# CITY OF DOVER, NEW HAMPSHIRE FY2023 PROPOSED BUDGET Dover Fire & Rescue and Inspection Services

865,887

(302,291

2,737,909

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#### Dover Fire & Rescue is an all-hazards public safety agency.

The Fire & Rescue Department's mission is "to be a quality-of-life resource for anyone in need, and to assist community members in achieving health and safety through community risk reduction." Dover Fire & Rescue's vision is "to remain one step ahead of our community's needs through technology and community engagement."

# Dover Fire & Rescue Strategic Goals

Customer Focused

**Product and Process** 

Leadership and Governance

Financial and Benchmark

Workforce-Focus

## Customer Focused

- Maintain organizational strategic plans designed specifically to meet the needs of the community.
- Inspection Services on-line permitting software
- New Computer Aided Dispatch & Records Management System
- Closing a service delivery gap by increasing the Department's emergency response capacity to appropriately meet the community's needs.



# Leadership and Governance

Enhance citizen engagement in community risk reduction.



Engage stakeholders throughout the Whole Community to enhance community preparedness

# Financial & Benchmark

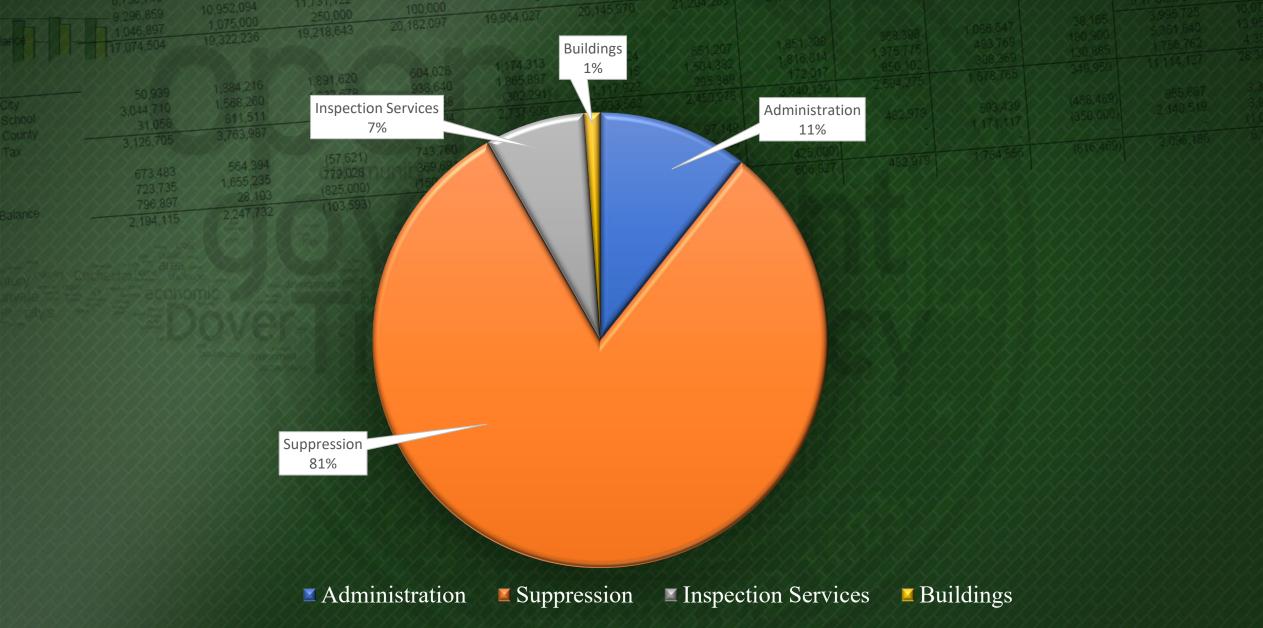
- Reviewing EMS patient care reports for EMS billing documentation as part of the EMS Continuous Quality Program.
- Ongoing reviews of EMS billing revenues and collection rates.
- Continually seeking grant funding sources.



