

EL DORADO HILLS FIRE DEPARTMENT

“YOUR SAFETY ... OUR COMMITMENT”



Community Risk Reduction Division

March 2022 Report

OVERVIEW

The El Dorado Hills Fire Department, Community Risk Reduction Division (CRRD) continues to see significant residential development and vegetation management program activity throughout the reporting period. Development planning efforts continue with the Central EDH and Marble Valley Plan areas. Major construction activity remains very active in the Saratoga Estates, Serrano, Carson Creek, Bell Ranch and Sienna Ridge areas of the district.

CRRD has received a total of **168** construction permit plan review submittals since 1-1-22. **This is a 30% increase in permit submittals as compared to the same time frame in 2021.** Home construction permit activity was the leading permit submittal type with **87** plan applications received followed by **39** fire protection system applications and **21** miscellaneous applications.

CRRD completed **1** vacant lot and **4** defensible space inspections throughout the district. CRRD also investigated **1** Defensible Space citizen complaints on behalf of the County of El Dorado as part of their Vegetation Management program.

Fire Inspector 1 Bryce DeWitt left the organization to serve as a Firefighter-Paramedic with an agency. Fire Inspector 1 Vince Kauppi has been hired to fill this vacancy.

MAJOR ACCOMPLISHMENTS

CRRD staff completed the following activities during the last 30 days:

- Completed **100** site, building and fire protection plan reviews and **332** construction inspections.
- Completed **10** fire and life safety inspections of residential and commercial occupancies.
- Completed **2** car seat installation inspections for new parents.
- Completed **140** inspections of smoke and carbon monoxide alarms in existing homes.
- Staff issued **77** fire lane warning notices to vehicle owners violating parking restrictions.

