

572

**Incidents
attended**



August 2024



**Number of
fires**

239

**44
Road
traffic
collisions**



**133
Non Fire
Related
Incidents**

**Fire related
injuries**



1

**27
Accidental
dwelling
fires**



**199
False
alarms**





Northamptonshire Fire and Rescue Service

The table below shows our monthly performance for August 2024 compared to the previous two years.

Category	2022	2023	2024	
Fires	360	206	239	
Primary fires	99	93	93	
Secondary fires	261	113	145	
Accidental dwelling fires	14	27	27	
Road Traffic Collisions	37	35	44	
False alarms	232	202	199	

- 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 .