

458

**Incidents
attended**



December 2022



**Number of
fires**

99

47

**Road
traffic
collisions**



**190
Non Fire
Related
Incidents**

**Fire related
injuries**



1

26

**Accidental
dwelling
fires**



169

**False
alarms**





Northamptonshire Fire and Rescue Service

The table below shows our monthly performance for December 2022 compared to the previous two years.

Category	December 2020	December 2021	December 2022	
Fires	90	88	99	↑
Primary fires	64	58	59	↑
Secondary fires	21	27	32	↑
Accidental dwelling fires	27	22	32	↑
Road Traffic Collisions	38	46	47	↑
False alarms	129	162	169	↑

- Primary fires are more serious fires that harm people or cause damage to property
- Secondary fires are smaller outdoor fires where people or property is not involved
- Accidental dwelling fires are fires where the motive for the fire was presumed to be either accidental or not known and occur in properties that are a place of residence i.e. places occupied by households such as houses and flats, excluding hotels/hostels and residential institutions. Dwellings also includes nonpermanent structures used solely as a dwelling, such as houseboats and caravans.
- Road Traffic Collisions are car accidents or car crash, which occurs when a vehicle collides with another vehicle, pedestrian, animal, road debris, or other stationary obstruction, such as a tree, pole or building
- False alarms are incidents where the Fire and Rescue Service attends a location believing there to be an incident, but on arrival, discovers that no such incident exists or existed .