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DIV 112: DOWNTOWN DE PERE IS ON FIRE - NEED MABAS

BY ALAN MATZKE, CHIEF, DE PERE FIRE RESCUE

The Ogan Restaurant at 100 South Broadway Street closed around 10:30pm the night of Tuesday April 23, 2019. At 12:40am (April 24th), two patrons and the cook from a nearby pub/restaurant stepped outside the pub to smoke and ironically, noticed smoke coming from the Ogan.

The cook stayed outside and called 911 while the other two people ran upstairs and woke occupants. Light smoke was reported by them in the upstairs hallways. The police were on scene 30 seconds after the call and also went in to evacuate residents. The police reported little to no smoke in the apartments.

Smoke conditions quickly worsened during the evacuation and police were driven out by the time firefighters arrived on scene. Police advised the first arriving fire company they had all apartments evacuated (17 people) but #25. They reported the occupant of apartment #25 was unaccounted for.

De Pere Wisconsin is located a mile south of Lambeau Field. It is bisected by the (north/ south) Fox River, with the only river crossing

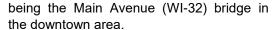


(Photos this page by Rob Goplin)





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Broadway Street (WI-57) parallels the river on the east. Just up the street from the eastern end of the bridge on Broadway is a series of adjoining buildings, the northern most housing five businesses at the street level (XO Fitness, Ogan Restaurant, Schroeder Photography, a karate studio and an office), eleven apartments on the top floor, and an exposed basement with thirteen suites ranging from wine cellar for the Ogan restaurant to Pilates studio and photo framing studio.



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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE BY KEVIN BIERCE, CHIEF, PEWAUKEE FIRE DEPARTMENT, AND PRESIDENT, MABAS WISCONSIN

Well the spring and summer has turned out to be a nice change from the bitter, harsh winter we suffered through!

As the sun creeps a little higher, I just wanted to put the plug for our conference coming in September! I know, it's months away, but the conference committee listened to your concerns and we moved it from the summer. We really do need your

support and we can all use the time to sharpen our skills of our trade.

This is the first year we'll be joining in with the Emergency Managers from around the State to help mold the future of emergency response.

Take the time to come share with us your experiences and thoughts to make Wisconsin even stronger in terms of emergency response.

We've also invited the MABAS executive boards from our neighboring states to even further widen a knowledge base.



Let's show them how we do it right! Hope to see you there and have a great rest of the summer! Till the next Box.

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The D-side. Notice the basement suites. Per Chief Matzke: "While we were on the second floor searching for the missing occupant, he walked out of the basement on the D-side" (the D-side is on the right when facing the front of the fire building).

"During our initial size-up, we noted no smoke in the basement. Along with his apartment on the top floor, the occupant of #25 rented an office in the lower level basement. He was asleep in lower level and awoke from the noises and walked out a door on the D-side."

"Right after we confirmed he was indeed the renter of apartment #25, the firefighting operation became defensive and we withdrew from the fire building. We deployed master streams (water flowing from non-handheld devices like aerial ladders or steel nozzles resting on the ground) and committed resources into the exposure buildings, but no firefighters were allowed in the fire building".

To the rear (C-Side) was the Colonial House Apartments (seen at the right in the photo) which has three above-ground floors with a basement that houses apartments and a beauty salon.

"I placed the first aerial master stream in position to protect that exposure. We evacuated the building as soon as we had resources available and were very concerned about spread to the building", said Chief Matzke.

(Photo by Rob Goplin).

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The first arriving engine officer gave a brief initial report (BIR) and upgraded MABAS Division 112 Box Card 1-11 to the Box alarm level at 12:46am.

"I was surprised that the fire did not extend to the rest of the block" - Chief Alan Matzke I arrived within 10 minutes and assumed command. We had one potential victim, so I committed crews to the second floor to search while three other crews advanced to the seat of the fire for suppression.

High heat, thick black smoke, and no flames visible thru the window, told me the fire was deep seated and the survivability index was low. I was concerned with fire spread to all the exposures (adjoining or nearby buildings).

