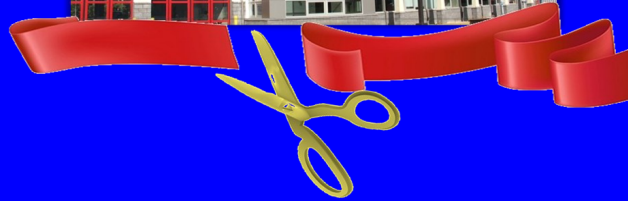


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## Ribbon Cutting Ceremony Station 6 Coles District Station



## Community Safety Section Monthly Update

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DECEMBER 2019

## FIRE MARSHAL'S OFFICE

### NEW CONSTRUCTION & FIRE PROTECTION

127 fire protection plan reviews for sprinkler, fire alarm, underground fire lines, and kitchen hoods.

300 fire protection system inspections, 25 building occupancy inspections, and 29 Operational Permits (HUPs).

### PERMITS, PLANS & SPECIAL INSPECTIONS

Fire Lane Inspections: 3

Knox Box Inspections: 2

FMO Follow up: 11

Fire Prevention Inspections: 303

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### New Fire & Rescue Station – Station 22

Construction is underway on the new Fire and Rescue Station 22. The approximate 21,000 square foot station will be located on the west end of the county and will house an engine, rescue, collapse unit and Advanced Life Support ambulance. Career staffing will provide 24-hour coverage on the engine, rescue and medic unit. The building will include sleeping quarters, a kitchen and a dayroom, physical fitness room, training room, storage for heavy tactical rescue equipment and offices. The station will include three to four apparatus bays, an area for personal protective equipment, and an exterior training tower.

The new station is located at 11600 Balls Ford Road in Manassas and is expected to open by November 2020.



# OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

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## What's New in Emergency Management

### Emergency Management Hosts the L-0965 & L-0967 All-Hazards IMT Courses

Prince William County Emergency Management (PWCEM) hosted the L-0965 All-Hazards Incident Management Team (IMT) 'Resource Unit Leader' course, taught by instructors from Wiland Associates. The course took an in-depth look into the roles and responsibilities of the Resource Unit from an IMT perspective, but many of the principles apply to the Emergency Operations Center (EOC) setting as well. Students came from various backgrounds, including Prince William County Emergency Management, Montgomery County Fire & Rescue, Henrico County Police Department, Virginia Department of Emergency Management (VDEM), and others.

PWCEM also hosted the L-0967 All-Hazards IMT 'Logistics Section Chief' course, which was a week-long course, also taught by instructors from Wiland Associates. This course provided an overview of the Logistics Section roles and responsibilities in the IMT environment, but also provided valuable information in the EOC setting. Students represented such agencies as: PWCEM, VDEM, the United States Coast Guard, Prince William County Health District, Team Rubicon, and Fairfax County Health Department.

### Emergency Events Information — Did you know?

An emergency can occur at any time and any place. There are various types of emergencies from the uncommon as biological, chemical and radiological emergencies to the more common as home and weather emergencies, all of which can become an immediate danger to life. No matter the emergency, increase your chances of survival by being informed and prepared.

If you reside in the county, you should sign up for PWC Alerts at [pwcgov.org/alerts](https://pwcgov.org/alerts). (As an employee, you are automatically enrolled in the county's internal alert system.) For emergency event information visit <https://emergency.pwcgov.org/>.



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# PUBLIC INFORMATION & PUBLIC EDUCATION

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My PWC Firefighter  
Pictures with Santa  
Station 26  
December 7 & 8, 2019





**Breakfast with Santa**  
**Buckhall VFD (Station 16)**  
**December 8, 2019**



**Pancake Breakfast with Santa**  
**Lake Jackson VFD (Station 7)**  
**December 14, 2019**



## TOYS FOR TOTS 2019

With your help and commitment we were able to collect and deliver approximately **13,136** toys to help less fortunate children, in the region, experience the joy of the Christmas Holiday Season.

# FROM THE DESK OF --- SANTA CLAUS

*Dear Santa's Little Helper's*

*I just wanted to send you a little thank you note for helping me and the United States Marine's this year with the Toys for Tots Drive! With all your help, hard work and dedication and a lil' Christmas Spirit it has helped many less fortunate children in the region experience the joy of the Christmas Holiday Season!*

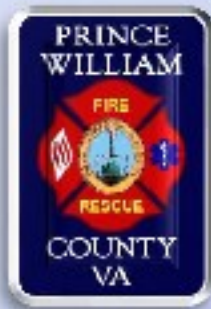
*Wishing you a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!*

*Santa*

*Santa Claus - Director, Christmas Operations*



*Official Santa Mail - Sorted by Elves - Delivered by magic - Especially for you.*



*You're Invited ...*

Ribbon Cutting Ceremony of  
**Fire and Rescue Station 6**



Wednesday, January 29, 2020

Beginning at 2:00pm

**Coles District Station**

**13712 Dumfries Road**

**Manassas, Virginia 20112**

*Please RSVP to Darlene Allison at [dallison@pwcgov.org](mailto:dallison@pwcgov.org)*

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