

DEPARTMENT	FIRE DEPARTMENT
FIRE CHIEF	Kurt MacDonald



INITIATIVE	DETAILS	ANTICIPATED COMPLETION DATE	% OF TASK COMPLETE	UPDATE & COMMENTS
Capital Projects				
Chevy Tahoe Replacement	Vehicle used by Fire Chief for both emergency and non emergency calls, and for daytime work duties	12/31/2023	95%	Project has been delayed by supply chain issues. Computer and charging system are expected to arrive by February 14 2024.
Self Contained Breathing Apparatus Replacement	Self contained breathing apparatus used to perform interior firefighting operations and protect the respiratory tracts of firefighters when working in hazardous environments	12/31/2024	10%	January 31 2024 - Background work on different options being investigated. Work will fully begin once budget has been approved.
Operational Projects				
2023-2024 Recruit class	Recruit Training Program	9/30/2024	42%	September 20 2023 - Training program complete.
Training Officer Assistant (TOA) Position	TOA will assist Deputy Chief Training with the development and delivery of firefighter training programs as well as provide another asset for daytime emergency responses.	4/30/2024	25%	Job description completed, job posting TBD.
Strategic Initiatives				
Emergency and Disaster Management Act (EDMA) - Implementation	Working with CVEM to understand,advise and develop a plan to implement new EDMA regulations	12/31/2024	10%	Feedback paper sent back to Province, waiting for regulations that will guide the CVEM to be written by the Province.