I upgraded to the 2nd alarm 18 minutes into the event.

We upgraded to the 3rd box and special called an additional ladder truck approximately 45 minutes into the event as our tactical

objectives of search, fire suppression in the fire building, and exposure protection required lots of resources.

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"The building was an ordinary (wood frame) construction built in 1888 - solid masonry walls with lots of combustible material in the middle. These buildings hold the heat and work like a big oven. The winds were light out of the south at five mph, so that was a help", according to Chief Matzke.

(Photo by Rob Goplin)





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The building to the south (B1 exposure) is where we first attempted to make a stand. Crews initially encountered heavy smoke and heat but no fire.

The building was purchased by the same person who owned the building on the corner and they had created walk thru connections years ago between the buildings.

This was the cause of the heavy smoke and heat and eventually flame extension. We were able to hold the doorways with interior crews and prevent the fire spread from taking the B1 exposure.

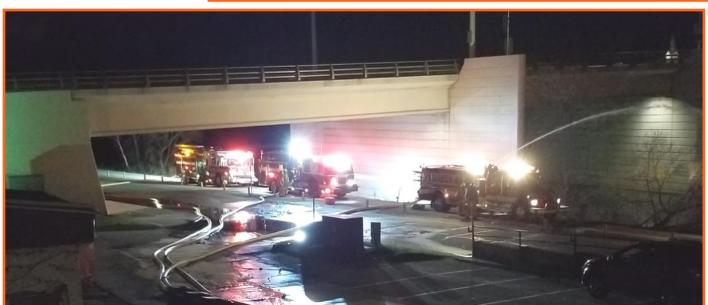
The **Fox River** (one block away) was a great help. Forty minutes into the event, we were flowing three master streams and several large hand lines. It was a huge strain on our city's water system.

We were considering a tender operation (bringing trucks of water) or draft operation (drawing water out of the river).

I decided to position four engines at the river. One engine fed two 3-inch hand (hose) lines and the other three engines fed three aerial master streams. When we outran our water supply we had to shut down hand lines to preserve enough water for master streams and I felt we were going to lose the B1 exposure so we retreated to the B2 exposure.

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"It was Morrison, Wayside, Wrightstown and Denmark who drafted. They are all very good at getting water from anything and that is why we tasked them with the draft" - Chief Matzke (Photos this page by Ashwaubenon Chief Eric Dunning)

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The aerial master streams were positioned to cut off the fire at the B1 exposure so the retreat to the B2 meant our master streams were not going to be in a good tactical position to protect B2.

The box alarm was upgraded to get another ladder and I special called yet another ladder from Green Bay. I was able to place both in a strong tactical position to defend B2.

We know the fire started in the area of the kitchen in the restaurant. The cause will be listed as undetermined because we cannot pinpoint the cause. "It was a devastating fire, the whole building came down and is now just a pile of rubble. It was very sad to see such a historic building go, but there was no stopping it on arrival. De Pere Fire did a hell of a job to make sure everyone was out of the apartments above the restaurant. After that, it was a battle to save the block, which we did" - Rob Goplin, Assistant Chief, Green Bay Metro Fire Department

Cost estimates from the insurance company so far in north of three million.

We opened the road with everything back in service by **8:30am** that day.

For radio communications, we used a primary tactical channel, a responding/staging channel, and to

set up the draft operation, a water channel was requested because of the miles of LDH (large diameter hose) that had to be deployed down to the draft operation.

The impact of MABAS - immeasurable. A small community like ours had eight firefighters on-duty and three were unavailable with an ambulance transport.

