

Bold Coast EMS Service

Report for 2025

To the citizens and selectman of Steuben, Cherryfield, and Milbridge:

For the calendar year 2024, Bold Coast EMS responded to 520 calls. These calls included transports, fire assists, and transfers. From July 1, 2024, to December 31, 2024, there were 282 calls. As most of you know, the nursing home in Milbridge closed during the second week of July 2024, which has led to a reduction in the number of calls this year.

The Bold Coast EMS operates on a fiscal year from July 1 to June 30, while Cherryfield and Steuben operate on a calendar-year budget. If the number of calls continues on this track through June 30, 2025, we will fall short of our projected revenue for the year-end budget.

While we hope our citizens do not require EMS services, we never know when this service will be needed. Our crew is actively training to better prepare for any emergency care that may be required, and they are doing a fantastic job. Additionally, we have four crew members who have completed or are in the process of completing the advanced EMT certification.

Lewis Pithman
TOWN MANAGER