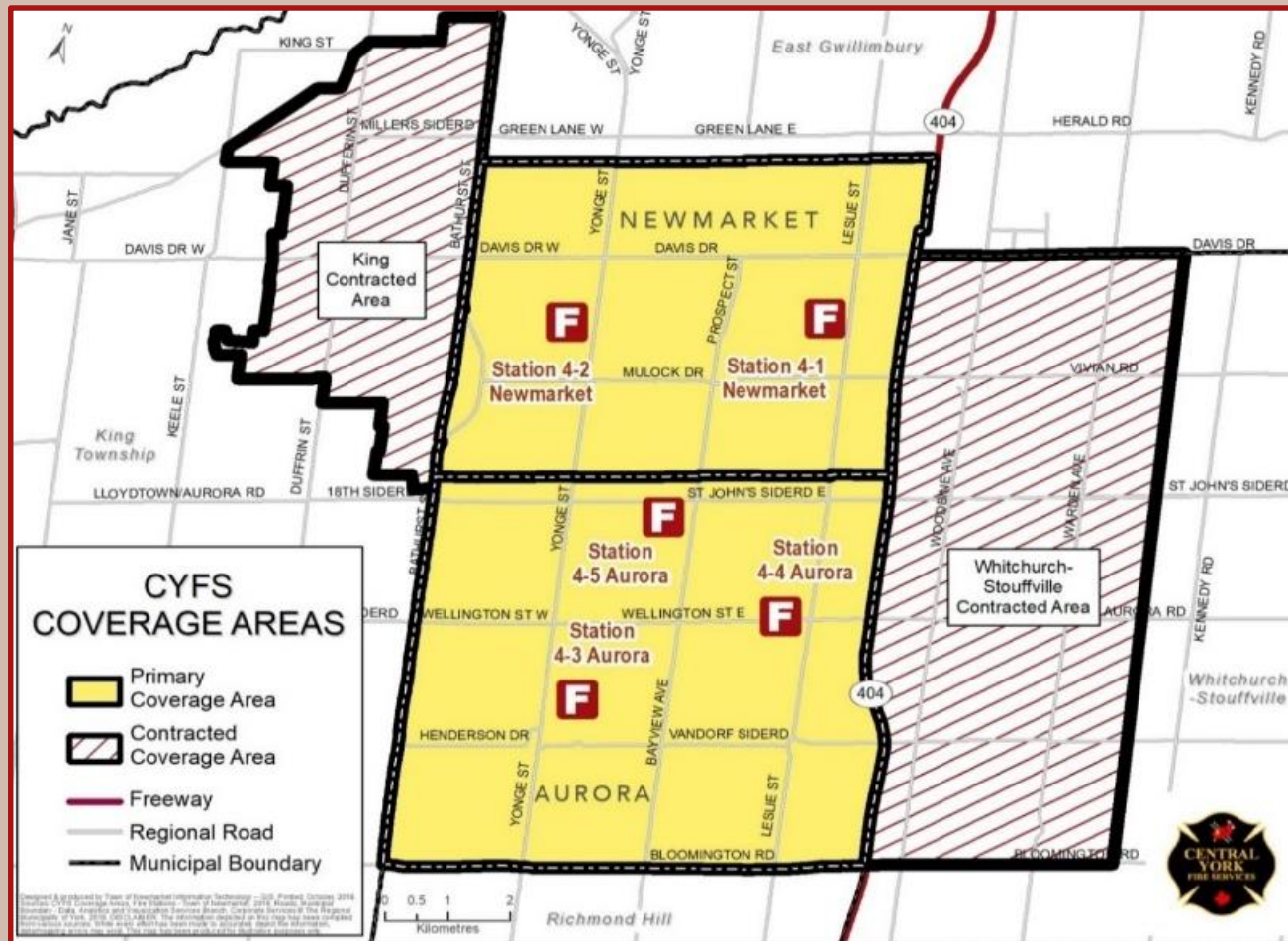
- **Certification of Platoon Chiefs, Captains and Acting Captains**