### Workforce-Focus

- Assure the Department provides a safe and healthy work environment for its personnel.
- Assure personnel are properly trained, educated and equipped to meet the needs of the community.
- Assure personnel performance meet the department's expectation of professional excellence.
- Assure organizational sustainability is achieved through professional development and succession planning.

#### Fire & Rescue Proposed FY 2023 Operating Budget



### Budget Category in Comparison

Budget Category	FY22	FY23	Change	Percent
Administration	\$1,163,404	\$1,318,049	\$154,645	13.29
Fire Suppression	\$8,221,950	\$10,015,348	\$1,793,398	21.81
<b>Inspection Services</b>	\$835,576	\$876,357	\$40,781	4.88
Buildings	\$128,362	\$139,716	\$11,354	8.85
Special Details	\$6,851	\$6,851	\$0	0
Total	\$10,356,143	\$12,356,321	\$2,000,178	19.3

# Inspection Services

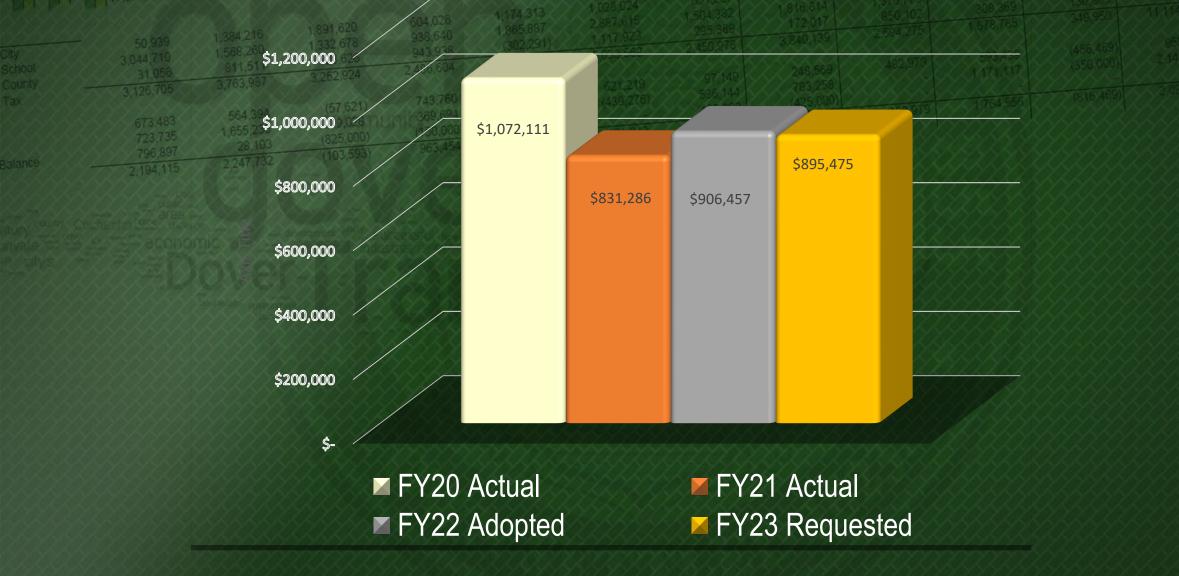
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# **Inspection Services-Annual Inspections**