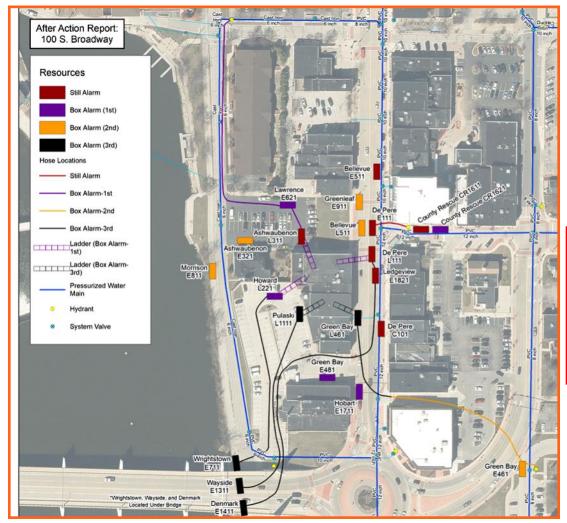
We responded with five on-duty and two paid on call firefighters and myself.

In total, there were six ladder trucks, 14 engines, a rehab trailer, two ambulances, a command van, and 80+ firefighters on scene.

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(scroll down for newsletter links)

Let us know when you have a circumstance where you found yourself "thinking outside the MABAS Box card"!



DIV 114 IN ACTION - MABAS LESSENS IMPACT AT RHINELANDER TRIG'S FACILITY

BY TOM WAYDICK, ASSISTANT CHIEF, RHINELANDER FIRE DEPARTMENT

Trig's is a well-known grocery store chain that hugs the I-39/US-51 corridor with many stores northbound from Stevens Point. It has been around for decades.

Near Rhinelander, in the Town of Pelican, is the Trig's Trucking, Recycling, and Bakery Center at 5070 Grossman Avenue. On May 12, 2019, a Sunday morning, at 7:22am, the Rhinelander Fire Department was dispatched to a fire at the facility. It turned out (by subsequently reviewing a neighbor's game camera) that the fire was active for at least 15 minutes and became self-venting before being noticed.

Trig's Bakery and Recycling Facility is a steel structure constructed from two steel domed structures connected in the front third of the structure. It resembles military barracks.

The recycling side of the structure contained compressed cardboard, compressed plastic, and used vegetable oil, in the rear of the structure and had two semis, oil barrels, and shop tools, in the front.

Upon arrival the crews were met with heavy fire conditions in the rear of the recycling side of the structure, and flames could be seen through the seams in the medal roof panels.

The structure edge of the hydrant was the structure of the fire load and structure.

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(Photo by Tom Waydick)



Inside the structure, crews encountered a deep-seated fire in the compressed plastic and cardboard stacks.

Limited access and high temps prevented advancing too far into the structure.

Upon being dispatched, the shift commander requested MABAS Division 114 Card 806-ST to the 1st box. Upon arrival on scene they upgraded to the 3rd box due to the fire load and water supply issues.

The structure is located on the outer edge of the city and the nearest hydrant was over 1000 feet away.

There was a creek and river nearby so additional resources were tasked with setting up water supply from the creek. It was determined we needed additional water supply and a tender shuttle would be our best resource, so command requested our MABAS Card 806-TT for tenders to the 3rd box alarm.

I arrived on scene and assumed command as this request was made.

No additional box levels were needed. Upon being briefed on the situation, excavators were requested to safely gain access to the fire and get it extinguished.

Our primary objective was to stop the fire from spreading to the bakery. Once the excavators arrived on scene and opened up the metal structure, the fire was quickly extinguished.

At approximately 12:45pm, we were able to strike out the MABAS alarm and start releasing apparatus from the original structure fire MABAS request if they were not being utilized.

The excavators proceeded to break apart the piles so they could be completely extinguished and foam applied. The two semis were removed from the front of the fire structure and they both started and were driven to the rear of the building.

The fire was completely extinguished and water supply broken down by **2pm**.

Trig's Bakery side of the structure suffered smoke and water damage, but the crews were able to contain the fire and prevent its spread to the bakery.

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The assistance from using MABAS gave us the resources we needed to quickly get the fire under control and minimize the impact to the community.

We had a considerable amount of runoff, however a prolonged fire would have increased the amount and contamination levels in the runoff. We were also able to save the bakery, although it has not been determined whether the bakery will reopen in its current location, the option is there if they decide to do so.

