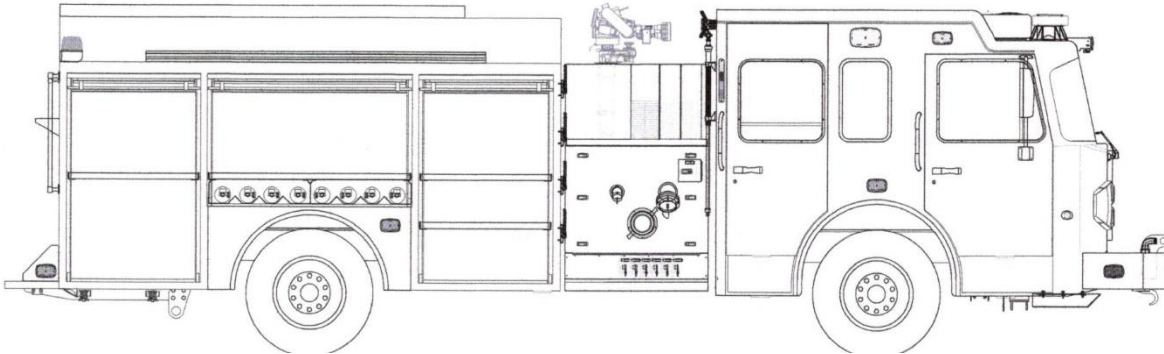


POWER UP ENGINE 33!



2019 FUNDRAISER – “POWER UP ENGINE 33” – donate today to help us raise the funds to pay down this new Engine – both the chassis and all of the equipment necessary for operational readiness.

Invite a member of the Board and/or the Fire Chief to your next gathering to discuss how the Bergheim VFD serves our community, the growth over the years, and the future challenges faced.

TO DONATE:

Please accept the enclosed donation of \$ _____ to the Bergheim VFD.

I/We wish my/our donation to remain anonymous

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

Bergheim VFD is a 501C(3) non-profit organization; donations are deductible under Section 170 of the IRS Code. A letter acknowledging your contribution will be returned to you as a tax receipt for donations of \$250 or greater.

After completion, fold and insert into enclosed envelope with the Bergheim VFD address showing in the window.

Bergheim Volunteer Fire Department
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2019 BERGHEIM VFD PRIORITY NEEDS LIST

Item	Number Needed	Approximate Cost	Description
Thermal Image Camera	1	\$9,000	A thermal Image Camera is used during firefighting operations to preform search and rescue and well as find the main body of fire. In most fires the visibility is very limited. This tool is a major part of our firefighting operations.
RIT Bag	1	\$3,900	In the event of a Firefighter needing to be rescued due to getting trapped or hurt in a structure fire a Rapid Intervention Team would go in to save the down Firefighter. A RIT Bag is a piece of equipment used to bring the firefighter out of the house.
Firefighting Boots (Leather)	15	\$275 each	Leather boots, more comfortable than rubber, conform to the firefighters' feet making them better footwear for extended time on a fire scene.
Fire Hose	30	\$125-\$250 each	The Fire hose varies in sizes based on the task in which it is used. 1 3/4 inch hose is used for attack lines, 2 1/2 and 3 inch hose is used for attack and supply purposes. Each truck Engine carries about 800ft of attack hose and around 2000 ft of supply hose
Swiftwater Drysuit	3	\$800 each	These Drysuits are used in the event of Swiftwater rescues.
Rescue Randy Training Manikin	1	\$1,600	A Rescue Randy Training Manikin is used for training drills. This manikin is 165 lbs. and is used for firefighters to practice rescuing in the burn house or in weekly training classes.
Handheld 700 Radio	4	\$3000 each	The are the radios used during fire and EMS emergencies within our County. We currently do not have enough radios for each member of our dept to have one on an Emergency Incident. This creates a huge safety issue.
Handheld VHF radio	2	\$2200 each	This radio is different that our 700 radio. These radios are used during mutual aid incidents as well as large grass fires that involve the Texas Forest Service. This will allow the Dept to talk to outside agencies and air support