Atlanta Fire Rescue Department Quarterly Review

June 14, 2021 Roderick Smith, Fire Chief

Atlanta Fire Rescue Department (AFRD) Mission and Vision

Mission: The Atlanta Fire Rescue **Department provides prompt quality** services to our stakeholders that promotes safety, well-being, enhances sustainability, and enriches the quality of life through professional development and dedication to service.



Goals and Objectives

Atlanta City Council

- Work with Mayoral Administration to ensure fire engines are fully staffed
- AFRD Fire Station renovations and replacements
- Provide a plan for a lateral hiring/recruitment program
- Develop plan for new AFRD training facility

Atlanta Fire Rescue Department

- Provide a safe working environment for all AFRD members
- Complete enhancements, repairs and replacements of AFRD facilities and fleet



Service Excellence (Calls for Service)

Organizational Priorities



Staffing Strategies

(Staffing and Attrition)



Fleet, Facility Enhancements and Construction

(Renovation, Construction, Additions, Replacements)

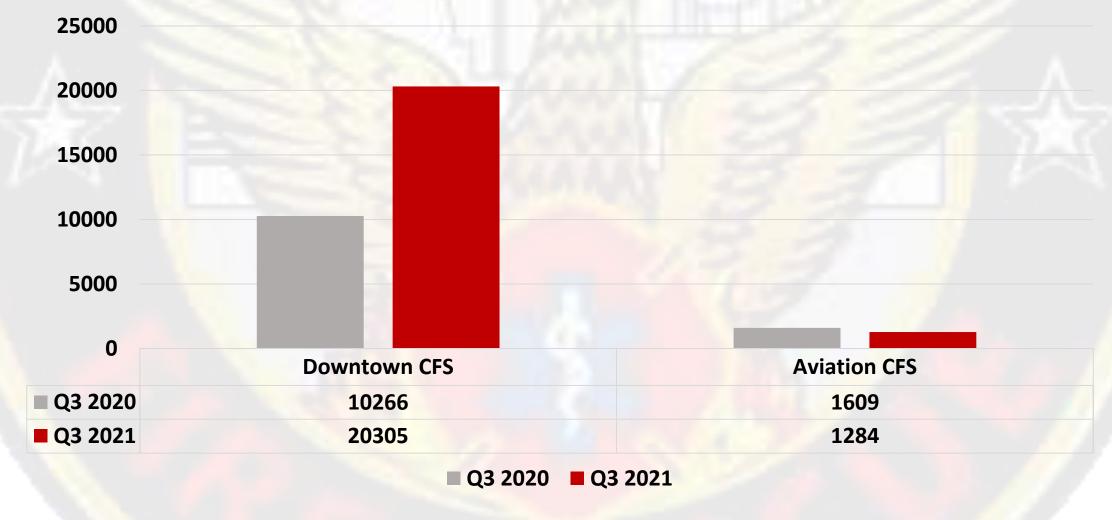


Calls for Service

		Airport - FY21-Q3		
Category	January	February	March	Total
ARFF	8	5	11	24
EMS	353	332	434	1,119
Fire	26	56	19	101
Hazmat	2		1	3
Jet fuel spilled	2	3	4	9
Technical Rescue	6	2		8
Other	6	8	6	20
Total	403	406	475	1,284

		Downtown - FY21 - Q3		
Category	January	February	March	Total
EMS	4,796	4,289	5,156	14,241
Fire	1,316	1,102	1,315	3,733
Hazmat	28	36	32	96
Technical Rescue	116	108	133	357
Other	634	599	645	1,878
Total	6,890	6,134	7,281	20,305









Staffing Strategies

FY2021 Third Quarter Staffing Strategies

General Fund	Authorized FTE	Position Vacancies	Vacancy Rate
Sworn	683	162	24%
Civilians	64	16	25%
General Fund Total	747	178	24%

Sworn Staffing Strength (Filled)

