

Your Hailey Fire Department 2014



2014 Year in Review
Craig Aberbach – Fire Chief

Mission & Vision Statements

- The mission of this Department is to protect lives and property through rescue of trapped or injured persons, effective and efficient **firefighting**, and hazard mitigation; provide **Emergency Medical Services**; and to conduct appropriate **fire prevention** and **education** programs for its citizens.
- It is the vision of The Hailey Fire Department to provide unfaltering service to the citizens of this community. We will rise at any hour to help our neighbor. Let no barrier stop us from answering a cry for help. Let every member find, within themselves, the fortitude to excel at their craft to aid their brothers and sisters. Uncompromised, unwavering service with compassion. This organization shall bond together to reach this common purpose. This is our task.

This is our goal.

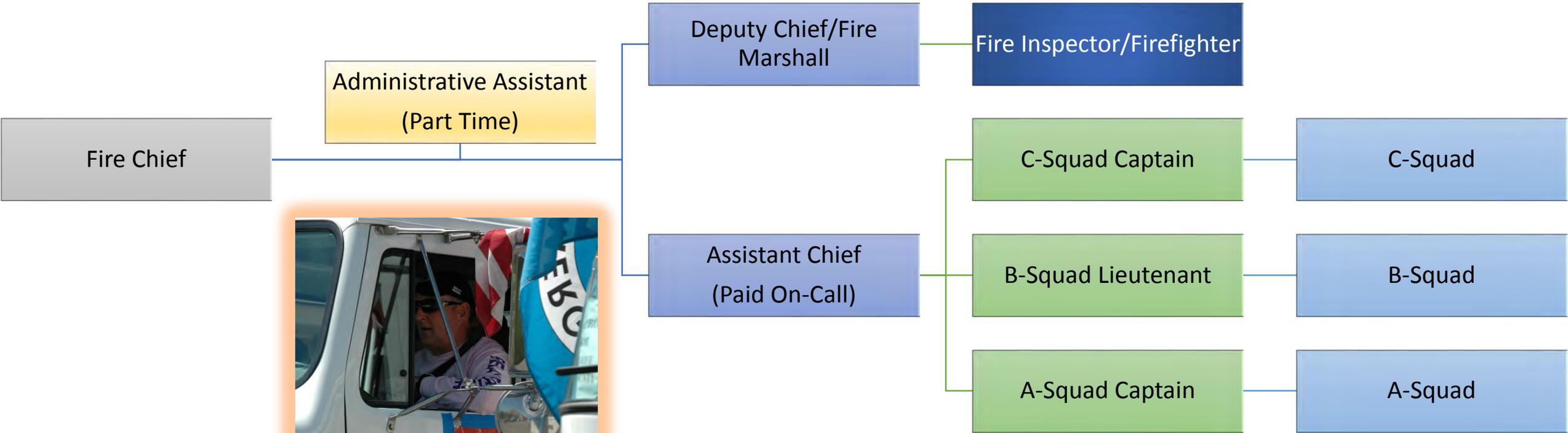


Department Demographics

- Three full time positions – all certified for emergency care
 - Fire Chief
 - Deputy Chief/Fire Marshall
 - Fire Inspector/Firefighter
- One part time Administrative Assistant
- 19 Active Volunteers +
 - 5 Recruits presently enrolled in Fire Academy
- Respond to:
 - All medical calls in Hailey
 - All structure fires in Hailey, Wood River & Bellevue (auto aid agreements)
 - Any other emergency that doesn't require a gun
 - In 2014 we responded to 495 calls for service.



FIRE DEPARTMENT ORGANIZATIONAL CHART

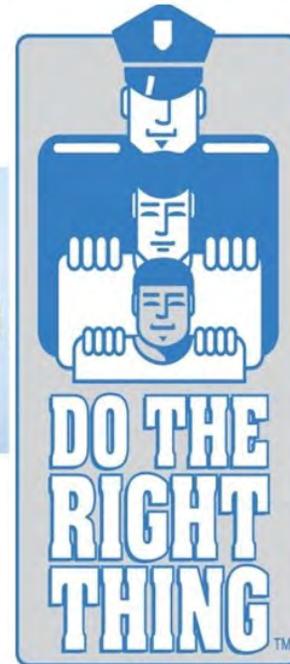
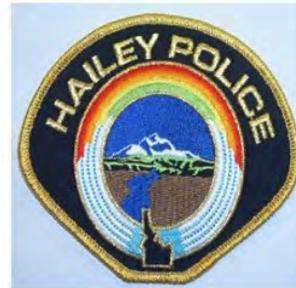


Review of Projects for 2014

- Re-established and improved auto-aid agreement with Wood River FD- **Completed**
- Partnering with Wood River High School in establishing a Fire Explorer Program - **Completed**
- Partnering with Hailey Police and Blaine County Schools in establishing a Do The Right Thing Program - **Completed**
- Partnering with Eastern Kentucky University with an Intern Program (for credit) - **Completed**
- Preparing for 2015 ISO Evaluation – **On Going**
- Put in service two Rescue Bikes at no cost to city - **Outfitting**
- Research and Apply for new grant opportunities - **On Going**
 - **Received 3 Grants (Wildland PPE, Fire Prevention, EMS)**
- Continue to support community activities - **On Going**



Do The Right Thing



Fire Explorer Program

- We began our program after Jan. 2014 with 4 Juniors from WRHS
 - Started with juniors so they can mentor and lead the program their senior year.
- Current School Year – we have 7 explorers which includes three of four returning and additional 4 from WRHS and other schools.



