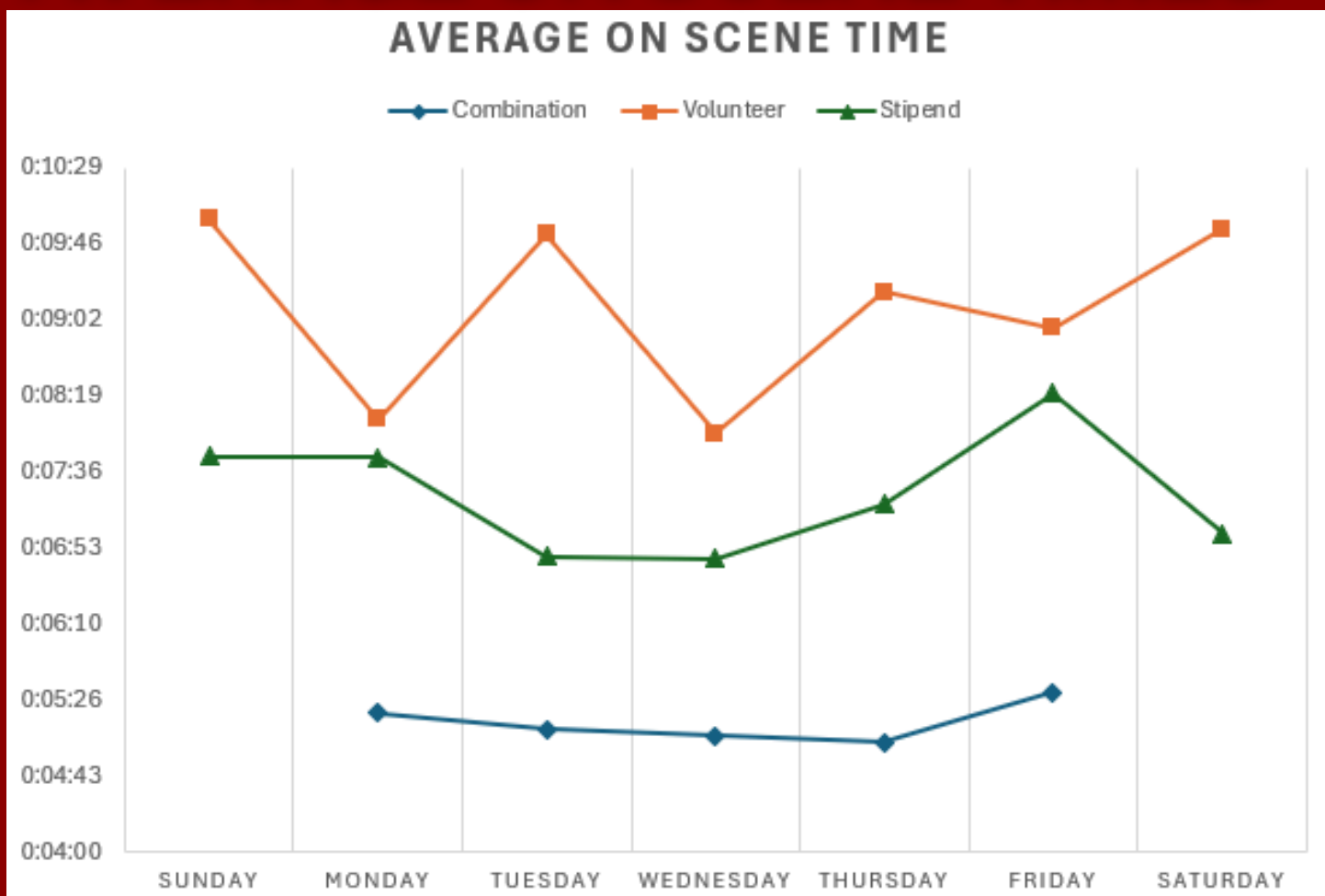


AVERAGE ON SCENE TIMES*



Why do on scene times matter?

Longer response times lead to...

- 1 Less chance of survivability for victims.
- 2 Greater danger to firefighters.
- 3 Greater likelihood of collapse due to lightweight construction.
- 4 Greater chance of flashover.

What is flashover?

When a fire gets so hot that everything in a room ignites almost at once, causing the fire to spread quickly and fill the entire space.

Who is responding?

Combination: Township-paid career and unpaid volunteer firefighters responding.

Volunteer: Unpaid volunteer firefighters responding.

Stipend: Volunteer firefighter receiving a small payment for high-demand coverage.



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*On scene times for **1,615 calls** from 2023-2025 excluding Police, EMS, Fire Police only calls, and calls occurring during volunteer training sessions.