

#### Spring Break 2017

Activities for:

EOC Beach Patrol Medical Tents SPI Fire/EMS



#### Emergency Operations Center

#### Purpose:

1).To provide situational awareness to Incident Commanders, City Leadership, and elected officials of changing conditions on the island.

2). To provide support for ongoing operations by maintaining contact with regional and state partners in the event additional resources were needed.





## **EOC Staffing**

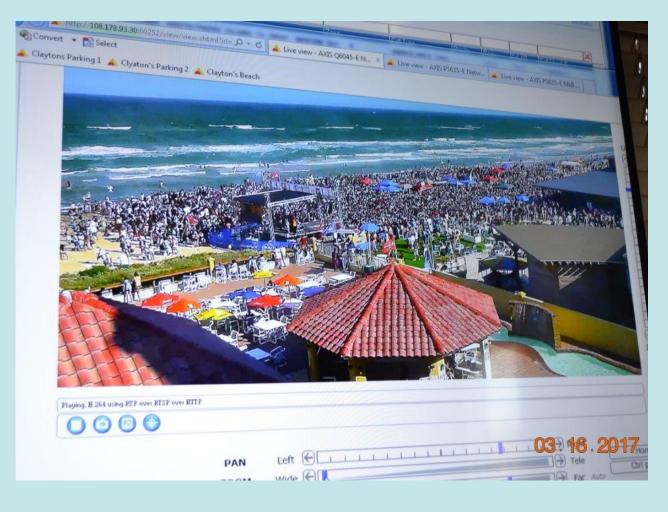
Operational – March 8th - 23rd

<u>SPI</u> - 4 Personnel: 2-Fire, PD, & IT

<u>Regional</u> - 6 Personnel 1 - TDEM

- 3 Cameron County EM
- 2 Cameron County HHS

<u>Cost</u> - \$0.00





#### Significant Incidents

<u>4 Significant Incidents resulting in 3 fatalities</u>
3-16 - 7010 Padre Blvd - Fall/Jump – (1 fatality)
3-17 - 4100 Block of Gulf - Auto-Pedestrian – (1 fatality)
3-18 - 4600 Section C - Swimmer in Distress (1 fatality)
3-19 - 100 E. Campeche - Gun Shot Victim – (non-life threatening)



#### **Beach Patrol**

<u>Staffing</u> – March 8<sup>th</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> 4-16 personnel depending upon beach population

<u>Beach Population</u> – 137,000 (high of 26,000 on 3-14)

Public Contacts – 3070 (31 lost children reunited)

Corrective Action – 197

<u>Swimmer Assists/Rescues</u> – 16 (1 fatality)





#### **Medical Tents**

(Isla Grand & Claytons)



Purpose of the Medical Tents Reduce stress on the EMS System by keeping as many transport units in service as possible.

Treat and care for patients with non-emergent conditions who may otherwise request or require transport to the hospital.



#### **Medical Tents**

(Isla Grand & Claytons)



**Operational** - March 8-18

Staffing - 4-6 per tent

	Isla Grand	Claytons	Total
Patients Treated	108	149	257
ETOH	54	126	180
Injury	54	23	77
Transports	10	42	52

Cost – \$33,533

(Includes both Beach Patrol and Medical Tent Staff)