Fire Prevention in the Schools

- Hailey Preschools
 - 10 – Locations
 - 171 attendees
- Hailey Elementary
 - Kindergarten
 - 3 Classes
 - 50 Students
 - 2nd Grade
 - 2 Classes
 - 80 Students
 - 4th Grade
 - 4 Classes
 - 86 Students
- Alturas Elementary
 - Kindergarten
 - 4 Classes
 - 80 Students
- Alturas Elementary
 - 2nd Grade
 - 2 Classes
 - 85 Students
 - 4th Grade
 - 4 Classes
 - 68 Students

In two weeks during October 2014 we had direct contact with 620 local students during 30 presentations

2014 Higher Ground Activities

- Field trips to fire station
- Play days at the park
- Movie premiere



Girl Scouts & the Department

- Station Tours
- Projects
 - Smokey the Bear
 - Monument Garden



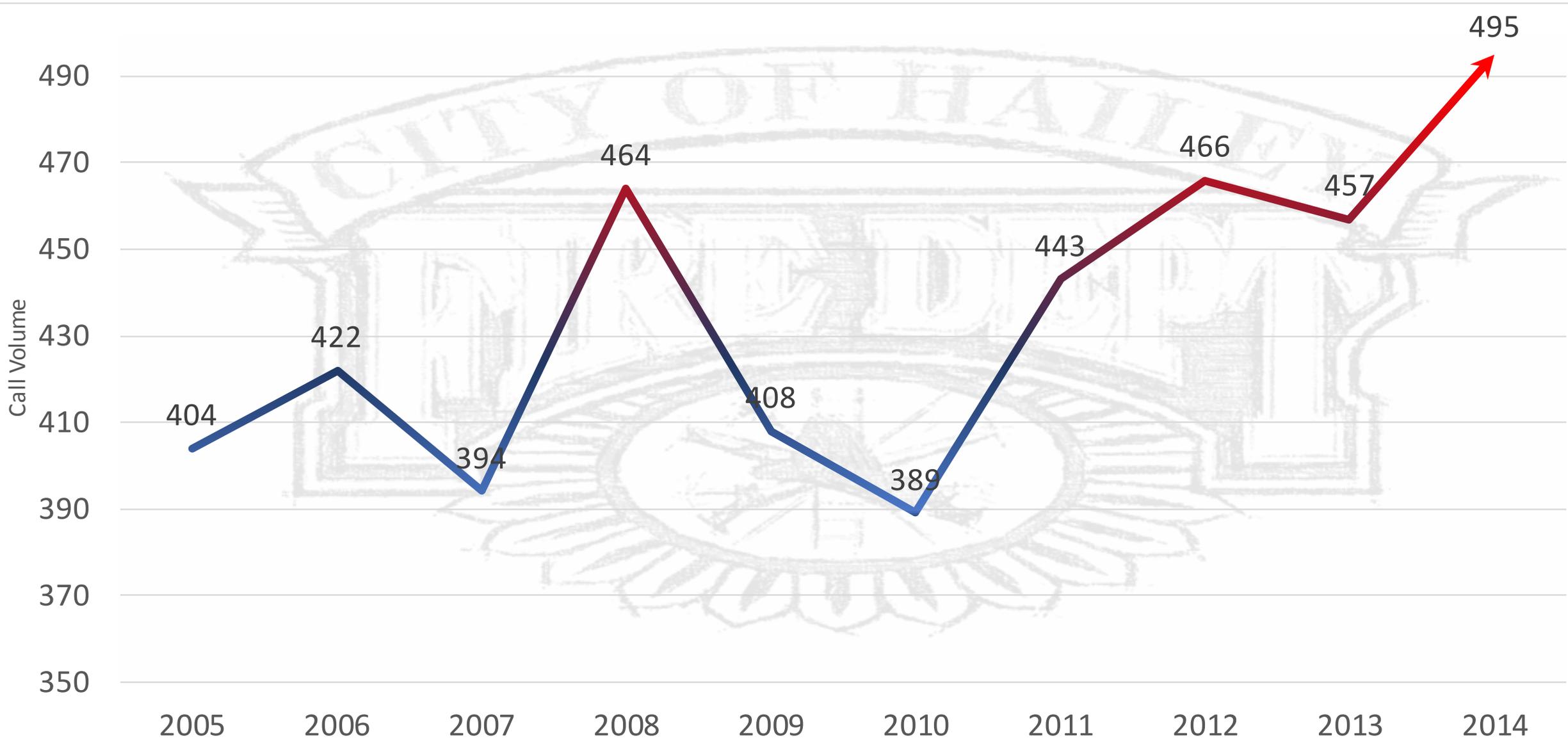
Other Department Projects

- New Flagpole
- Santa delivery
- Support the Advocates
- Had Largest Turnout for any Chamber "BAH"
- Hosted two Live Fire training burns
- Relay for Life team– Second place
- Summer Carnival– last day of school
- Responded to Washington State for “Upper Falls” fire – 2 weeks
- Actively working with the Blaine County School District on Emergency Management training
- Provide for local “fire loss” victims – through Red Cross, Salvation Army and Hailey Firefighters Association
- Partnered with Red Cross in Home Safety & Smoke Detector program

