

Letter from the Chief

I would like to start by saying thank you to Mike Harrower for leading the Elbert Fire Protection District in 2014. Mike Harrower has been with the Department for 30 years and has served as a Captain EMT for the last 10 years. Mike is still with the department as a Captain heading up the CPR program for the department and the community.

Elbert Fire Protection District covers 186 square miles including 30 square miles of northern El Paso County, from one station located within the town of Elbert.

Elbert Fire is making many changes to improve service for the citizens in our District. We are offering a CPR program for the community and supporting the many different organizations within the District. The department has also purchased a new 3000 gallon Tender to provide more water on fire scenes.

I am proud to say that Elbert Fire has a dedicated group of volunteers that combined have 9300 hours of station time, 1100 hours of training, and responded to 136 emergencies in 2014.

The department worked hard in 2014 to capitalize on a lease purchase paid off in 2013, with anticipation of a new lease for the new 3000 gallon tender. Utilizing the \$30,000 surplus for the down payment and other improvements needed within the department.

Elbert Fire is and always will be dedicated to serving the people of the District with the upmost professional services, dedication, integrity and respect that the community deserves.

Brandon Homer
Fire Chief