The Dresden Volunteer Fire Company 14092 State Route 22 Clemons, NY 12819

April 1, 2013

Dear Residents and Friends,

The Dresden Volunteer Fire Company has had a busy year. Since my last letter, we have responded to 8 motor vehicle accidents, 8 reported structure fires, 9 down electric wires, 2 brush fires and 10 miscellaneous emergency calls. I would like to take this time to thank the **eight men** who responded to these emergencies. That volume of calls puts a big burden on so few individuals.

Therefore, the first donation I am requesting is a donation of your time. If you are interested in becoming an active firefighter or if you are a former firefighter who can give us a hand, please do so. Also we are in need of support members. These individuals would not have to go through extensive fire training. With a small amount of "in house" training, they would be able to give essential support to our firefighters at the scene of an emergency. If you are interested in helping in any way, please stop by the firehouse on Tuesdays at 7PM or call Alan Bascue (499-2176), Bill Ingleston (232-5103) or Jack Plavnicky (499-0758).

Your generous monetary donations are also very important in our ability to keep our firehouse running and our equipment updated. We truly appreciate your generosity and your continued support.

We will be hosting our annual chicken barbecue on Saturday, June 1st. Hope to see you there.

LET'S WORK TOGETHER TO KEEP OUR COMMUNITY SAFE

Thank you,

Alan Bascue, Fire Chief

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