## **Coordinated Response to Active Attacker Incidents**

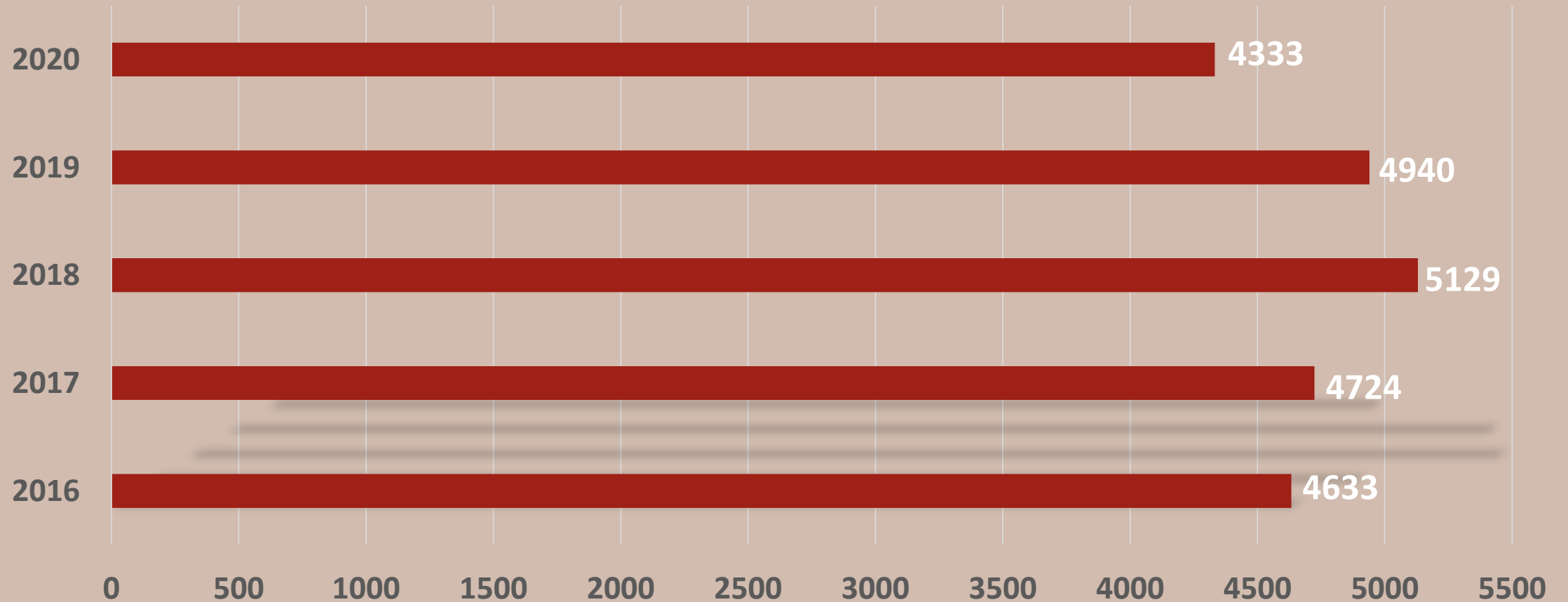
- **Collaborated with York Region Emergency Services to develop best practices**