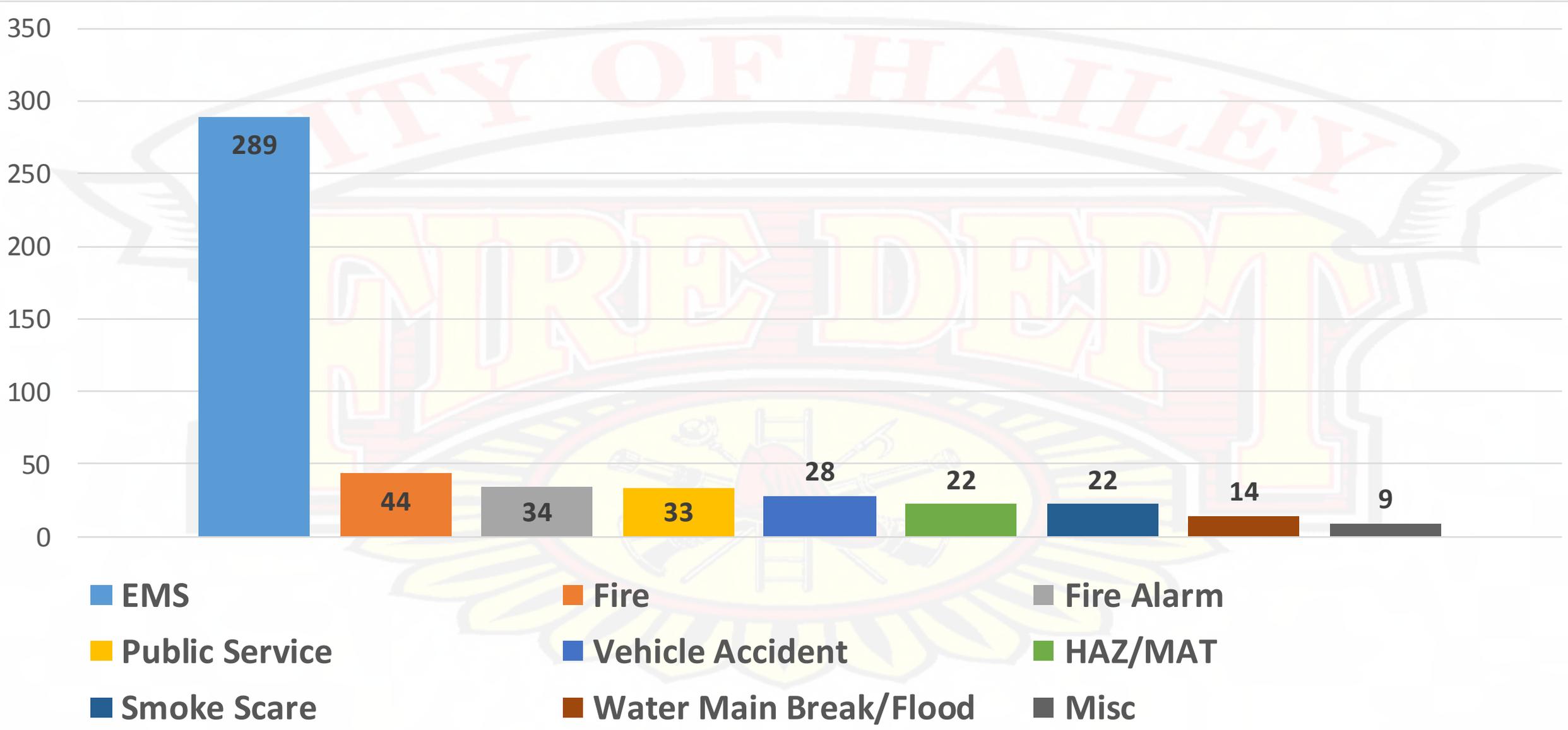


CALL VOLUME BY YEAR

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