856

Above includes
Firefighter
Recruits

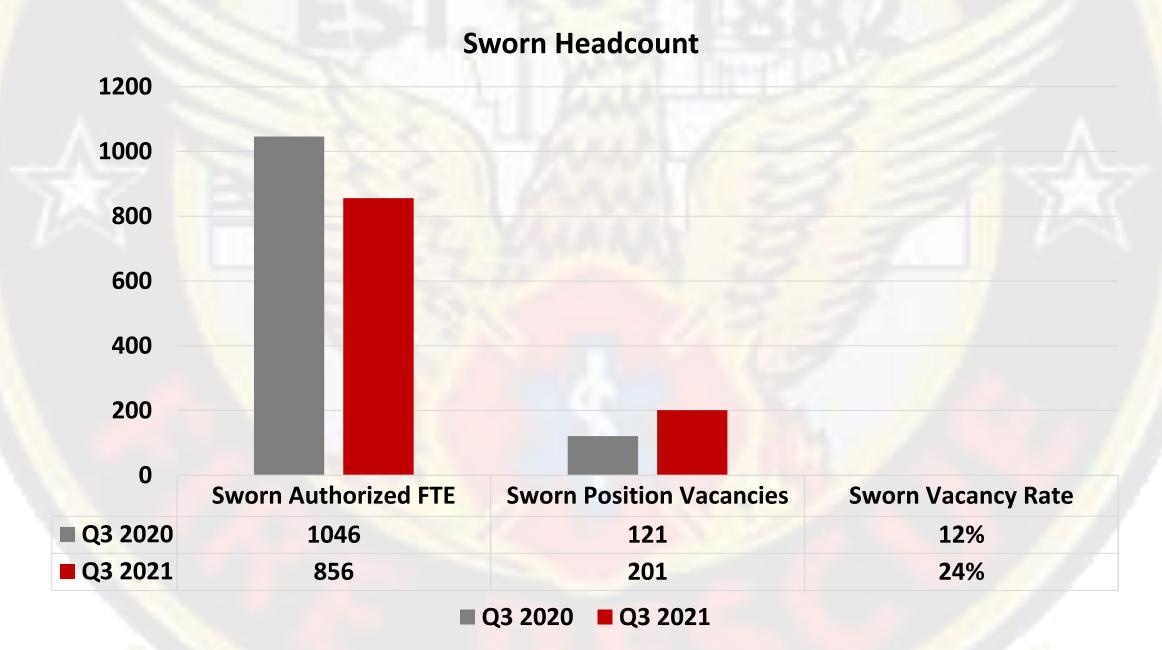
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Enterprise Fund

Sworn	173	45	26%
Civilians	24	18	75 %
Enterprise Fund Total	197	63	32%

Total

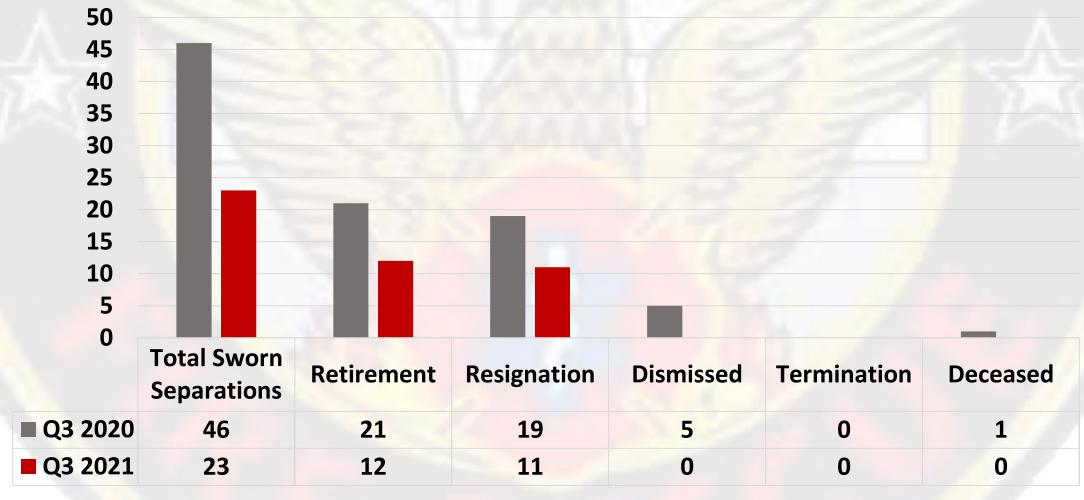
Sworn	856	207	24%
Civilians	88	34	39%
Total Departmental	944	241	26%



FY2021 Third Quarter Attrition

Separation Description	Sworn	Civilians
Retirement	12	1
Resignation	11	1
Dismissed	0	0
Termination	0	0
Deceased	0	0
Total Actions	23	2

Sworn Separation Detail



■ Q3 2020 ■ Q3 2021

Priority 3: Facilities and Fleet



Facility Priorities

Facility	Update	
Fire Station 22 & 36	Fully funded. STA 22 Presently in Construction (Groundbreaking postponed due to C-19- Date: TBD); STA 36 targeted to begin New Construction July/Aug 2021.	
Replacement Burn Building	Procurement process underway for new temporary structure. Date: TBD	
AFRD Training Academy / Airport Operations	Move in process to 5155 Clipper Drive location.	
Fire Station 21	Structural and ADA improvements to begin Summer 2021; Waterproofing Completed	
Fire Station 32	New Construction to begin Date: July 2021	
Fire Station 19	Structural & Internal Improvements to begin Fall 2021	
Fire Station 16	Kitchen & Life/Safety Improvements to begin June 2021	



Current Operations

Peachtree Road Race Planning

Developing Return to Office plan for staff

Accomplishments

- Administered COVID-19 vaccine doses at Mercedes-Benz Stadium
- All AFRD trucks passed state inspection to be upgraded to BLS response
- AFRD will receive two 3000-gallon tankers by December 2021
- 17 Recruits of Class 19-03B are scheduled to graduate on June 22, 2021.
- Successfully relocated AFRD Training to 5155 Clipper Drive June 7, 2021.
 - Clipper Drive Network system is complete and operational.





Questions or Comments

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