

Philomath Fire & Rescue has been serving the citizens of Philomath since 1930. The mission of the organization continues to revolve around the principle of service to our community.

It is only with the support of our community that we can continue to provide the level of service that is expected.



Have you considered what you can do to prevent fires? If you're looking for ways to protect your home and neighborhood, please go to our website www.philomathfire.com.



Have you ever thought about volunteering in your community as a Firefighter or EMS personnel? At Philomath Fire & Rescue we are always looking for people who are prepared to be prepared! Join us and become involved in our community!

If you are interested in volunteering, go to our website to complete an application or pick up a paper application at 1035 Main Street, Philomath, OR 97370.



Philomath Fire & Rescue

The preservation of property, through the extinguishment and prevention of fires.

The protection and care of human life through education and treatment.

The development of character through commitment and teamwork.

Who we are and what we do

- •7 career staff, and 40+ volunteer fire and EMS responders
- •700+ calls per year
- Provide Fire and Life Safety Education and Outreach
- •Fire and EMS Service to 9,000+ residents, over 58 square miles
- Mutual aid for Corvallis, Blodgett, Kings Valley, Alsea, Monroe, Adair, Albany, and Oregon Department of Forestry
- Medical Standby at events
- •Frolic, football games, wild-land certification testing



- •Wild-land Fire Management
- Education

We need some help



Aging Apparatus

- •Fire trucks, rescue vehicles outlived projected lifespan
- •In good condition because of care, but becoming less reliable and outdated
- Emergency equipment needs replacing
- •Self contained breathing apparatus, heart monitors, portable radios, turnouts
- •Call Volume & Population

Increase



Outgrown Facilities

- •Built in 1976, designed for 1 staff
- •No increase in tax funding since 1992

We have a plan

Master Plan developed by community members

For more information about the Master Plan, visit our website: www.philomathfire.com

\$3.5 million bond over 10 years

- •Approximately \$.50 per \$1000 assessed home value
- •Average monthly increase of less than \$7

Provide 24 hr Leadership

•Adjust current Lieutenants' schedules to provide officer coverage for after-hours calls

Apparatus

- Update aging fleet
- •Reliable response
- •Reduce repair expense

Equipment

•Update and replace outdated equipment to ensure safety of firefighters and public

Facility Improvement

- •Seismic upgrade
- Expand to accommodate needs of staff and public
- •Build dorms for more on-site staff and volunteers = Quicker response