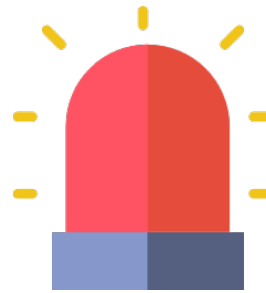


FIRE & EMERGENCY SERVICES

2016 by the Numbers



Our Fire Experience: Influencing Factors

Influencing factors can create variances in both our actual fire experience and data comparisons from year-to-year.

Fire Prevention & Education Activities

such as enforcement of the fire code, presence of smoke alarms, and efforts to educate the public can create greater awareness of fire risk in the community

Geography & Weather

station locations, topography, road congestion and condition, and severe weather (including the impact of climate change) affects response

Nature & Extent of Fire Risk

Type of building or occupancy and type of emergency affect emergency operations

Response Agreements

Mutual aid and automatic aid agreements

Service Levels

are set by local municipal council based on local needs and circumstances

Staffing Model

The Gravenhurst Fire Department is a "composite" fire service comprised mostly of volunteer firefighters



Calls For Service **256**



Estimated Dollar Loss Due to Fires **\$408,000.00**



Injuries **1**
Fatalities **1**



Budget **\$835.393.**
Cost per Capita **\$69.30/yr.**
\$5.77/mo.



Recruits in Training **7**



Regular FF's & Officers in Training **40**



Media /Public Events **55**



Fire Code Inspections **128**



Geography and Demographics – Statistics Canada records (2011 amended census) tally the population of Gravenhurst at **12,055 persons residing in 4,845 of its 8,202 total dwellings**, a 9.1% change from 2006. With a **land area of 518.59 km² (200.23 sq. mi)**, it had a **population density of 22.5670/km² (58.4482/sq. mi)** in 2011. In 2006, the population of Gravenhurst was 95.6% white, 2.0% Aboriginal and 2.4% visible minorities. In the summer months, Gravenhurst has a population of approximately 34,000 due to cottagers coming up to stay for the summer. **Age Structure:** 0–14 years: 14.6%, 15–64 years: 64.3%, 65 years and over: 21.1%.