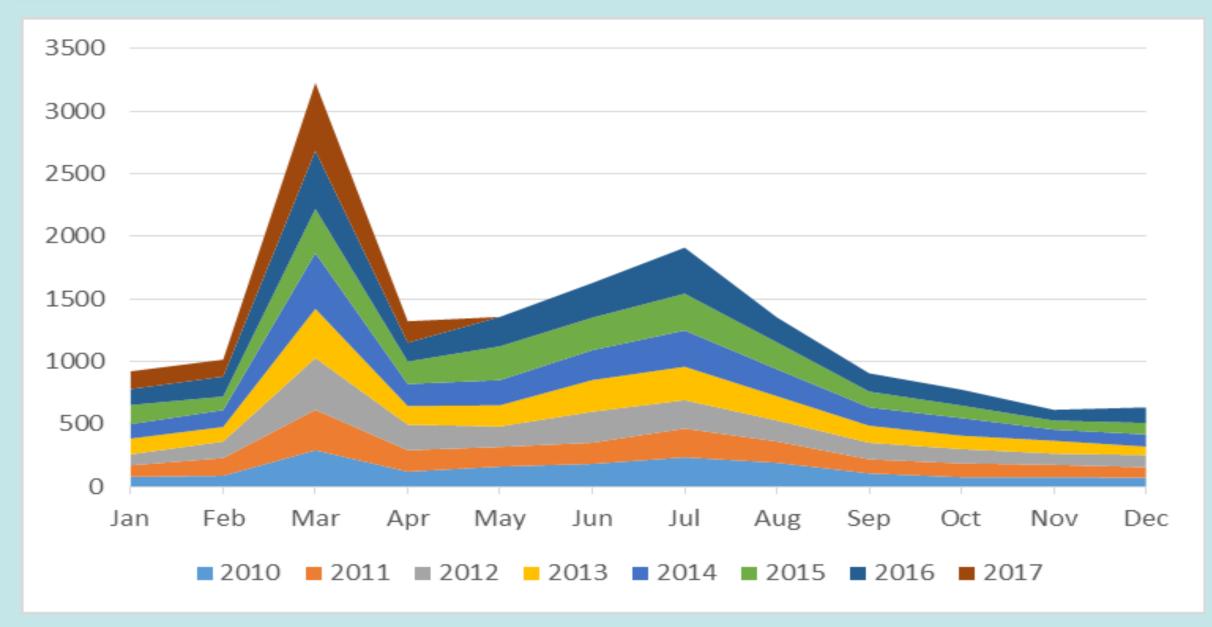


## Fire/EMS Staffing (Texas Week)

	<u>Engine</u>	<u>Squad</u>	<u>Medic Unit</u>	<u>Personnel</u>
SPI Fire	1	1-2	3	11-13
Intercity			2	4
TransCare			2	4
Brownsville FD			2	4
Total	1	1-2	9	23-25

