Chief's Report October 2022

- -Ember Alliance is preparing a draft of the first two of four sections for our review. Last month they met with Mike Fassula and representatives from Jeffco Open Space and Olinger (Mt. Lindo). Jeffco Open Space seemed excited with the prospect of working cooperatively in future grant writing for large scale mitigation projects on Mt. Lindo and Mt. Falcon Parks. They're working on setting up a meeting with Xcel Energy to discuss the opportunities and limitations of right of way mitigation for November as well as a follow up meeting with Olinger. Olinger is an eager partner in mitigation as well.
- -We have started receiving some of the State PPE Grant we were awarded. So far just some wildland stuff, but the helmets should be coming soon and of course, the air packs are months away.
- -Paramedic academy-I start my Capstone tomorrow. Experience at Falck has been outstanding.
- Cybersecurity-Large cyberattack earlier this week led to a discussion with our IT contractor and he recommends we upgrade to a firewall. Cost will be about \$1600 up front cost, then \$50/month going forward.

Calls for October:

- 6-MVAs
- 2-Medicals
- 1-Gas Leak
- 1-Odor Investigation
- 4-Public Assists
- 1-Smoke Check
- 16-Total for October
- 144- year to date total