MONTHLY FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT

Fire Chief
Brian Boyce, Chief of Department





#### **Vision Statement**

To be progressive and dynamic leaders in the all-hazards emergency services industry.

#### **Mission Statement**

Our mission is to provide efficient and professional fire and life safety services to every stakeholder in our community through all hazard's risk reduction, emergency response, training, teamwork, and continuous improvement.



### **Departmental Organization**

Fire Chief Brian Boyce



Civilian Office Staff

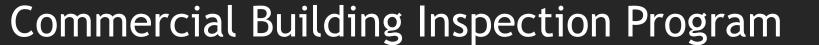
**Uniformed Fire Personnel** 

Administrative Assistant Elena Cicchitti Operations DC Norris

Planning DC Morrissey Logistics DC Yashin Finance DC Gallagher Fire Marshal Jim Shultz

Training Coordinator/
Fire Prevention
Justin Abraham

Title	Current	Short	Total
Fire Chief	1	0	1
Deputy Chief	4	0	4
Fire Marshal	1	0	1
Fire Captain	11	1	12
Firefighter	38	4	42
Total	55	5	60

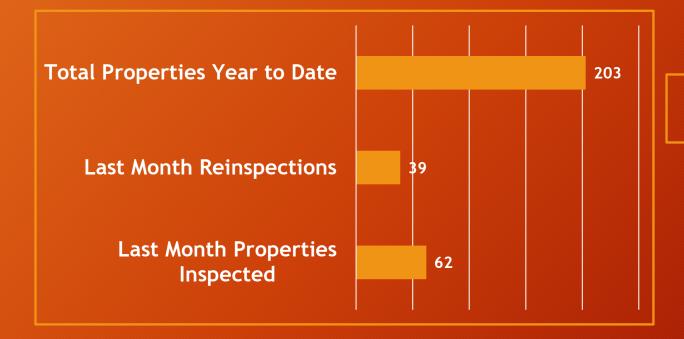




62 Properties Inspected
62 New Inspections
39 Re-Inspections Completed

#### **Year-To-Date**

203 Properties Inspected
37 Inspections Forwarded to L&I After ReInspection

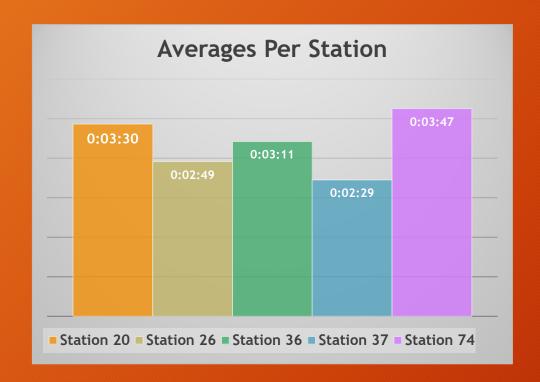


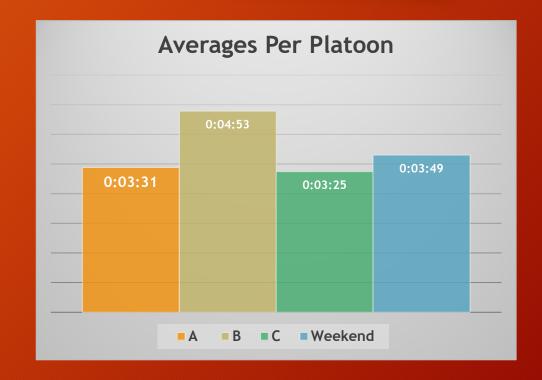
August 2023 Projected

44 Re-Inspection Scheduled

## Average Response Time July 2023







## Notable Incidents July 2023



627 Baltimore Ave Commercial Structure Fire 03:11 1221 Taylorsville Rd (Washington Crossing)
Assisted with Water Based Search and Rescue
06:32