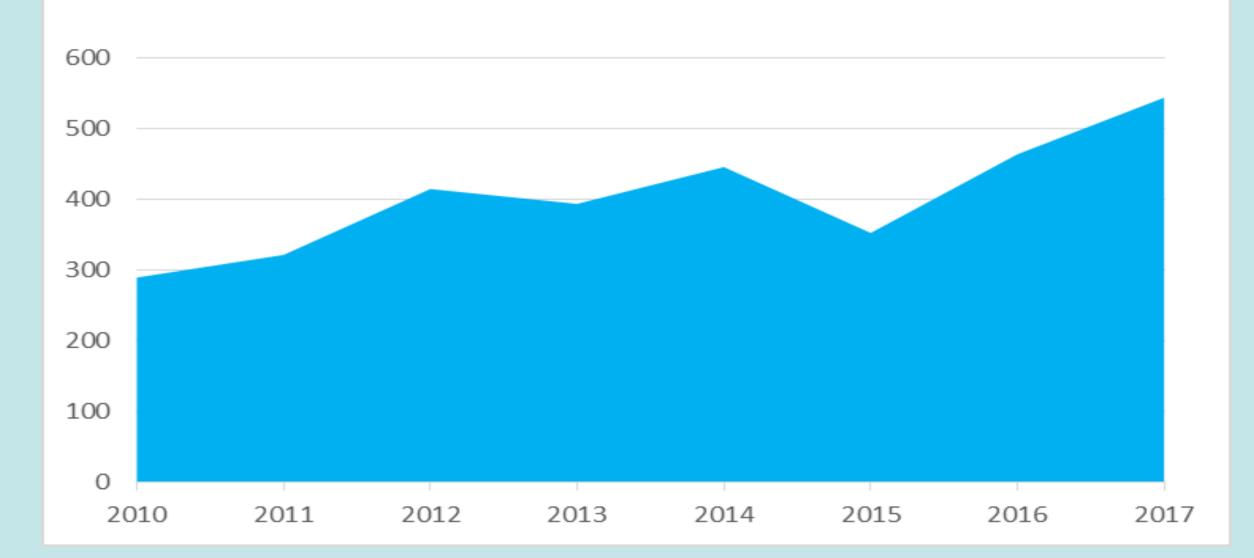


#### Fire Department Monthly Call Volume



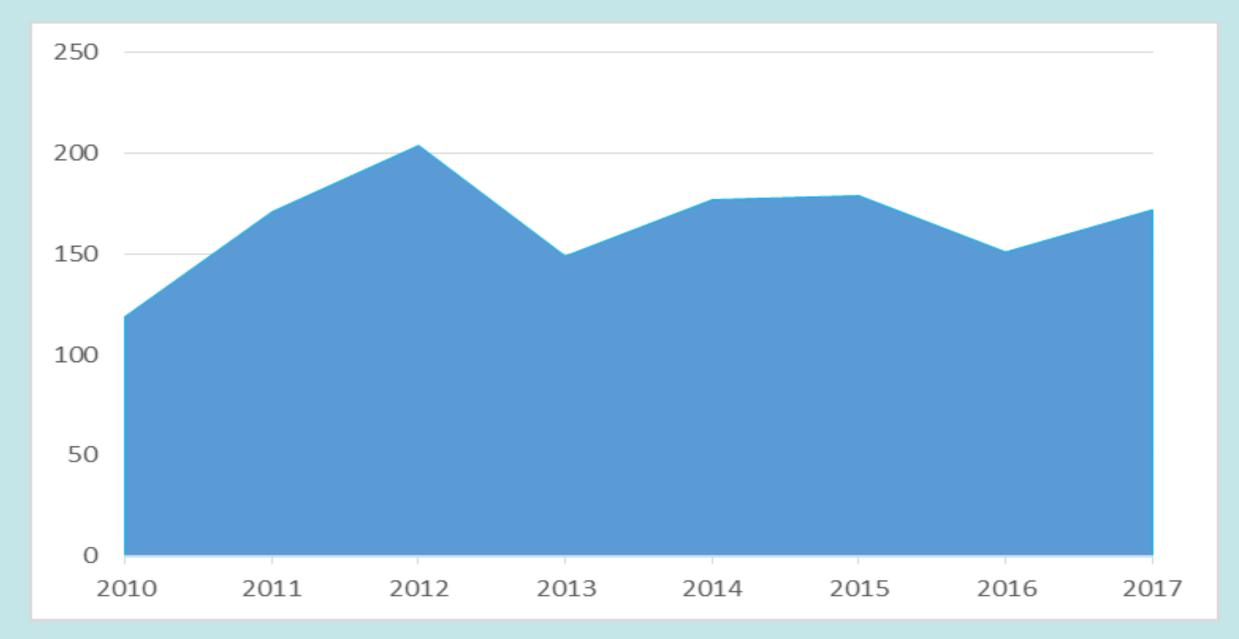


#### March Call Volume



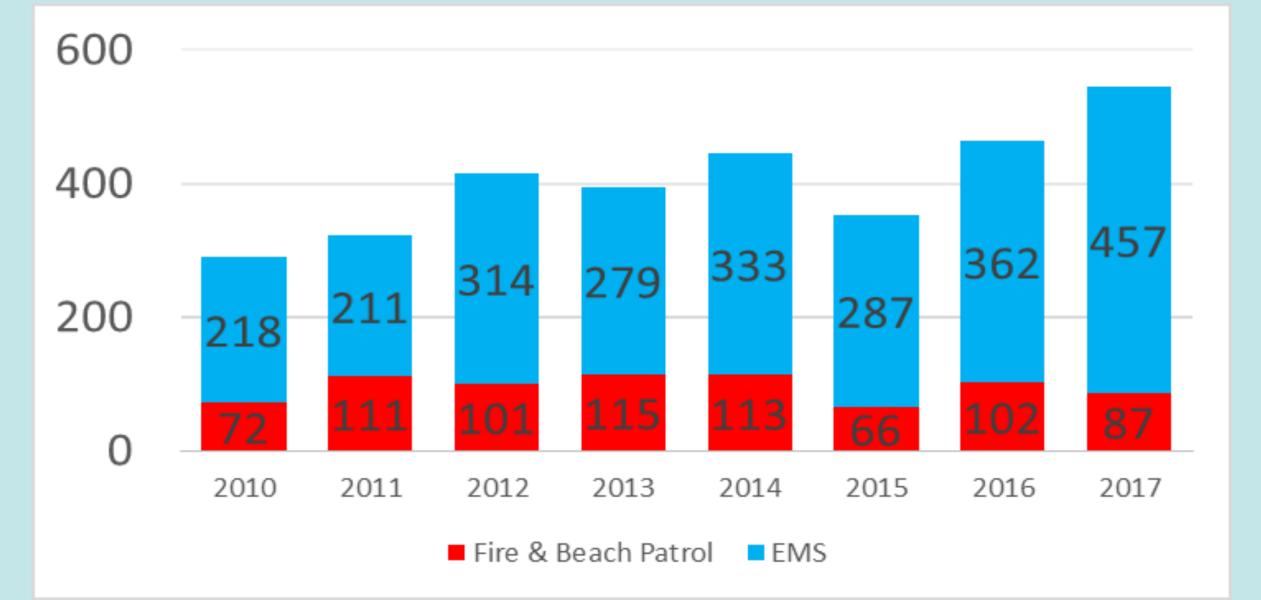