# **Inspection Services Revenue Goals**



#### Administration

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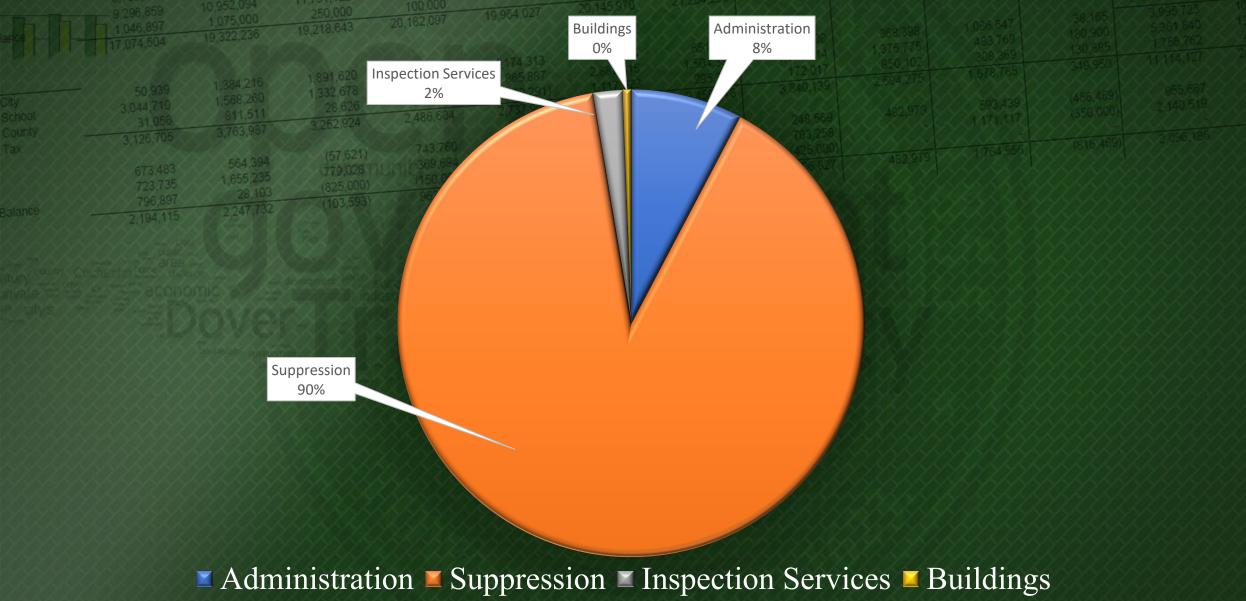
- Contractual costs (salary, benefits, NHRS)
- Division Share of DoverNet support
- Division Share of Cybersecurity support

#### Suppression

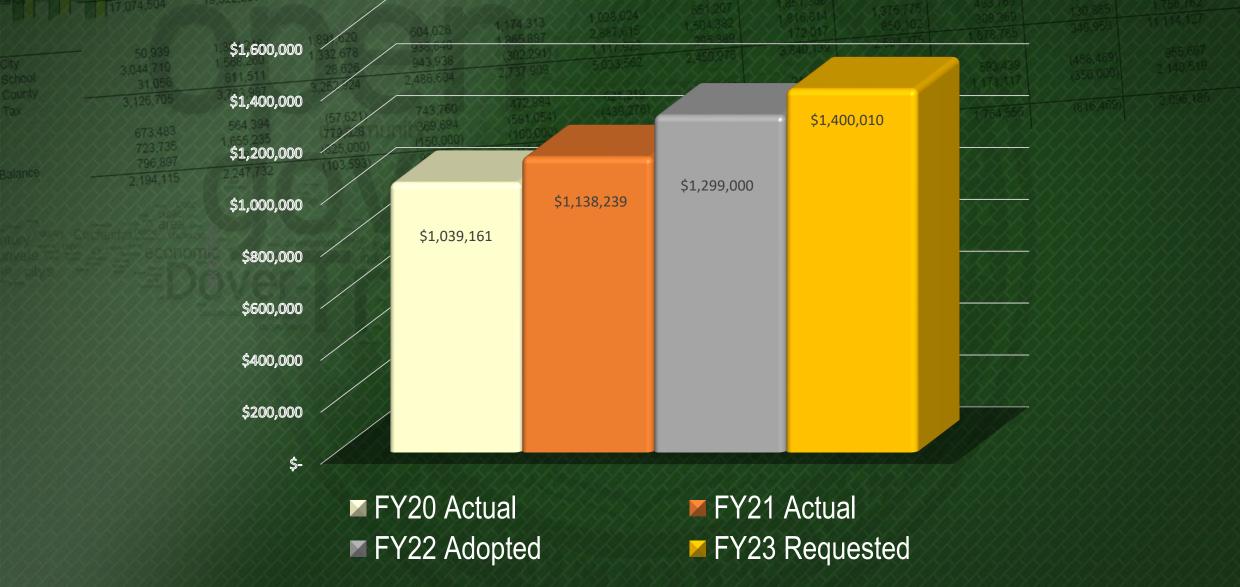
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- Contractual costs (salary, benefits, NHRS)
- Fire, rescue, and EMS equipment to activate a third front-line ambulance
  Purchasing refurbished EMS equipment (\$10,500 savings)
- Eight new fire/EMS positions to staff a third front-line ambulance
- Turnout gear and personal protective equipment for new personnel

