

1923 - 2023

WEST MANCHESTER TOWNSHIP FIRE DEPARTMENT

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"Preparing for the Future, while preserving the past."

TO: West Manchester Township Board of Supervisors

Kelly Kelch, Township Manager

FROM: Clifton Laughman, Fire Chief

February 16, 2024 **DATE:**

SUBJECT: January 2024 Monthly Report

The WMTFD is off to a busy start for 2024 with a 12% increase in call volume from the prior year. However, despite the increase in calls and the several weather events, the members continue to have an average turnout of 8 personnel per call, which is outstanding for a volunteer department.

I am extremely proud of the job that the members have done this past year and couldn't have asked for a better team.

Below is the January 2024 report for the February 2024 meeting of the West Manchester Township Board of Supervisors.

TOWNSHIP EMERGENCY RESPONSES

Type of Response	Total	Percentage	YTD
Fire	10	10.1%	10
Over Pressure, Rupture, Explosion	0	0.00%	0
Rescue & Emergency Medical	23	23.23%	23
Hazardous Condition (No Fire)	13	13.13%	13
Service Call	15	15.15%	15
Good Intent Call	9	9.09%	9
False Alarm & False Call	28	28.28%	28
Severe Weather	0	0.00%	0
Special Incidents	1	1.01%	1
Totals	99	100.00%	99

- There was a total of 599 personnel that responded to the incidents with an average of 8 per incident. (Average does not include Duty Officer & Fire Police Only Calls). This is a 0% change from last month.
- Year to date, a total of 599 personnel responded to the incidents.
- We are at a 12.50% increase in call volume from this time last year.

DEPARTMENT NEWS

• We received notification that we were approved and awarded \$29,951.99. These funds will be used to purchase several sets of turnout gear as well as reimbursement for some of the new equipment that was purchased for the new engine.

VIOLATIONS

There were no violations/warnings given for the month of January for False Fire Alarms.

COMMUNITY RISK & REDUCTION

There were no Community Risk & Reduction events for the month of January.