



# 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

**DATE:** June 17, 2021

**SUBJECT:** June 2021 Monthly Report

As we continue to move out of the COVID-19 pandemic, the WMTFD continues to increase in call volume and the members continue to perform in outstanding ways. I am super proud of the work they have been doing!

Below is the May 2021 report for the June 2021 Board of Supervisor's Meeting.

## TOWNSHIP EMERGENCY RESPONSES

Type of Response	Total	Percentage	YTD
Fire	7	8.75%	58
Over Pressure, Rupture, Explosion	0	0.00%	0
Rescue & Emergency Medical	28	35.00%	103
Hazardous Condition (No Fire)	6	7.50%	50
Service Call	15	18.75%	60
Good Intent Call	8	10.00%	63
False Alarm & False Call	14	17.50%	66
Severe Weather	1	1.25%	1
Special Incidents	1	1.25%	2
<b>Totals</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>403</b>

- There was a total of 507 personnel that responded on the incidents with an average of 9 per incident. (Average does not include Duty Officer & Fire Police Only Calls). This is a 11.00% increase from last month.
- Year to date, a total 2,740 personnel responded on the incidents with an average of 8 per incident. This is a 0.00% change from this time last year.
- We are at a 22.87% increase in call volume from last year.

## DEPARTMENT NEWS

The department has been very busy with some updates to its stations. Over the past month we made some improvements to both of our stations.

- At our Shiloh station we seal coated and relined our parking lots and cleaned up the landscaping by weeding and mulching.
- At our Lincolnway station we sealed coated and relined the parking lot, cleaned up the landscaping by weeding and mulching, repainted the apparatus bay, and installed new gear lockers.

Thank you to all of the members who assisted with these projects. The stations look outstanding.

## RECRUITMENT & RETENTION

During the May General Business meeting of the department, one (1) new member was voted into membership:

**Lilly Yanick** – Lilly comes to the department as a social member. She is looking to assist us with fundraisers and other various administrative activities.

## VIOLATIONS

There were three (3) violation letters sent during the month of May

- Illegal Burning of a Fire Pit – 1701 Taxville Rd Apt 21A
- Illegal use of Fire Works – 2777 Butternut Lane
- Violation of Burning Ordinance – 2482 Onyx Lane

## COMMUNITY RISK & REDUCTION

We completed six (6) Community Risk and Reduction events for the month of May

- May 17<sup>th</sup> – Fire Extinguisher Training with West York High School Life Skills Class (2 Sessions)
- May 19<sup>th</sup> – Fire House Tour and Fire Safety Presentation to Home School Group of York
- May 20<sup>th</sup> - Fire House Tour and Fire Safety Presentation to Home School Group of York
- May 26<sup>th</sup> – Smoke Detector Install – 2910 Sunset Ln
- May 27<sup>th</sup> – Fire Safety Survey @ Drayer Physical Therapy

## MAINTENANCE

During the month of May the following maintenance was performed:

- May 19<sup>th</sup> - Annual NFPA Aerial and Ladder Testing
- May 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> – Seal Coating of Parking Lot at Shiloh