## FY 23 Proposed Budget Category Increases



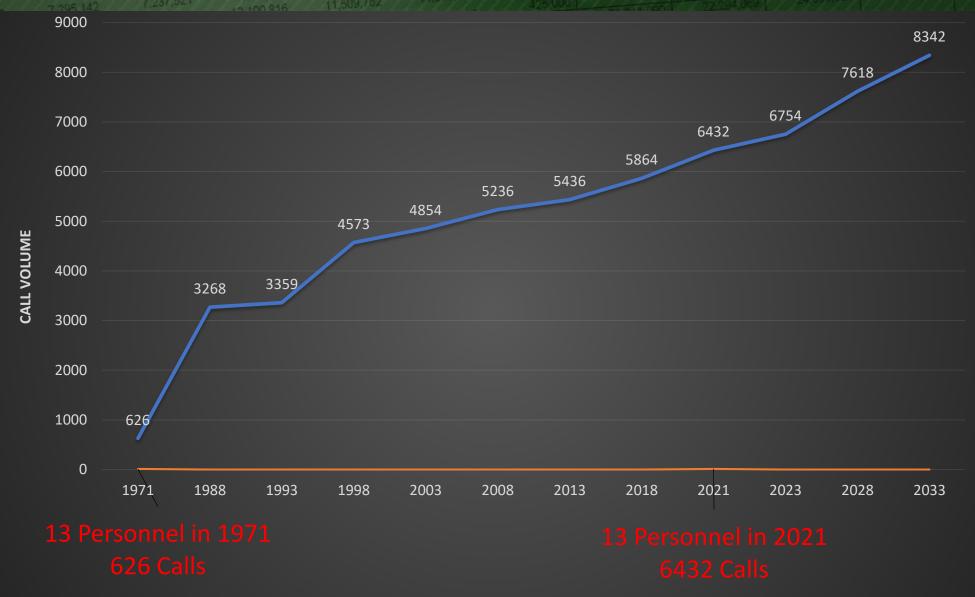
# **Dover Fire & Rescue Revenue Goals**



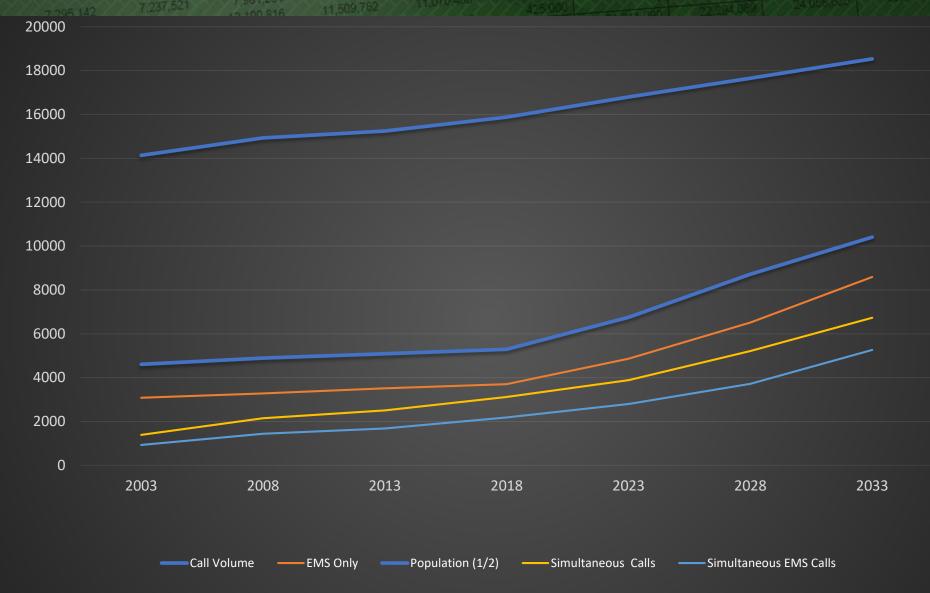
# Grants & Alternative Funding Sources

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Dept. of Justice	\$93,566	Denied
Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG)	\$66,376	Pending
Assistance to Firefighters Grant (AFG)	\$147,919	Pending
Assistance to Firefighters Grant (AFG)	\$90,616	Approved
GOFERR	\$53,581	Pending
Radiologic Emergency Response Preparedness (RERP)	\$37,634	Pending
Staffing For Adequate Fire and Emergency Response (SAFER)	\$1,178,072	Denied
Wentworth Douglass Hospital	\$37,000	Approved
CARES HHS	\$39,054	Approved
Vaccine Round 1	\$92,328	Approved
Vaccine Round 2	\$28,731	Approved
Vaccine Round 3	\$14,118	Approved

