



# Two Harbors Fire Department

522 1st Avenue – Two Harbors, Minnesota 55616

## THFD 2008 year in review

**580 square miles and 6800 people served by 22 members of Two Harbors FD**

55 calls in City of Two Harbors  
48 calls in UT2 and Silver Creek (Lake County collectively)  
2 calls in St. Louis County – mutual aid given

**1,458 personnel hours were spent on calls for 2008**

Average time for a fire truck to leave the hall enroute to a scene = 2.7 min  
Average number of responding personnel = 11.2 firefighters

12 structure fires: Average time for first truck on-scene = 4.8 minutes inside city limits  
10.8 minutes outside of city limits

23 vehicle accidents: Avg. time for first truck on-scene = 5.1 min (in TH) 12.2 min (in LC)

16 fire alarms/false alarms                      7 vehicle fires                      7 vegetation fires

9 hazardous materials incidents              3 CO detector calls

3 service calls (downed lines, traffic assist, etc)

25 landing zones (16 in Two Harbors, 9 in Lake County)

**Training: 1,545.5 personnel hours were spent on training/practice for 2008**

The following is a breakdown of the Wednesday evening trainings:

17 hrs - SAR and fireground operations	10 hrs - SCBA
10 hrs – pumps	6 hrs – equipment (hose testing, inventory, etc)
4 hrs – hydrants	4 hrs – emergency vehicle driving
4 hrs – wildland fire operations	3 hrs – ladders
3 hrs – confined space	3 hrs – CPR/First Aid
3 hrs – preplans	2 hrs – ICS

**Fire Prevention: Over 65 personnel hours were donated by THFD members for fire prevention education reaching approximately 400 students.**

In addition, members donated time for community involvement such as Heritage Days parade, Winter Frolic events and parade, 4<sup>th</sup> of July races, Lake County Fair, and other local events.

***We Protect, Serve & Educate***