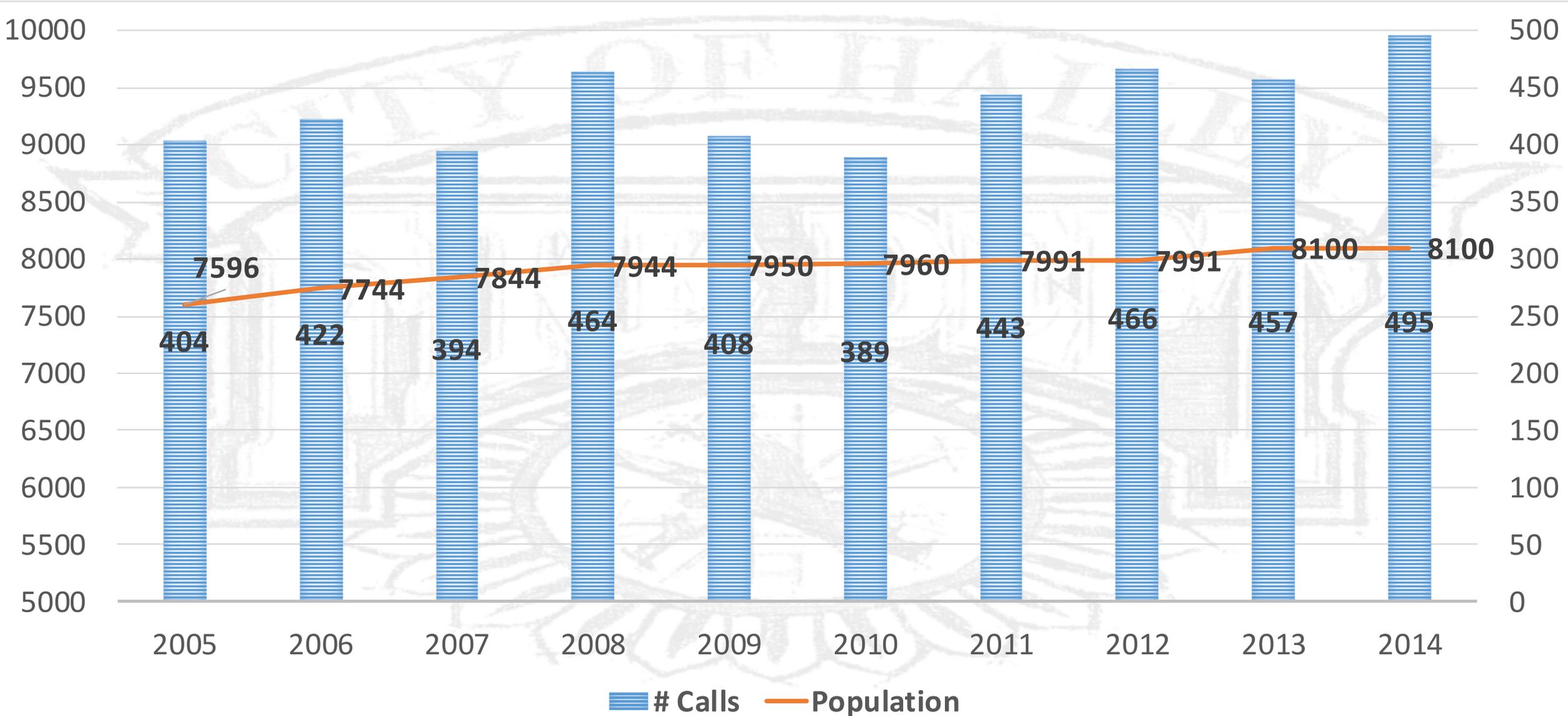
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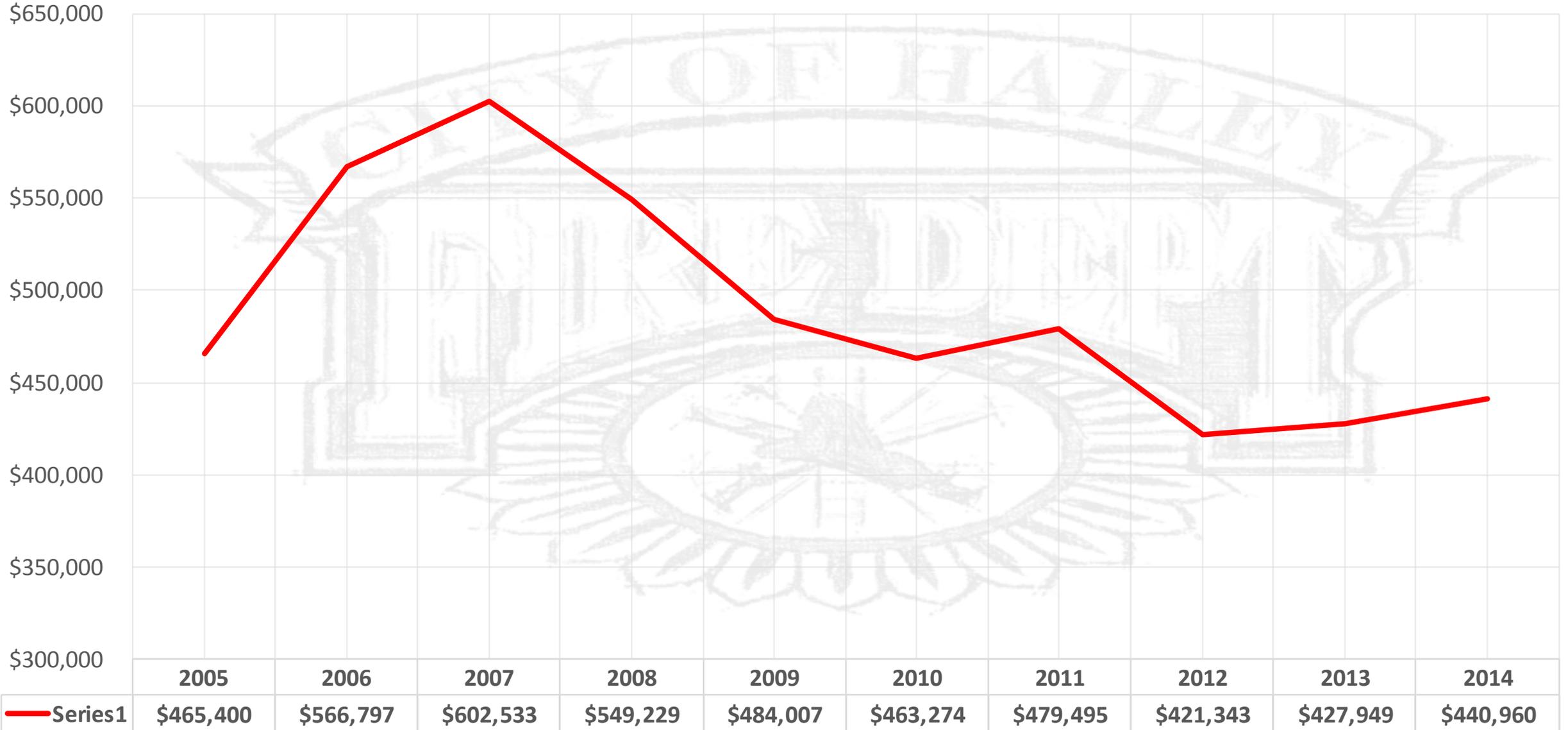
