



November 2023















Northamptonshire Fire and Rescue Service

The table below shows our monthly performance for November 2023 compared to the previous two years.

Category	November 2021	November 2022	November 2023	
Fires	156	126	115	
Primary fires	77	79	72	\Rightarrow
Secondary fires	71	41	34	1
Accidental dwelling fires	19	22	23	1
Road Traffic Collisions	42	37	39	1
False alarms	182	155	159	1

- 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.