We use IFERN for MABAS dispatch, and fire ground channels on scene. As always when monitoring three radios, some communications are missed, or delayed, but dispatch did an excellent job with all the resources they were requesting for us.

MABAS Division 114 does a lot of training and the majority of the departments in our area have embraced MABAS and use it as it was intended

I would like to thank all the departments that responded to our request for MABAS. It was Mother's Day and we had a great response from all our MABAS partners.

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THE ROLE/RELATIONSHIP OF AN EMERGENCY MANAGER & A FIRE INCIDENT COMMANDER

BY AMY NEHLS. DIRECTOR. DODGE COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

While every incident is different, and due to home rule, the relationships and responsibilities of Emergency Managers in Wisconsin vary. Some EM's are more response based and work out of a virtual Emergency Operations Center (EOC) or mobile command, while others work out of a Emergency Managers can assist with traditional EOC.

While it is NOT customary for an Emergency Management Director to take command of an incident, they

often knowledge have and experience in many types of incidents/emergencies and can assist commander in requesting resources and managing critical components of a given incident.

some of the following roles/ responsibilities that are often common to emergencies: local and state asset requests, declaring an emergency, managing

Emergency Operations Center, public information, damage assessment, volunteer management, donations management, state and federal government liaison, etc.

Along with all the responsibilities an emergency manager can assist with during the emergency, they also play the vital role, often as the lead agency, in the recovery efforts and the after-action reports.

WISCONSIN EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT ASSOC & MABAS-WI TEAM UP FOR CONFERENCES

BY GARY SCHMIDT

The Wisconsin Emergency Management Association (WEMA) has teamed with MABAS Wisconsin to hold their respective 2019 conferences back-to-back at the same venue. This provides a cost-effective and time-efficient way for cross-education between Emergency Managers, Fire Commanders, and Dispatchers.

This also allows for vendors to reach a larger audience. The vendors help underwrite the costs of the conferences and if they are successful, we all are successful.

Take advantage of this opportunity to increase your awareness of the responsibilities and activities that your counterparts are involved in during an emergency. This page and the two following detail the discounts available when attending both conferences and the reasons why you should take advantage.

Division Presidents Fire Chiefs Company Officers Dispatch Administrators



Firefighters Dispatchers Emergency Managers EMS Providers

We are excited to bring the 9th annual MABAS-WI conference to the Holiday Inn and Conference Center in centrally located Stevens Point. The training opportunities for this year's conference will prove to be beneficial to all. If this is your first MABAS conference, or you're a seasoned veteran, there is no better place to learn alongside fire service personnel, emergency managers and 911 emergency dispatchers.

Conference lodging cost is @ state rate: \$82.00 per night.

The Wisconsin Emergency Management Association (WEMA) Conference is at the same location the day prior (Sept 12th). Each conference registration cost is \$125.00.

Register for both and receive a 20% discount on conference fees (total of \$200).

There will be a link provided on both the WEMA & MABAS-WI websites that can be used for making room reservations online (suggested) or you can reserve rooms by calling (715)-344-0200 and using the Block Codes "WEM" if attending the WEMA Conference and "ALA" if attending the MABAS Conference.

WHY EMERGENCY MANAGERS SHOULD ALSO ATTEND THE MABAS-WI CONFERENCE

BY AMY NEHLS, DIRECTOR, DODGE COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

A successful Emergency Manager (EM) will work closely with their local responders, including fire personnel. In order to understand each other's roles and responsibilities, it is imperative that an EM understand the premise and purpose that MABAS plays for the fire departments. Attending the MABAS conference will allow Emergency Managers to better understand MABAS; in addition to networking with local responders, you will also have the opportunity to meet partners from all over the State.

WHY FIRE PERSONNEL SHOULD ALSO ATTEND THE WEMA CONFERENCE

BY AMY NEHLS, DIRECTOR, DODGE COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Emergency Management tends to be a commonly misunderstood profession, as it varies in each county. Fire personnel attending the WEMA conference will get a good understanding of the roles and responsibilities that Emergency Managers can assist with. In addition to building the relationship with the Emergency Manager in your county, you will also get to meet EM's from all over Wisconsin.

