

## Today's Lead: Multiple 911 System Crashes

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The city's 911 system [crashed several times](#) yesterday, forcing responders to resort to pen and paper, creating a backlog of about 200 calls at one point. At least one elderly woman had to [wait an hour](#) for an ambulance. The Fire Department says no calls were lost, but were not yet able to explain the crashes. The system has come under fire for repeated failures [recently](#).

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