#### April Call Volume



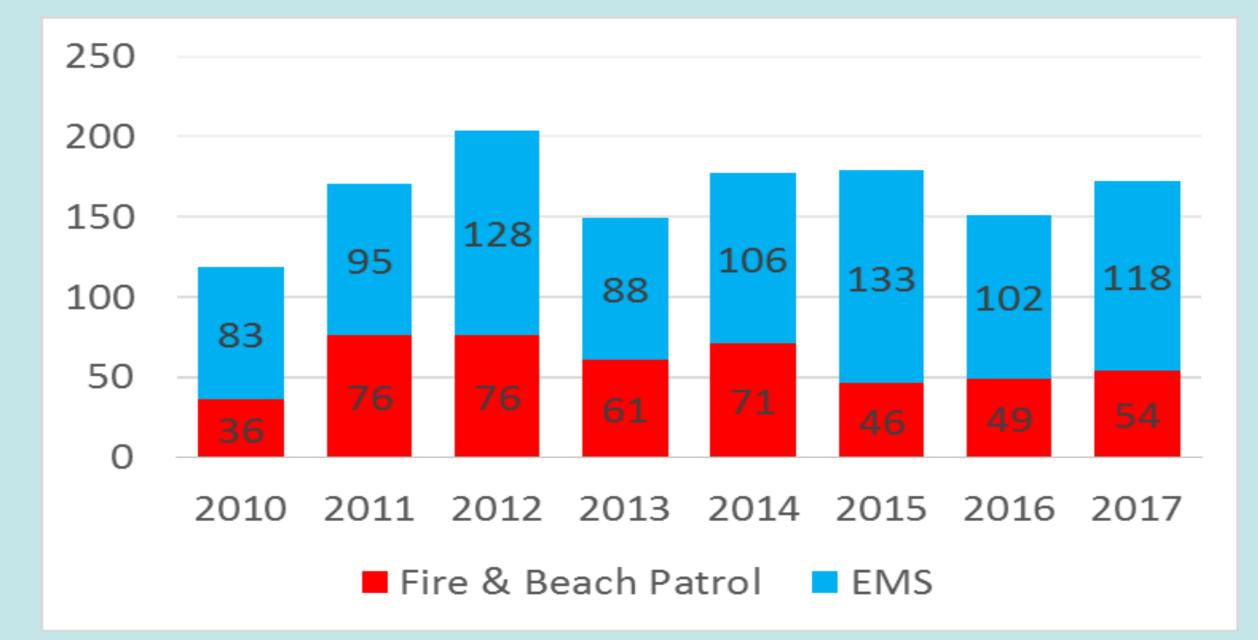


#### March Service Calls Fire-EMS-Beach Patrol





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#### Call Volume Stress on Resources