WHY DISPATCHERS / COMMUNICATION STAFF SHOULD ATTEND THE WEMA CONFERENCE

BY AMY NEHLS, DIRECTOR, DODGE COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Most dispatch and communications personnel work closely with their local Emergency Managers, but for those who do not, this conference will emphasize how critical it is to call Emergency Management at the onset of an event.

Time is vital in arranging many of the functions coordinated by Emergency Management including, requests for local and state assets, public information, damage assessment, volunteer management, donations management, etc.

The earlier an EM is notified, the quicker the response. The information provided during the conference will assist with enhancing the notification process.

Save the Date for the first Joint WEMA / MABAS-WI Conference.

WEMA Conference Sept. 12th, 2019

MABAS-WI Conference Sept. 13th - 14th, 2019

Host Facility
The Holiday Inn & Conference Center
1001 Amber Avenue, Stevens Point, WI 54482

For Conference & Vendor Information please check either website:

http://www.mabaswisconsin.com or https://wema.wildapricot.org

Use the reservation link provided on the websites. The lodging room rate will be at State Rate of \$82.

Conference Fees are \$125 (each).
Attend both and receive a 20% discount for a total cost of \$200

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EMABAS converts box cards from static data to dynamic documents that change as departments and agencies change; EMABAS transforms the manner in which you plan and respond.

The desktop version of **EMABAS** provides the main interface for creating and using box cards. It also provides interfaces into



resources, contacts, dispatch and reporting. Additionally the system has the ability to aid agencies in the use of MABAS

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EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT IN ACTION

BY BOBBI HICKEN, DIRECTOR, FOND DU LAC COUNTY COMMUNICATIONS & EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Each Emergency Management (EM) office is run differently, but the EM is not usually in command, but rather in support of the commander.

County Emergency Management gets involved in incidents when the responders are out of or nearing depletion of resources. Most emergency management directors are notified of a MABAS event, either at the onset of the event or at the 3rd alarm level.

This is for an awareness of the event that is happening in case the fire department runs out of resources. Resources continue to be requested through the MABAS dispatcher until the card is completely depleted, including the interdivisional requests. The State of Wisconsin is notified of the incident as well, but again, it is for an awareness.

I cannot cite an example when an EM was in charge because EM's support the response - not lead it. In a flood,

there are going to be many agencies that are taking the lead based on the response needed. EM's will support those agencies to ensure they can complete their mission and most importantly understand what everyone else is doing so responses and recovery can be coordinated.

For the March 14, 2019 flooding, the City of Fond du Lac was impacted the greatest in our County. The City stood up their EOC (Emergency Operations Center) and had Incident Command (IC).

I did not activate the County's EOC because the City utilized MABAS to obtain the resources they needed. The few additional resources they needed from Fond du Lac County (transportation coordination and sheltering) were able to be obtained and managed without an EOC activation.

If I had multiple municipalities impacted and needing assistance

from the County, then I would have activated the County EOC. I was available to the City's IC and was in the command post for a period of time – but only for awareness and readiness.

Wisconsin Emergency Management activates their State EOC (SEOC) at different times and with different triggers. When the SEOC is activated, it does not change anything regarding who has control over the event at the local level.

The County EM will reach out to the State when the County has exhausted all its resources in support of the municipality. The municipality is not able to go directly to the State, but rather needs to be coordinated through the County EM. That is about the extent of the "control" the county EM has.

Emergency Management is for support and coordination of events, not to take command and control.

Where is the EOC Located? By Amy Nehls

Often when the state refers to an EOC Activation they are talking about a brick/mortar EOC activation in the traditional sense.

I've always called any other version a virtual activation – to me it doesn't matter if you are in your office, home, mobile command, etc. They are all virtual connections.

The point is to make sure that people are aware that NOT all EOC activations are traditional and that is OK! We have to do what works for our communities and counties.