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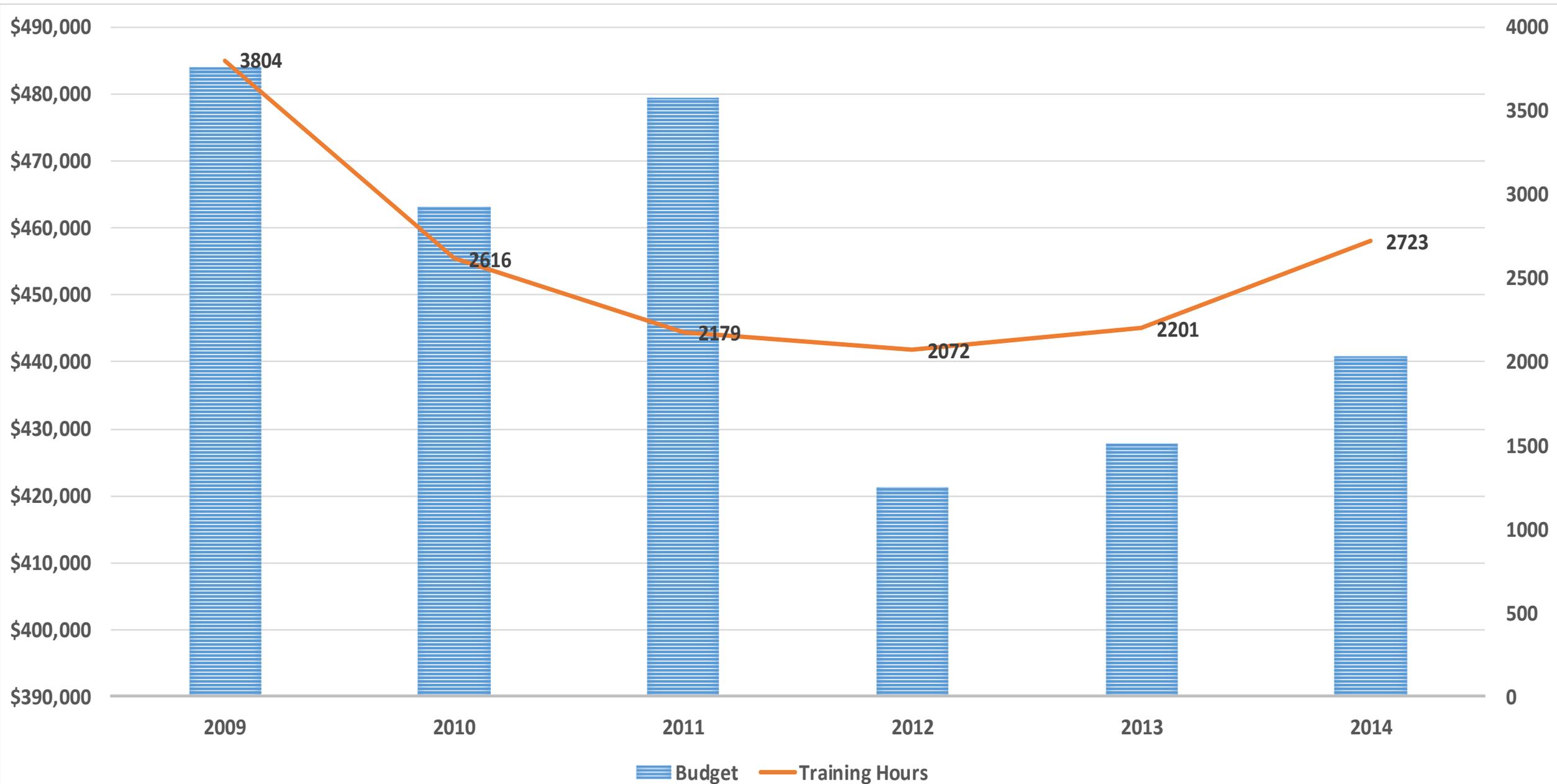
CALL VOLUME VS POPULATION



