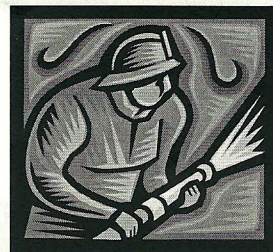


## Notes from the Fire Chief



Some time ago, your Fire Department was given the opportunity to obtain a mobile home that could be used for firefighting practice. All we had to do was move the structure. Now, doesn't that sound simple? I'm sure you've heard the phrase "The Devil is in the details" and I can tell you it's true. The mobile home's undercarriage was decaying and our preliminary inspection didn't discover it. Once the move started, the supports gave way and the structure tipped over. We haven't decided the next course of action, but the mobile home will no longer be a training platform.

During the past month, we have also done routine maintenance on some firefighting equipment. We all know how important preventative maintenance can be to ensure continued operations.

Chief Dana Dunn