Above Left: The State of Wisconsin's East Central Incident Management Team (IMT) Planning meeting for the Beaver Dam Knaup Drive Explosives Mitigation Incident.

Above Right: County Emergency Management supporting the City of Beaver Dam's EOC activation. **Bottom Right:** Managing Knaup Drive Evacuation from the Mobile Command Center.

(Photos by Dodge County Emergency Management)



If you see MABAS described in your local community news, please let us know at: mabaswinews@gmail.com

DIV 106 IN ACTION - VICIOUS BRUSH FIRE IN WAUKESHA COUNTY BY TIM SNOPEK

On **Saturday April 6, 2019**, the **Western Lakes Fire Department** responded to a corn field fire in **Summit** in Western Waukesha County, which took over two hours to put out. The corn field fire was originally a grass fire that jumped into the neighbor's corn field and then went wild. With a robust Box Card, the incident was kept at the **Working Still** level.



At one point, firefighters had to close Highway 67 because of smoke after the fire circled around and headed back to the staging area where all the fire trucks were parked.

Highway 67 (Summit Avenue) was closed between Genesee Road and North Griffith Road. The time of the call was 1:50pm and the fire was deemed under control just after 4pm. The Western Lakes Fire District (WLFD) provides fire, rescue, and emergency medical services to ten municipalities in Waukesha, Dodge, and Jefferson Counties.

(Photos by timsnopek.com)

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INFORMATION: Station 1 (Pabst) located at 1400 Oconomowoc Parkway, Oconomowoc (262-567-7007) - MABAS Knox Box is located near main entrance on south side of building Station 2 (Dousman) located at 107 5. Main 8t, Dousman (262-965-2262) - MABAS Knox Box is located near the main entrance on east side of building Station 3 (Oconomowoc) located at 212 5. Concord Rd, Oconomowoc (262-569-3223) - MABAS Knox Box is located near rear entrance door on west side of building Station 4 (Sullivan) located at 312 Front 3t, Sullivan (262-593-2235) - MABAS Knox Box is located next to the north entrance door								

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THE WEMA & MABAS-WI CONFERENCES: OPPORTUNITES TO NETWORK; MAKE CONTACTS

BY GARY SCHMIDT

The **WEMA** and **MABAS Wisconsin** annual conferences (September 12-14, 2019 at the Stevens Point Holiday Inn & Conference Center) are jam-packed with presentations and break-out sessions. Another valuable aspect is having time to meet with your peers from around the State and neighboring states.

The joint \$200 conference fee includes on September 12th, a breakfast, lunch, and light snacks during the day and a DJ with hors d'oeuvres that evening. On Friday September 13th, lunch and an evening picnic is provided and on Saturday September 14th, lunch is included. In addition, the conference vendors set out snacks and beverages during their display times.

These informal gatherings are an excellent time to make contacts that may come in handy when planning your next training sessions or solving an operational issue or even mitigating a disaster you may find yourself in the middle of!

Incident Reporting Is Very Important

This newsletter issue is focused on the largest MABAS deployments to date, however, MABAS is used every day to prevent local incidents from becoming large, thereby saving lives and saving money by minimizing property loss. The value of MABAS cannot be understated, yet it is difficult to communicate that message across the State without an effective method to track the MABAS success story.

