

# QUICK FACTS

#### **City Information**

• Land area: 43.1 square miles

• Resident population (2020 U.S. Census): 83,454

 Estimated value of property in Franklin: \$18.92 billion (taxable property)

Firefighters: 153

• Administrative personnel: 19

Civilian personnel: 5

• Firefighters per shift: **51** 

(minimum staffing - 40 per shift)

• Number of Paramedics: 50

### **Emergency Operations**

(28 percent reduction in call volume from 2019 due to COVID-19)

Total incident responses: 7,339

Medical and rescue responses: 5,079 (69%)

Average response time:6:22 minutes



### **Community Risk Reduction**

- Number of new construction inspections: 2,198
- Number of existing building inspections: 302
- Plan reviews (including site, fire sprinkler, fire alarm, special event, life safety plan reviews, and more):
  1,563
- Citizens trained in CPR: 111
- Due to COVID-19, public events and education shifted to a virtual format. Highlights of the year included Virtual Fire Prevention Month and parades. We participated in **63** reverse or "drive-by" parades to help citizens celebrate birthdays, graduations, retirements, the completion of chemo treatments, Veterans Day, and more. This included escorting Santa Claus and his sleigh through more than 50 Franklin neighborhoods on the four Saturdays between Thanksgiving and Christmas. The initial Facebook post announcing Santa's schedule reached more than **49,000** people. We worked with the GIS team to create a Santa Tracker, which allowed residents to see where Santa was on his route. From November 27 through December 18, 2020 (the final Santa parade), the Santa Tracker was accessed **28,370** times.

# **Equipment & Facilities**



2020-21 Fiscal Year Budget (personnel, operations and capital):

\$19,934,035