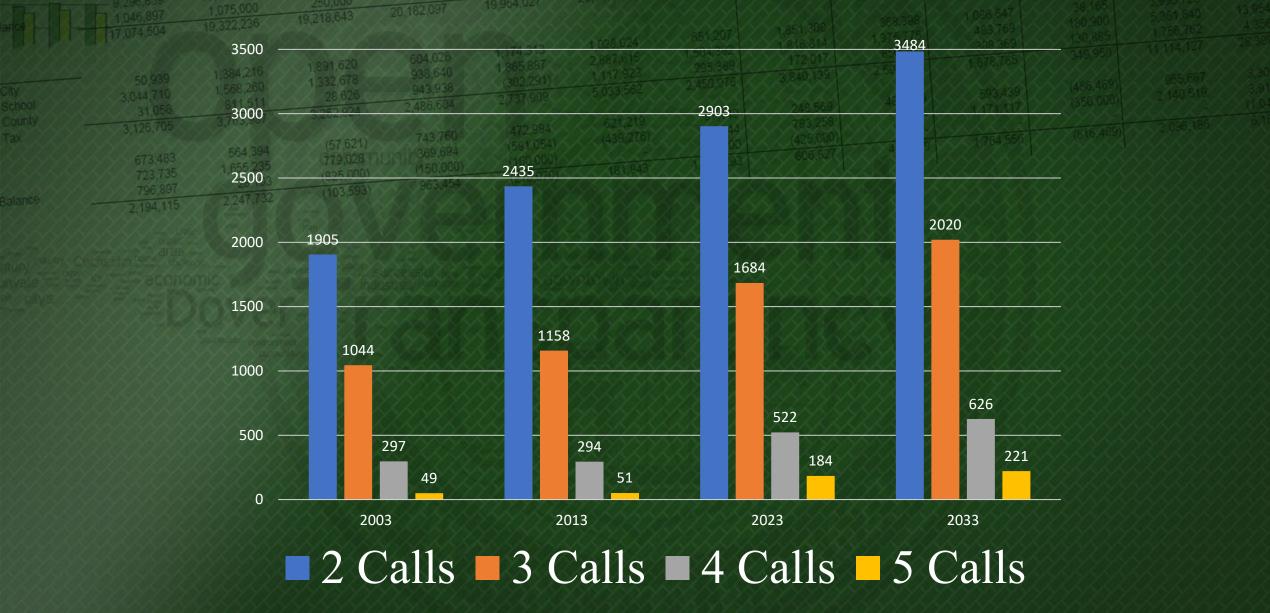
## Fire and Rescue – Call Volume



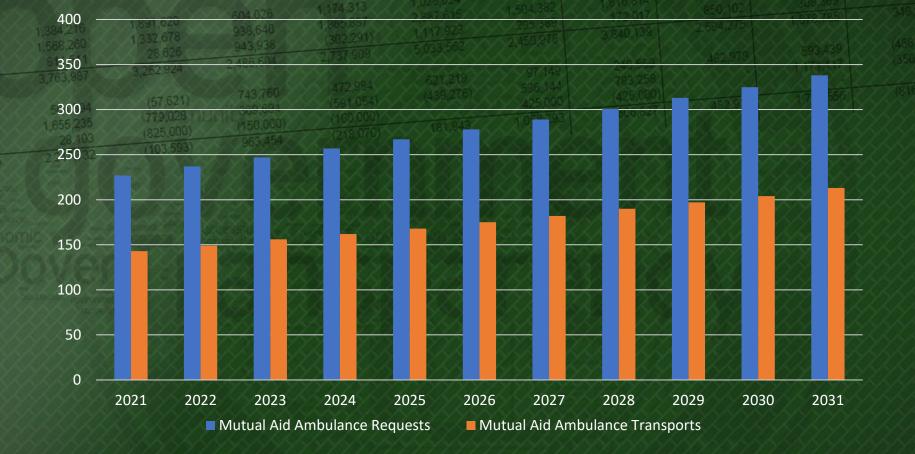
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## Simultaneous Call Growth-Rate

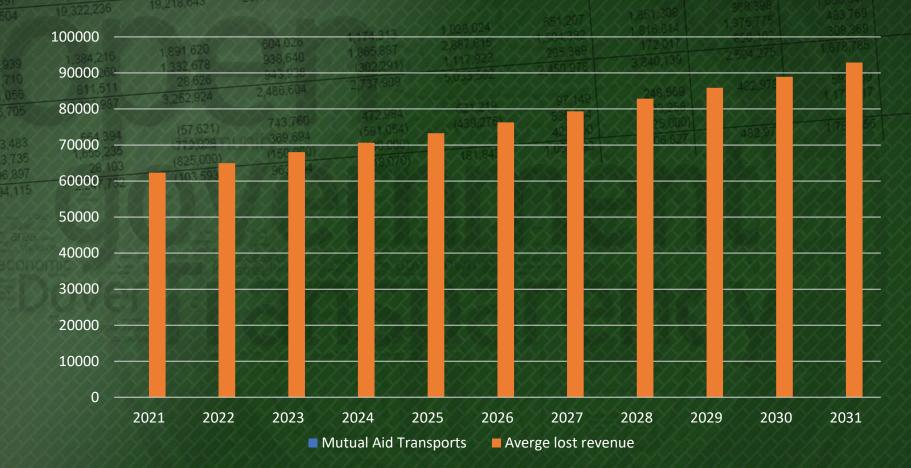


#### 10 Year Projection of Mutual Aid Ambulance Requests and Mutual Aid Ambulance Transports



FY 2023: 156 Mutual Aid Ambulance Transports