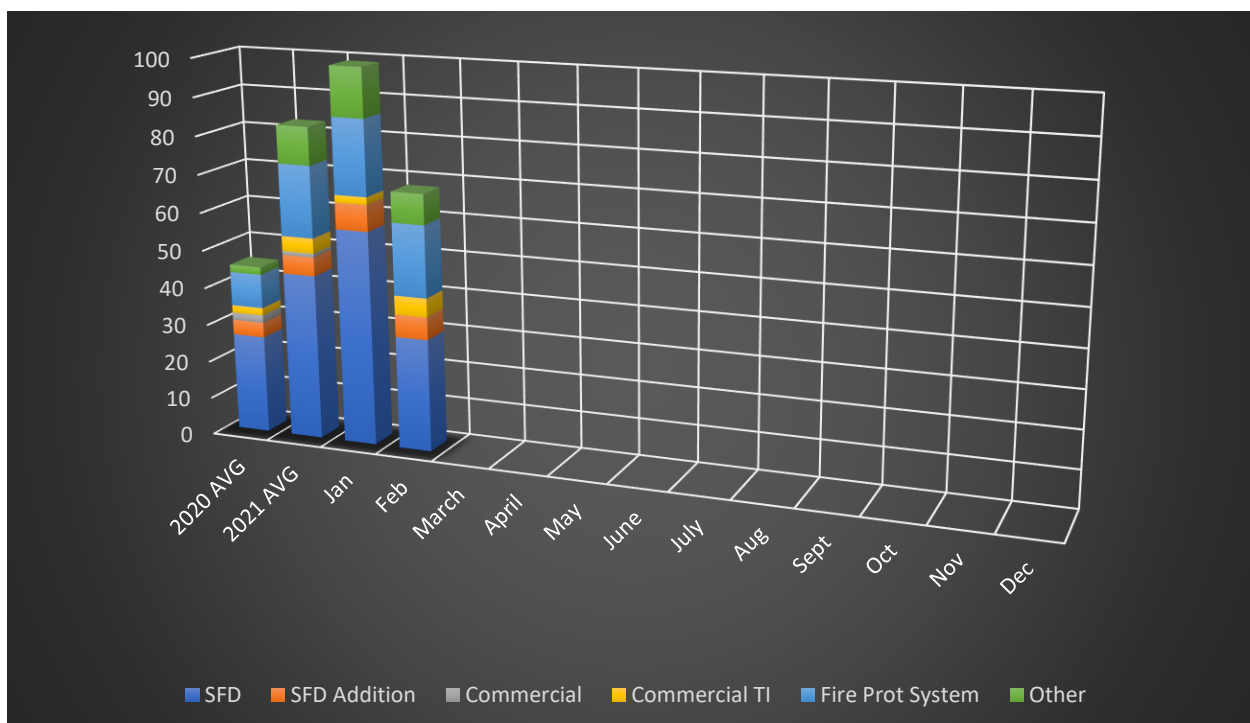


Table 1: 2021 New Construction Permits by Month

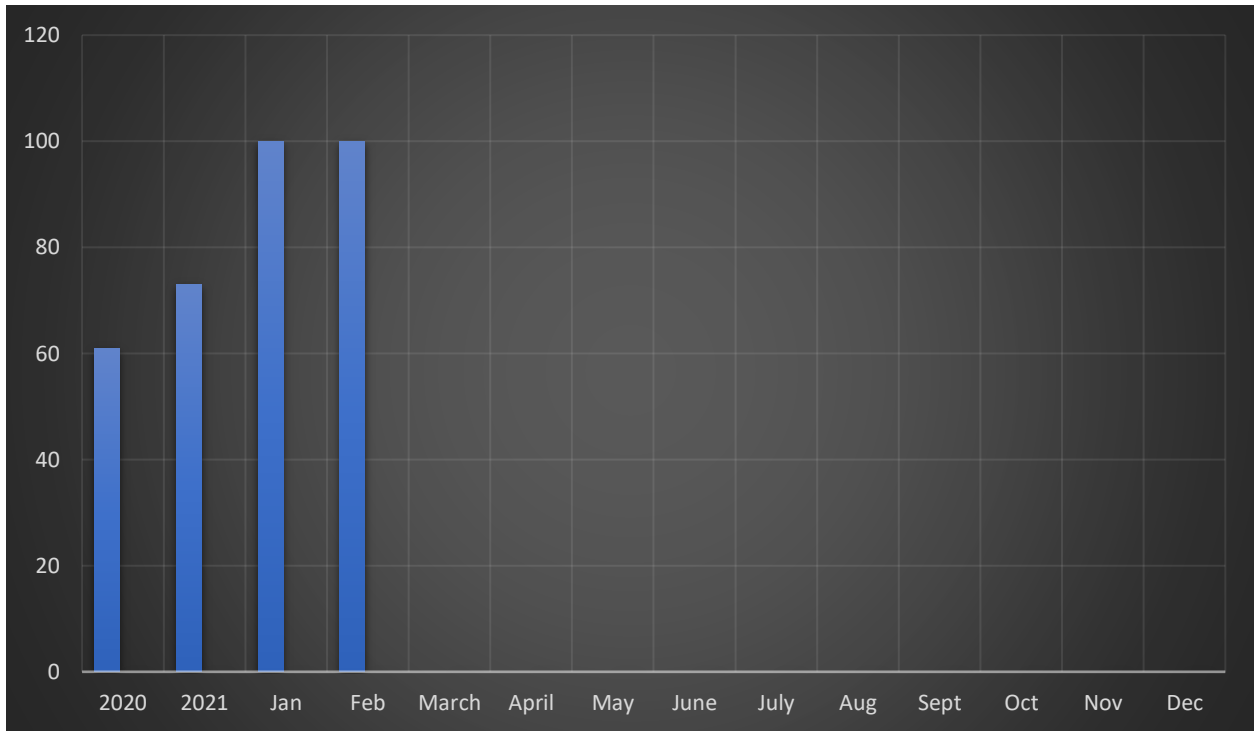


Table 2: Plans Reviews Completed by Month Report



Table 3: Construction Inspections by Month Report

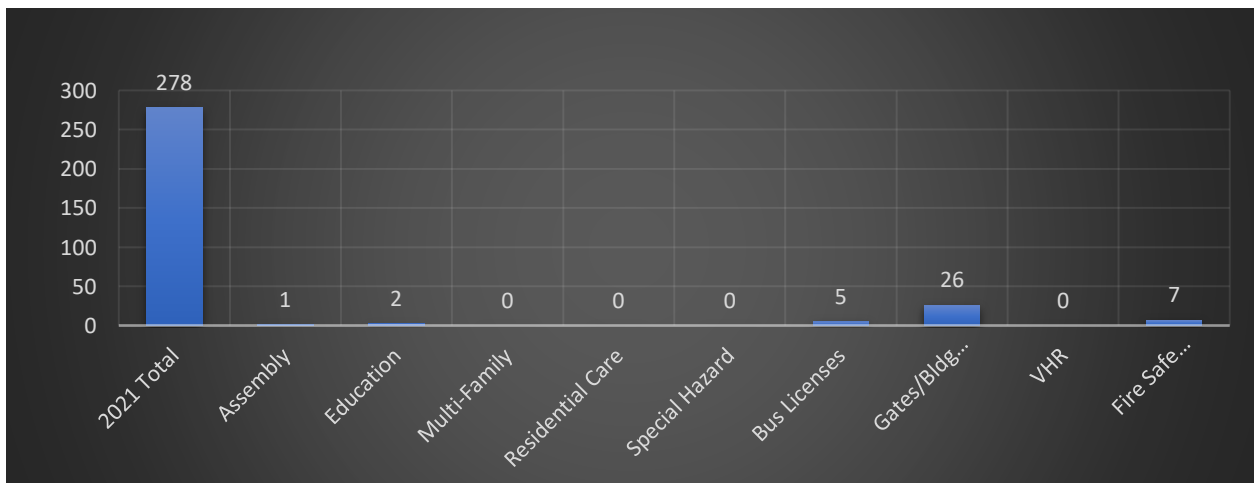