March Total Call Volume......544

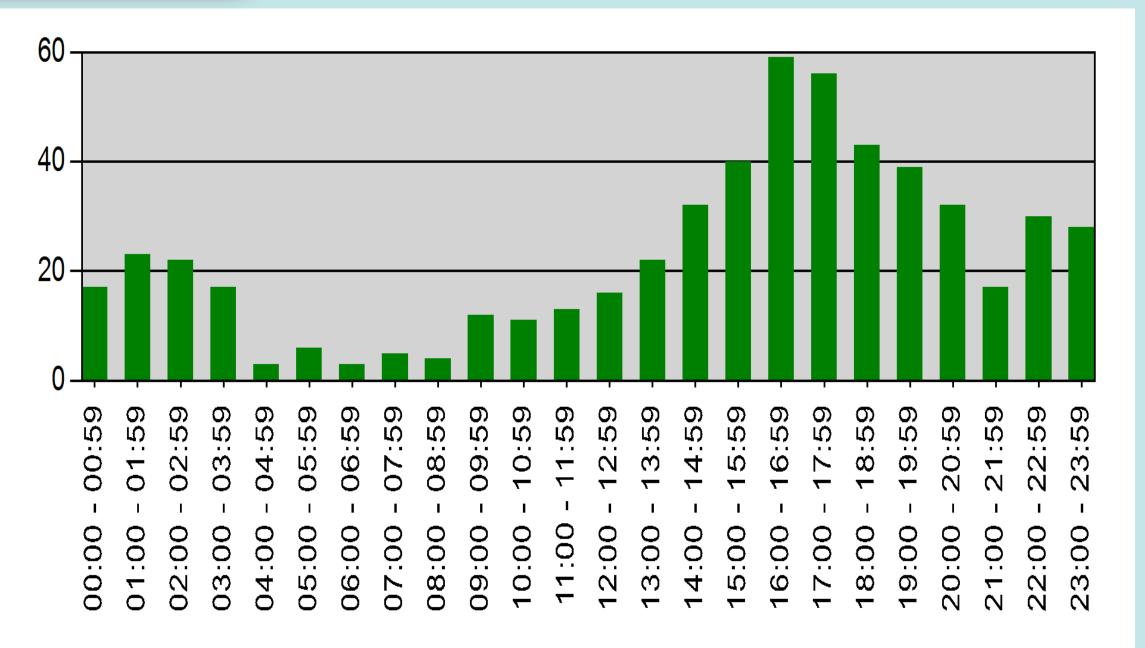
Stacked Calls (Simultaneous Incidents)......264

