

ELM GROVE VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPT.



SERVING THE VILLAGE FOR THE PAST 65 YEARS

Come Join

“The Few Who Serve Many”

We are currently looking for volunteers who would like to be part of **“an experience of a lifetime”**.

For more information call Chief David Kastenholz at 782-6700 ext. 251 or stop at the station any Tuesday evening from 7:00pm-9:00pm for a tour.





2481 New First Response Unit

- Structure, vehicle and other types of fires
- Automatic alarms and CO calls
- Motor vehicle accidents with or without extrication
- Ice and water rescues
- Downed powerlines
- Natural gas leaks

A Crew of 2 Firefighters can initiate a transitional fire attack 4-6 min. sooner than our first due engine

- 2 – 200ft. Hose reels
- 250 gallons of water
- Class A and B foam (10 gal. each)

PYROLANCE SYSTEM

- Quick hose deployment for a transitional fire attack
- Can easily navigate driveways
- Provides an ultra-high pressure foam stream for quick fire cooling and knockdown



Residential Home Box System - on line order with Knox



Knox HomeBox

No Backplate
Wall Mount
Model #1501
Retail \$167



Knox HomeBox

Security Door
Hanger Mount
Model #1502SH
Retail \$183

Box options

KeySecure
System
with an
access
audit trail



The Knox Home Box system allow residents to securely store a house key that can be accessed by Police, EMS and Fire during an emergency. The access keys are locked in the KeySecure system that registers which emergency responder retrieved the master Knox Box key.

Location, Information and instructions on the Box are kept in the Dispatch CAD System

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Smoke

CO



2021 Fire
Prevention
Week

Oct. 3 - Oct. 9

Smoke
and CO



“Learn the Sounds of Fire Safety”

Home Safety Tips

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Keeping your home safe from fire

Do you have smoke and CO alarms installed on every level of your home?

Are there alarms outside every sleeping area?

Do your smoke and CO alarms work? (Do you test them once per month and replace the batteries at least once a year? Consider installing smoke and CO alarms with a long-life (10 year) battery. These alarm must also be tested once a month.)

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Keeping your home safe from fire

Does everyone in your home know the sound of your smoke and CO alarms? Read the manual to learn the difference between 1 chirp every minute and 5 chirps.

Are any smoke or CO alarms in your home 7-10 years old? (If so, they should be replaced.)

Does your family have a home fire escape plan, and do you practice it every six months?

Are your portable fire extinguishers fully charged?

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Safe and warm

Are space heaters at least 3 feet away from walls, sofas and anything else that can burn?

Has your chimney been inspected or cleaned in the past 12 months?

If you have a fireplace does it have a sturdy screen to catch sparks?

Has your heating system been professionally inspected or serviced in the past 12 months?

Home Safety Tips

Kitchen Tips

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Does the adult stay in the kitchen when something's cooking on the stove?

Is your stove top clean – no grease, no spills, no clutter?

When you cook, do you turn pot handles in toward the back of the stove?

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Smoking materials

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Are matches and lighters locked up high, out of sight and reach?

If anyone smokes in your home, do you have large, deep, non-tip, non-combustible ashtrays?

Are cigarette and cigar butts and ashes soaked with water before throwing them away?

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Hazardous materials

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Are paints, gasoline, and other flammable liquids stored away from flames and sparks?

Is gasoline stored outside the home in a separate shed or garage?

Is your storage area clean – no oily rags, used paint, or varnish rags?

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House wiring

Do the tripping points of your fuses or breakers match the capacity of the circuits they protect?

Are bathroom and kitchen wall outlets protected by ground-fault circuit-interrupters (GFCI's)

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