#### 10 Year Projection of Annual Loss from Mutual Aid Ambulance Transports.



FY 2023: \$68,013 (\$845,404)

# Dover Fire & Rescue

# Questions?

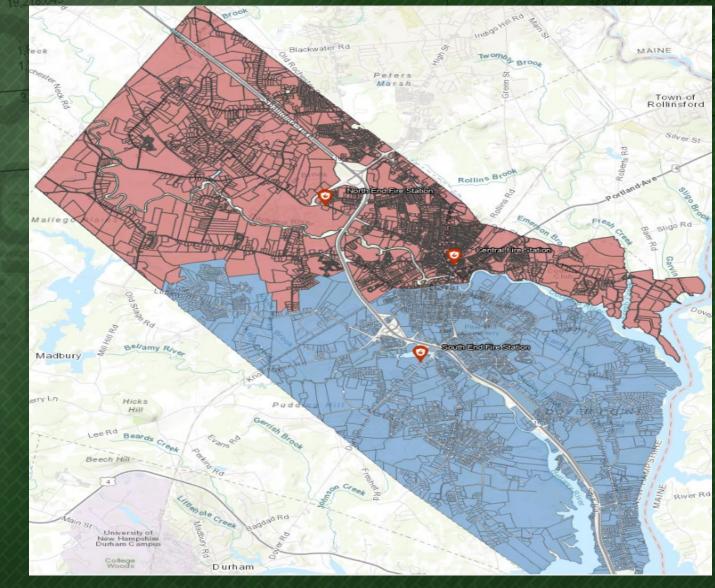
Fire & Rescue's Computer-aided dispatch (CAD) system has 707 response plan for fire department call for service types.