Time No Transport Units Were Available.....7 hrs 16 min

Mutual Aid Requests......16

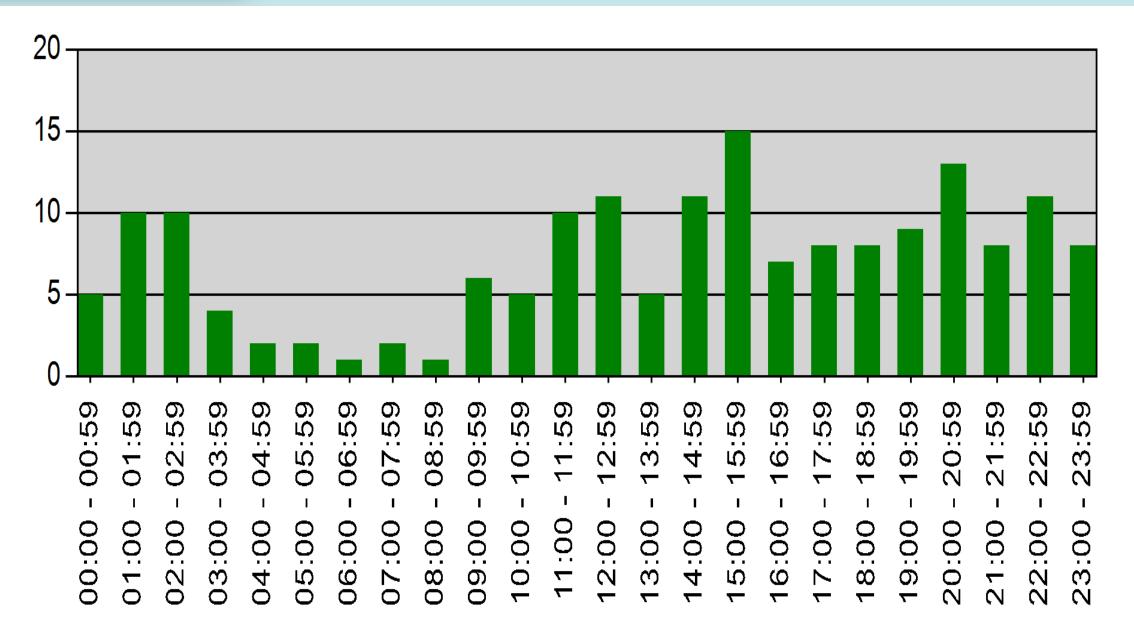


## March Call Volume by Hour of Day





## April Call Volume by Hour of Day





# March Top Ten Response Locations

82 Incidents – 6900 Padre Blvd\* 53 Incidents – 500 Padre Blvd 45 Incidents – 4601 Padre Blvd 16 Incidents – 7000 Padre Blvd 14 Incidents – 106 W. Retama St 13 Incidents – 400 Padre Blvd 12 Incidents – Isla Blanca Park\* 11 Incidents – 6608 Padre Blvd 8 Incidents – 310 Padre Blvd 7 Incidents – 4500 Padre Blvd

(Claytons) (Isla Grand) (SPI Jail) (La Quinta) (SPI Fire Dept) (Condominiums)

(The Tiki) (Pearl) (Best Western)

\* Includes actual address and block number incidents



## March 2017 Response Heat Map



Top 3 Response Locations



# April Top Ten Response Locations

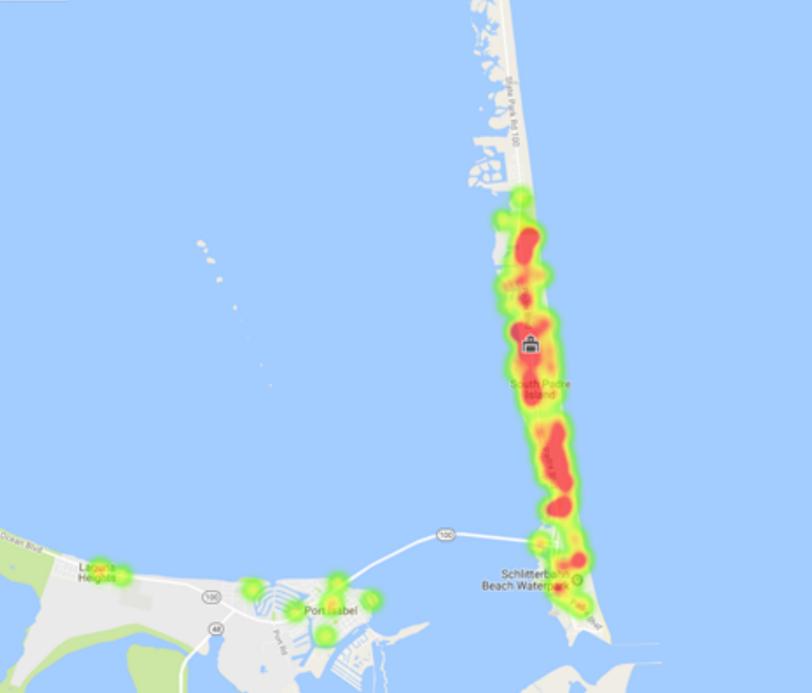
8 Incidents – Isla Blanca Park 7 Incidents – 4601 Padre Blvd 6 Incidents – 7010 Padre Blvd 5 Incidents – 207 W. Aries 4 Incidents – 106 W. Retama St 4 Incidents – 6502 Padre Blvd 4 Incidents – 1500 Gulf Blvd 4 Incidents – 912 Padre Blvd 3 Incidents – 901 Padre Blvd 3 Incidents – 6900 Padre Blvd