Incidents Entered February 1, 2019 thru March 5, 2019						
Date & Time	Location	Div.	Host Agency	Box Type		
2/2/2019 20:41	6618 HENRY RD	115	BELLEVILLE VOL FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant		
2/7/2019 8:25	2056 Skaalen Rd	115	STOUGHTON VOL FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant		
2/12/2019 5:50	17779 County Hwy. "X"	132	CHIPPEWA FIRE DIST	Structure - Non Hydrant		
2/14/2019 13:23	32 Crescent St.	114	RHINELANDER FIRE DEPT	Structure - Hydrant		
2/14/2019 13:34	641 Evergreen Ct.	114	RHINELANDER FIRE DEPT	Structure - Hydrant		
2/14/2019 13:39	550 Spring Lake Rd.	114	RHINELANDER FIRE DEPT	Structure - Hydrant		
2/14/2019 13:56	805 East Timber Dr.	114	NULL	Structure - Hydrant		
2/15/2019 10:16	N438 Lake Bernice Drive	120	CAMPBELLSPORT VOL FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant		
2/18/2019 19:45	5398 Paradise Lane	111	HARTFORD VOL FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant		
2/19/2019 3:13	S15 W22398 Arcadian Ave	106	WAUKESHA TWP FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant		
2/19/2019 10:36	820 Lake Drive	119	PORT WASHINGTON VOL FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant		
2/26/2019 8:59	W1876 Hein rd	105	ALBANY COMMUNITY FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant		
2/28/2019 0:42	5332 Stark Rd	115	SUN PRAIRIE VOL FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant		
3/1/2019 7:35	N3551 Will Rd.	118	JEFFERSON FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant		
3/2/2019 9:58	N12661 Cardinal Ave.	152	OWEN-WITHEE-CURTISS FIRE ASSN	Structure - Non Hydrant		
3/4/2019 13:23	249 W OAK STREET	119	GRAFTON VOL FIRE DEPT INC	Structure - Hydrant		
3/4/2019 20:05	2326 Barron-Dunn Ave.	117	SAND CREEK FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant		
3/5/2019 0:00	Hwy H and Hwy L	101	SOMERS FIRE DEPT	Life Safety		
3/5/2019 11:06	17421 W CHURCH ROAD	105	BRODHEAD VOL FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant		
3/5/2019 15:20	331 Main Ave, De Pere, WI 54115	112	DE PERE FIRE RESCUE	Structure - Hydrant		
3/5/2019 15:40	304 Cherry St.	149	PRENTICE VOL FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant		

Incident Reporting Is Easy To Do

MABAS Wisconsin has a tool in place to log the use of MABAS. The **Incident Entry Portal** can be accessed via http://incident.mabaswisconsin.org or through http://www.mabaswisconsin.org using the DBMS Login drop down box.

To enter an incident, login with a UserID of *mabas* **and a password of** *wisconsin*. After the initial entry, Departments need their specific credentials to alter the incident information or to alter the other information on the site about their department. Departments should contact their Division President for the login information