Each response plan has 5 to 7 alarms. Some cards will need a few alarms changed in the response plan.

If the department drops down from 3 ambulances to 2 ambulances these (707) plans will need to be changed.

#### Current EMS Districts: Ambulances stationed at North and South Stations





#### Current Fire Districts and EMS Districts with 3<sup>rd</sup> Front-line Ambulance

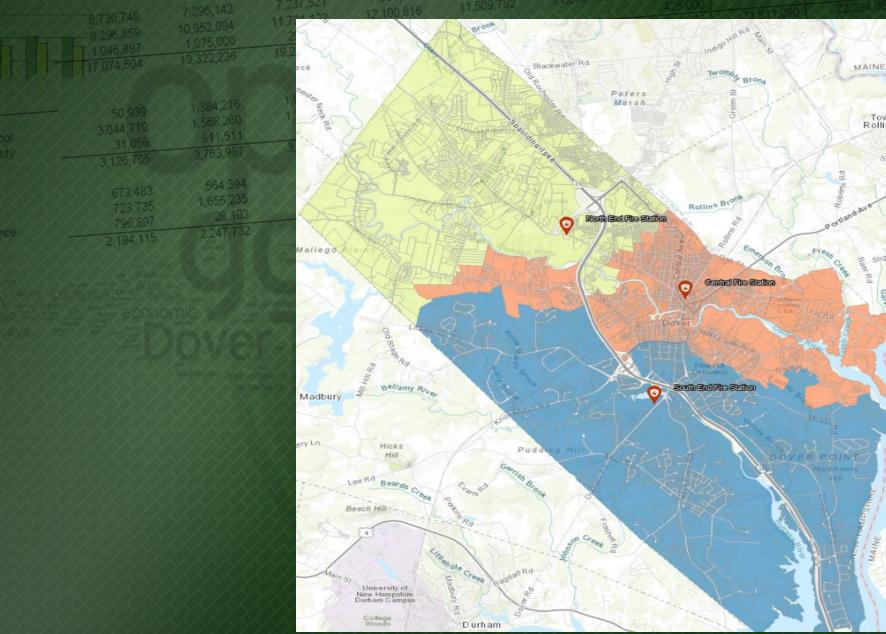
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Silver St

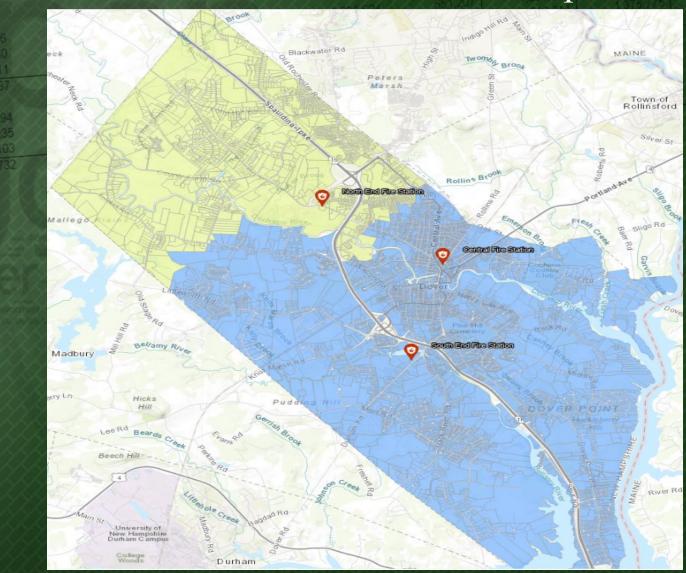
Sligo Rd

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#### 2 Ambulance response districts (North and Central/South) if South or Central Ambulance drops down



2 Ambulance response districts (North/Central and South) if North or Central Ambulance drops down