Table 4: Fire and Life Safety Inspection Report

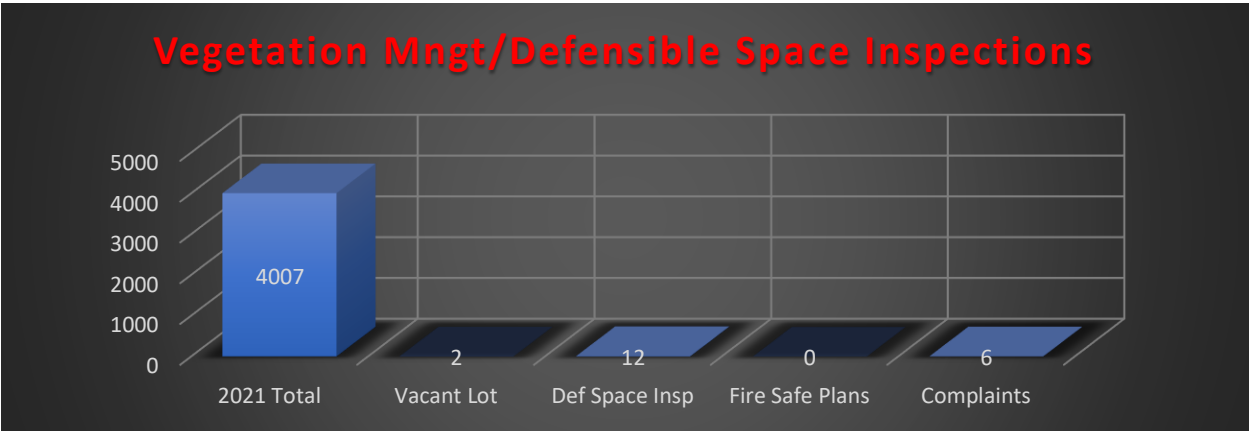


Table 5: Vegetation Management/ Defensible Space Inspections by Type Report

COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM

No significant activities to report.

End of Report