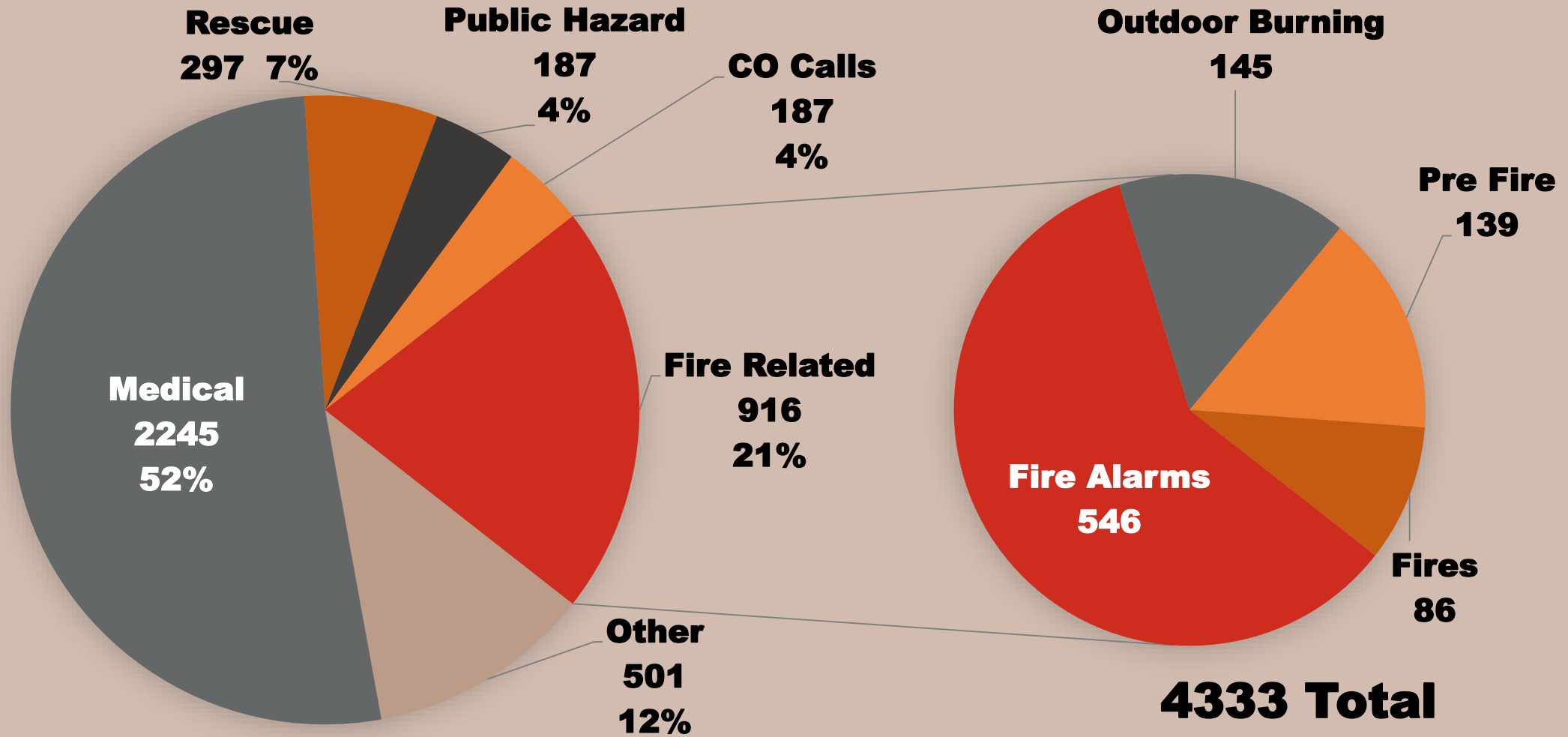
# PRIMARY RESPONSE AREA



# EMERGENCY RESPONSE DATA



# EMERGENCY RESPONSE TYPES





# STATION 4-5



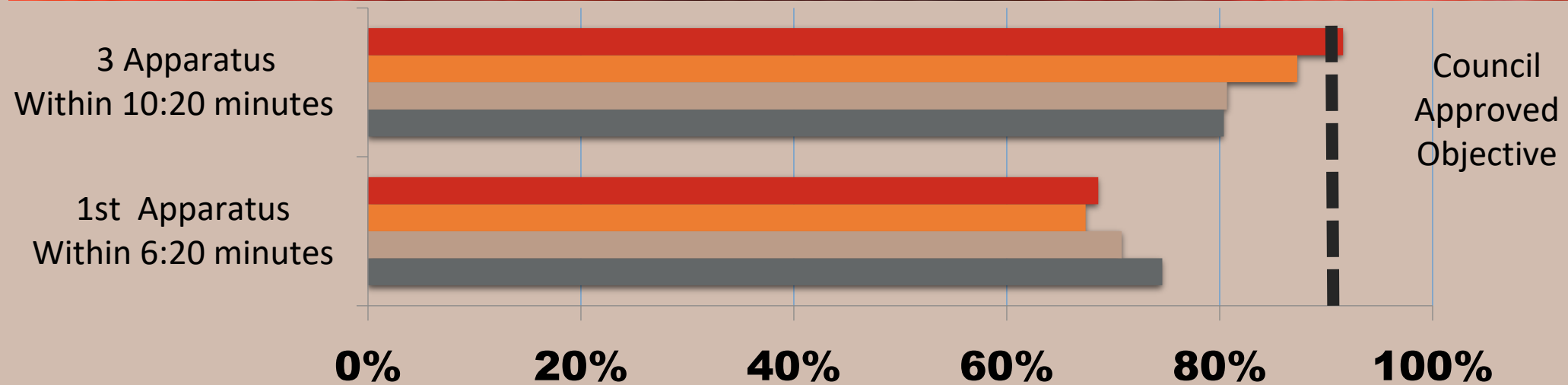




# Purchase of Engine 451 S.A.M Scene Apparatus Manager



# RESPONSE TIMES



	1st Apparatus Within 6:20 minutes	3 Apparatus Within 10:20 minutes
■ Stn. 4-4	68.60%	91.60%
■ Stn. 4-3	67.40%	87.30%
■ Stn. 4-2	70.80%	80.70%
■ Stn. 4-1	74.61%	80.40%



# ANNUAL BUDGET

2020	Operating Budget	Capital Budget	Operating Surplus/(Deficit)
Total	\$28,393,657	\$8,087,601	\$600,000
Aurora 41.38%	\$11,749,295		\$248,000 Reserve Fund
Newmarket 58.62%	\$16,644,362		\$352,000 Reserve Fund

# COST RECOVERY PROGRAM

NUMBER OF EVENTS	INVOICED	EXPENDITURES	NET RECOVERY
151	\$106,597	\$42,772	\$63,825

**134 Motor Vehicle Collisions**  
**4 Natural Gas Leaks**  
**2 Hydro Incidents**  
**1 Extraordinary Expenses**  
**9 Fire Report Requests**

**1 Fire Alarms (False)**  
**Drug Labs/Grow Ops**  
**Post Fire Investigations**  
**Outdoor Burning Complaints**



## VISION

Committed to excellence by being:  
*Well-Trained*  
*Well-Equipped*  
*Well-Prepared*

## MISSION

To serve with professionalism, honour and integrity

## VALUES

Trust & Teamwork  
Respect & Integrity  
Pride & Professionalism





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