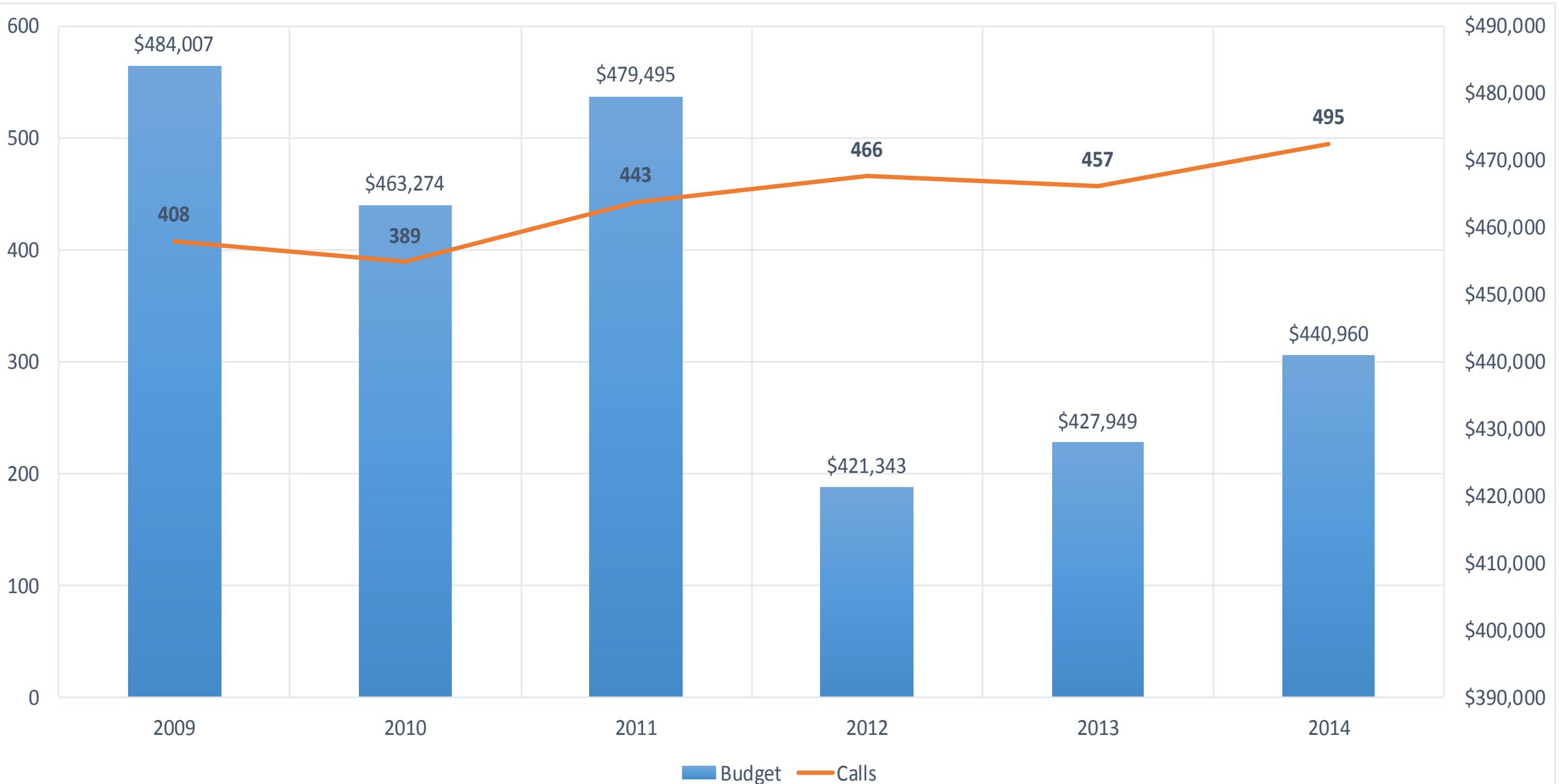
10 Year Budget



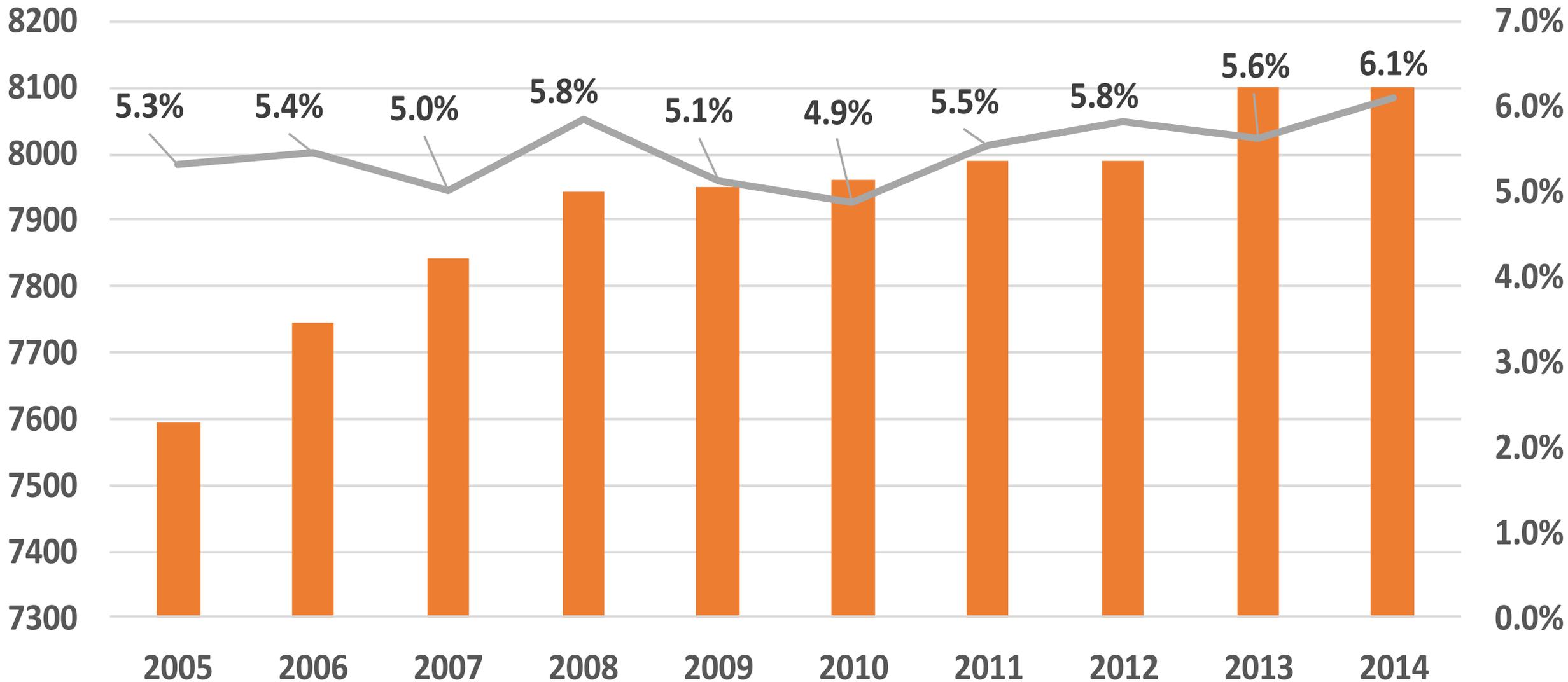
BUDGET VS TRAINING HOURS



BUDGET VS CALLS

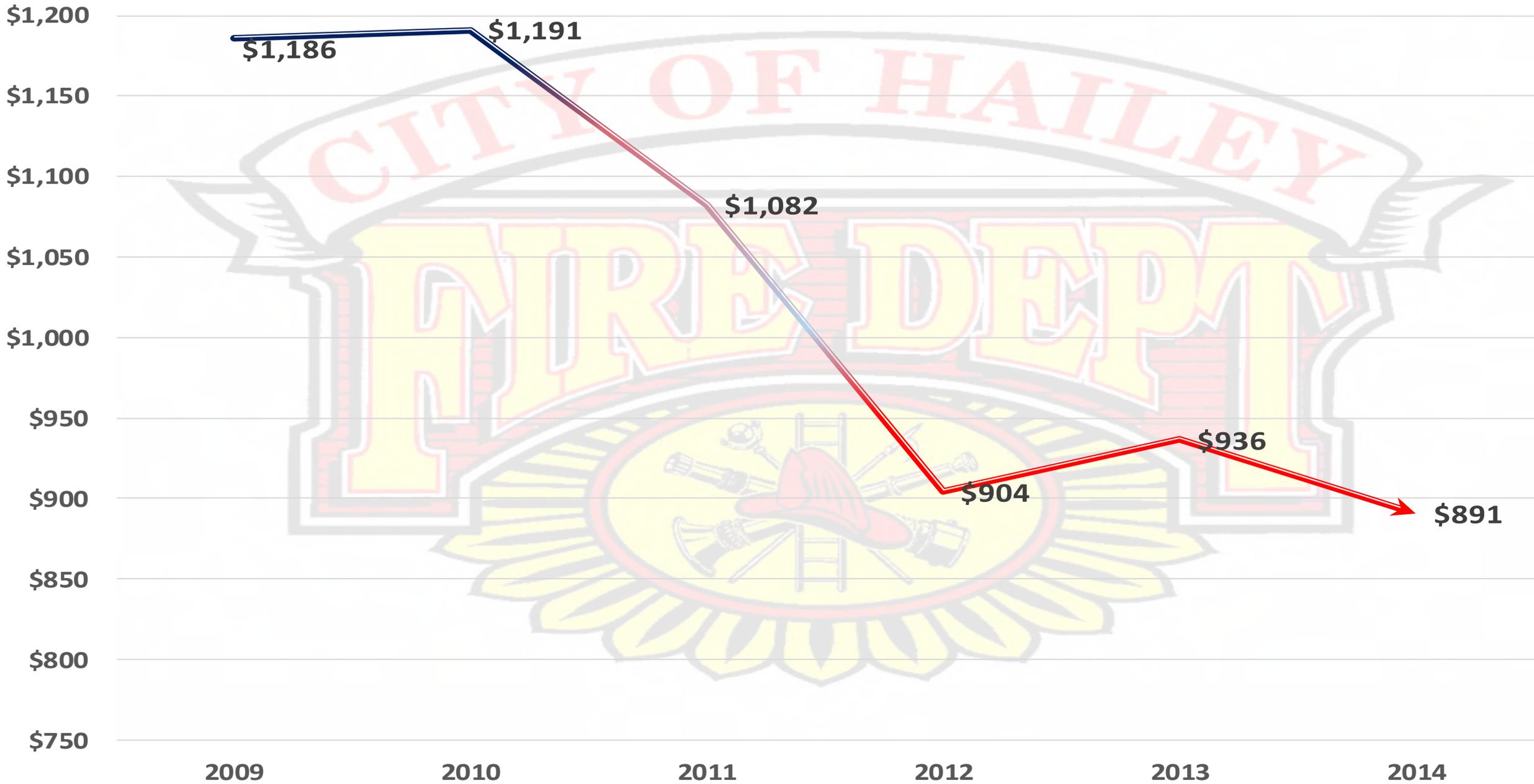


POPULATION VS RESPONSE CONTACT

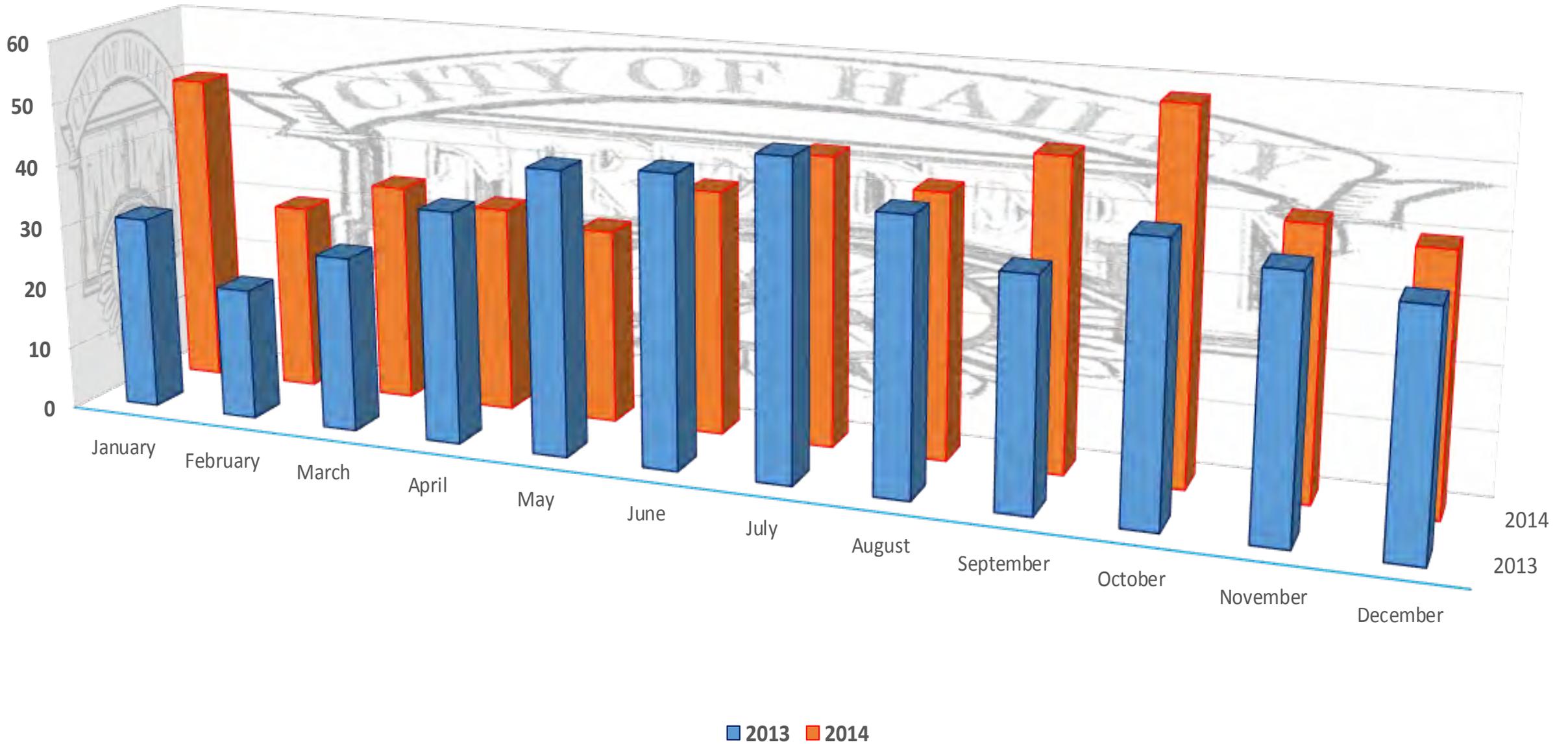


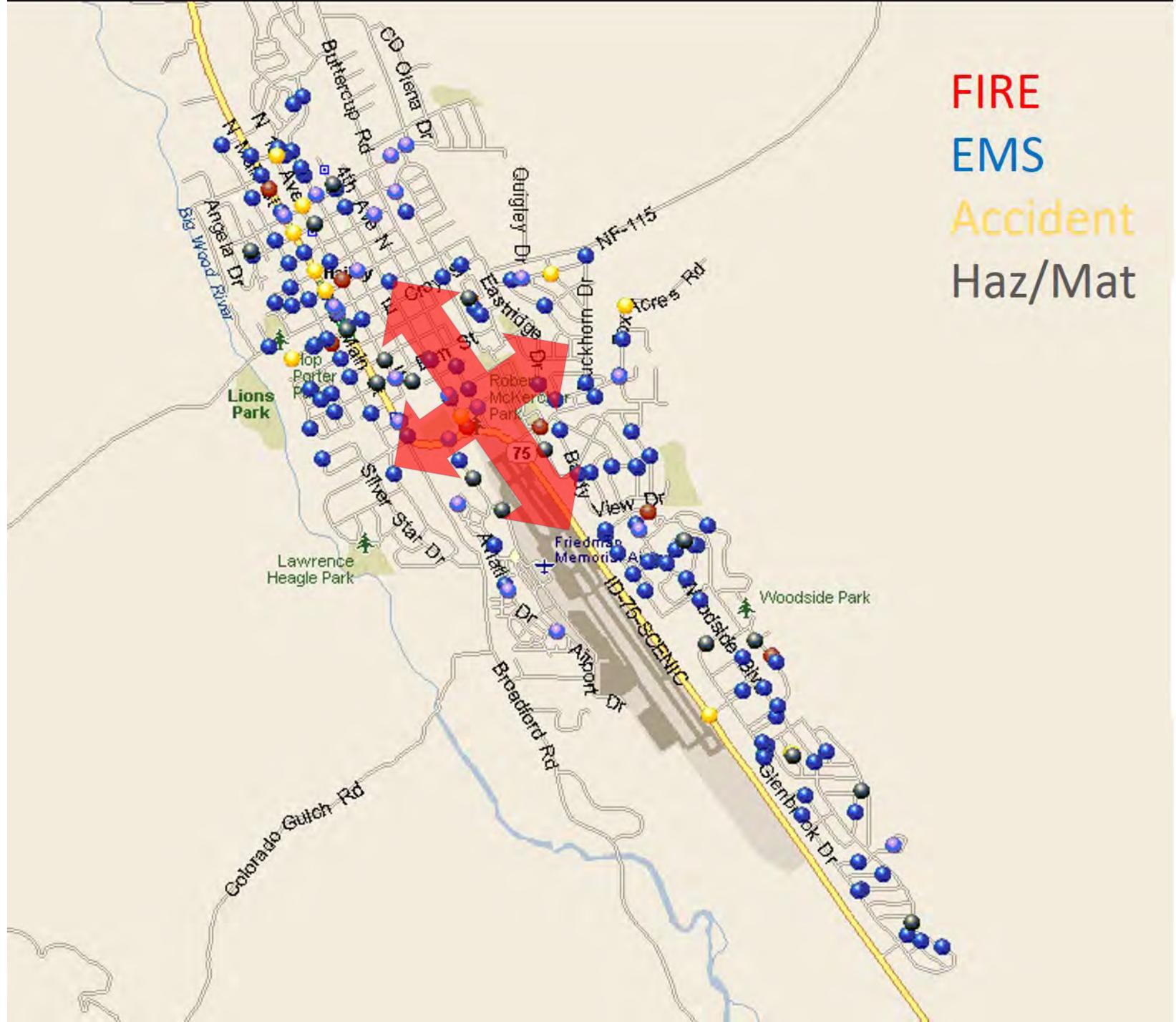
Population **Resident Contact**

COST PER CALL



CALL VOLUME PER MONTH







Projects for 2015

- Work with neighboring South Valley Fire Departments in expanding training programs.
- Partner with neighboring Fire Departments in maximizing emergency responses.
- Work to streamline and improve current Fire Department processes:
 - Online report writing
 - Digital filing
- Work with City Administration with apparatus and equipment refurbishment plan.
- Work with other Blaine County Fire Department's for regional grants

Thank You –

Any Questions?

