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### **Madison Township Fire Department Temporarily Shuts Down Station 831** *Aging Facility Prompts Evaluation of Actions Needed to Upgrade Station*

**CAMBY, IN (October 27, 2023)** – Today, the Madison Township Fire Chief and Madison Township Trustee publicly announced the temporary closing of Madison Township Fire Department (MTFD) Station 831. The station, located at 10023 N Kitchen Rd, Mooresville, was built in 1992. Over the years, as Madison Township has grown, the demands for staffing and fire apparatus have taxed the facility. Safety concerns about degradation of concrete and the lack of adequate living quarters for staff were cited as the two main reasons for the decision to temporarily shut down the station.

All staff and in-service apparatus have been relocated the MTFD's other station – station 832 located at 7047 E Landersdale Rd, Camby. “The safety of our firefighters is our top priority,” said Fire Chief Anthony McClure. “In order to serve Madison Township to the best of our ability, we need to do everything we can to ensure the safety of our team.”

Chief McClure is now working with the team and MTFD's mutual aid partners to create and execute emergency response plans that provide for equal response to all residents of Madison Township, regardless of location. In addition, they are evaluating what actions need to be taken to upgrade Station 831. For more information about the Madison Township Fire Department, visit their website at: [MTFD.us](http://MTFD.us).



Madison Township Fire Department's Station 831.