(SPI Jail) (Hilton Garden Inn) (Sin. Fam. Home) (SPI Fire Dept) (Holiday Inn) (Padre South) (Comfort Suites) (Blue Bay Inn) (Claytons)

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## April 2017 Response Heat Map



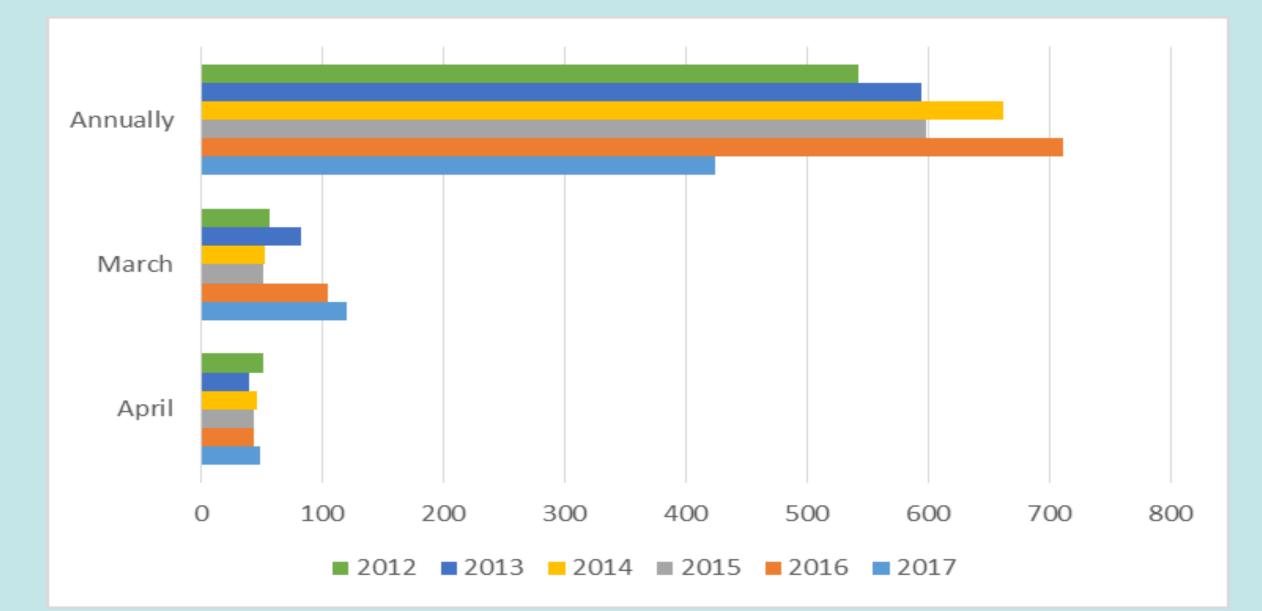


## March Top 10 EMS Call Types

Pain, 3.5% Difficulty Breathing, 3.2%	<u>Call Type</u> 1 – ETOH	# Calls 98
Seizure, 3.7% MVA/Auto-	2 – Unconscious	49
Ped, 5.2%24.4%	3 – Lacerations	40
	4 – Assaults	30
Fall, 5.5%	5 – Evaluations	23
	6 – Fall	22
Evaluation, 5.7%	7 – Vehicle Acciden Auto-Ped	t 21
Assaults,	8 – Seizure	15
7.5% Unconscious,	9 – Pain	14
Laceration, 10.0% 12.2%	10 – Difficulty Breathing	13



#### Number of Patients Transported to the Hospital





Total Cost for Spring Break

EOC	\$0
Medical Tents and Beach Patrol	\$33,533
SPI Fire/EMS Overtime	\$28,082
AmBus Standby Fee	\$4,400

Total to Date \$66,015



## Issues Requiring Additional Research & Attention

1) Emergency response during peak periods of congestion

2) Adding additional resources during peak demand periods