	Incidents Entered March 6, 2019 thru May 31, 2019						
Date & Time	Location	Div.	Host Agency	Box Type			
3/6/2019 7:55	I43 SB on Leo Frigo Bridge	112	GREEN BAY FIRE DEPT	Life Safety			
3/7/2019 16:10	N7801 Cedar Ln. Porterfield, WI	144	GROVER-PORTERFIELD FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant			
3/8/2019 22:52	5890 Lincoln Road	116	PITTSVILLE FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant			
3/9/2019 19:15	6901 S 76th St	107	FRANKLIN FIRE DEPT	Life Safety			
3/9/2019 20:48	6007 Municipal St	130	SOUTH AREA FIRE-EMERGENCY RESP	Structure - Hydrant			
3/10/2019 3:17	18385 High Meadow Dr	106	BROOKFIELD FIRE DEPT	Structure - Hydrant			
3/14/2019 7:50	Western Ave & East Branch of FDL	120	FOND DU LAC CITY FIRE DEPT	Ice/Water/Dive Rescue			
3/14/2019 10:09	729 Airport Camp Rd.	117	BOYCEVILLE VOL FIRE DEPT	Haz Mat			
3/15/2019 0:00	E10488 Terrytown Road	131	BARABOO FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant			
3/15/2019 4:02	1558 E. Mason Street	112	GREEN BAY FIRE DEPT	Ice/Water/Dive Rescue			
3/17/2019 2:07	4831 Ridge Rd, West Bend	111	KOHLSVILLE FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant			
3/17/2019 18:43	N1755 420th St.	117	MENOMONIE FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant			
3/25/2019 0:00	E5850 Tri County Road	142	FREMONT-WOLF RIVER FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant			
3/25/2019 16:56	410 East Ann Street	142	WEYAUWEGA AREA FIRE DIST	Structure - Hydrant			
3/26/2019 23:59	E2433 1370th Ave.	117	BOYCEVILLE VOL FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant			
3/28/2019 14:50	9033 CTH G	105	NEW GLARUS FIRE DEPT	Brush Fire			
3/28/2019 15:59	353 E GREEN BAY AVE	119	SAUKVILLE FIRE DEPT	Structure - Hydrant			
4/3/2019 11:01	818 Oregon Parks Ave	115	OREGON AREA FIRE/EMS DISTRICT	Structure - Hydrant			
4/5/2019 16:52	1202 Vandenburg St	115	SUN PRAIRIE VOL FIRE DEPT	Structure - Hydrant			
4/8/2019 19:25	400 O'malley St	115	WAUNAKEE VOL FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant			
4/11/2019 9:56	5263 County Rd T	108	BOSCOBEL VOL FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant			
4/17/2019 12:58	1155 134th Avenue	143	NEW RICHMOND FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant			
4/18/2019 21:14	1948 Cth B	115	STOUGHTON VOL FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant			
4/20/2019 12:46	W9055 River Lane	120	ST CLOUD VOL FIRE DEPT	Brush Fire			
4/24/2019 12:40	100 S. Broadway Street	112	GREEN BAY FIRE DEPT	Structure - Hydrant			
4/24/2019 14:46	4607 LOTUS LN	115	COTTAGE GROVE VOL FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant			
4/26/2019 1:48	W5566 County B, Peshtigo, WI	144	GROVER-PORTERFIELD FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant			
4/27/2019 18:37	8639 Davis St	115	MOUNT HOREB FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant			
5/4/2019 16:44	W5988 State Hwy 180, Wausaukee	144	WAUSAUKEE VOL FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant			
5/4/2019 16:44	428 180th Avenue Somerset WI	143	SOMERSET FIRE/RESCUE	Brush Fire			
5/7/2019 18:30	329 Terrace Ave., Marinette	144	MARINETTE FIRE DEPT	Structure - Hydrant			
5/11/2019 13:21	W309 N7442 Northern Dance Run	106	MERTON FIRE DEPT INC	Structure - Non Hydrant			
5/12/2019 19:45	5070 Grossman Ave.	114	RHINELANDER FIRE DEPT	Structure - Hydrant			
5/13/2019 22:48	1224 BASS LAKE ROAD	143	ST JOSEPH VOL FIRE DEPT	Structure - Non Hydrant			
5/19/2019 13:12	29 Woods Pl	120	FOND DU LAC CITY FIRE DEPT	Structure - Hydrant			
5/20/2019 7:24	768 N. Parkway	118	JEFFERSON FIRE DEPT	Commercial - Hydrant			
5/23/2019 17:26	HWY S & HWY EA	101	SOMERS FIRE DEPT	Life Safety			

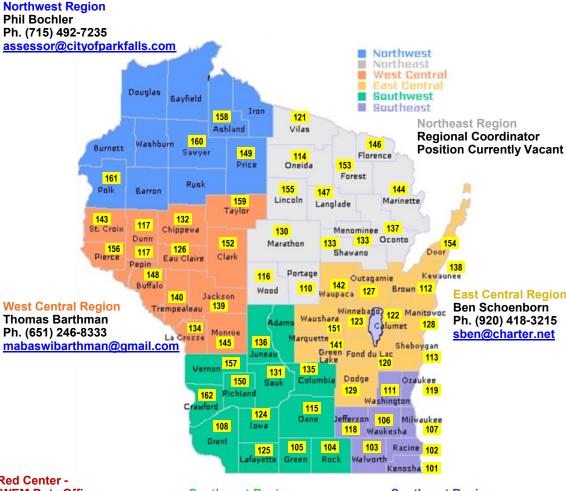


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