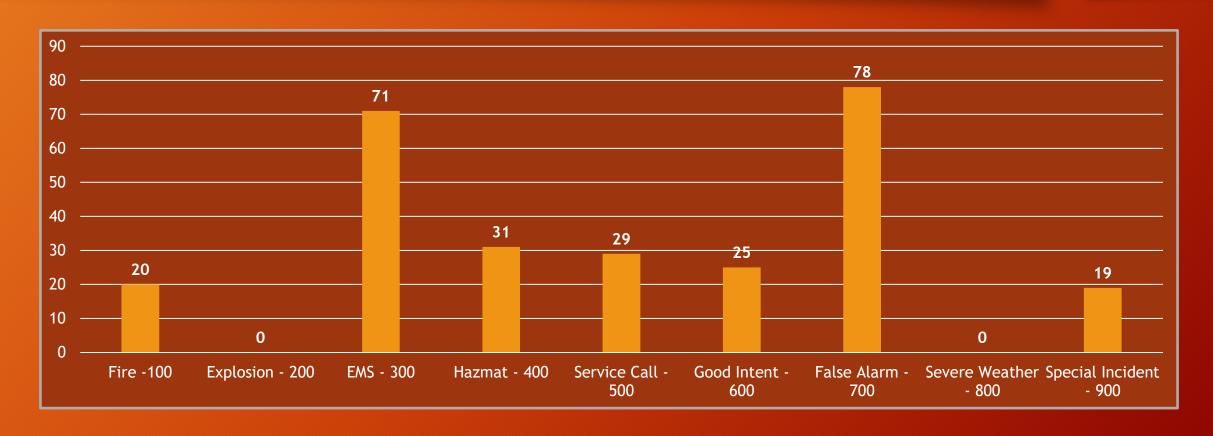
7/17/2023

7/30/2023 7/17/2023

219 Kingston Rd Building Fire - Row Home 10:04

### Incidents by Type July 2023 Total: 273



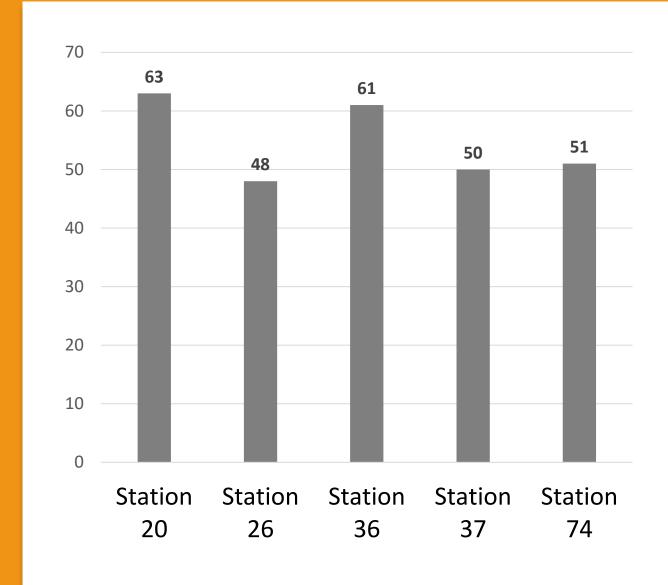


# Incidents By Type 2023 Year to Date Total: 1839



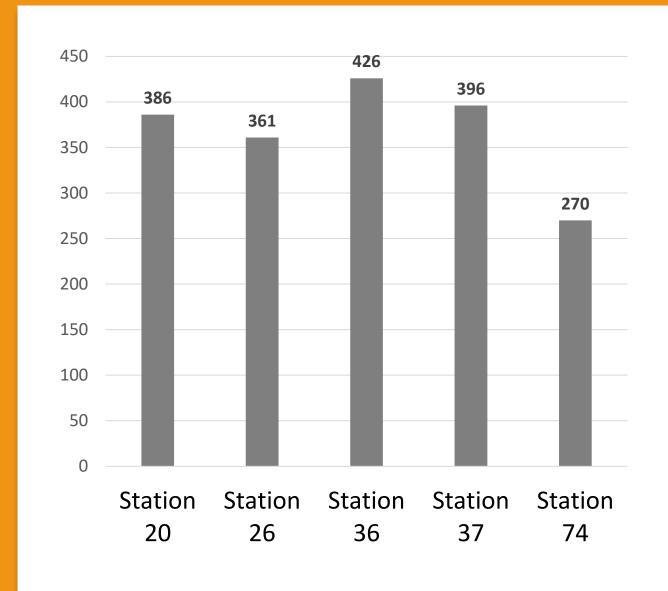
	Fire-100	Explosion-200	<b>EMS-300</b>	HAZMAT-400	Service Call-500	<b>Good Intent-600</b>	False Alarm-700	Severe Weather - 800	Special Incident-900
January	21	1	61	20	32	23	76	0	15
February	18	0	74	18	37	17	60	0	15
March	30	0	71	23	28	26	58	0	13
April	26	0	63	26	49	23	72	0	12
May	29	1	74	17	31	26	77	0	16
June	23	1	83	27	30	29	74	1	19
July	20	0	71	31	29	25	78	0	19
August									
September									
October									
November									
December									
Total	167	3	497	162	236	169	495	1	109

Incident Responses by Station

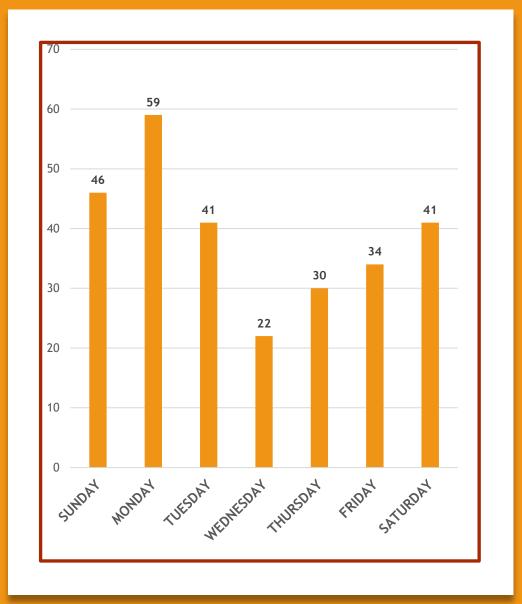


### 2023 Year-to-date

## Incident Responses By Station

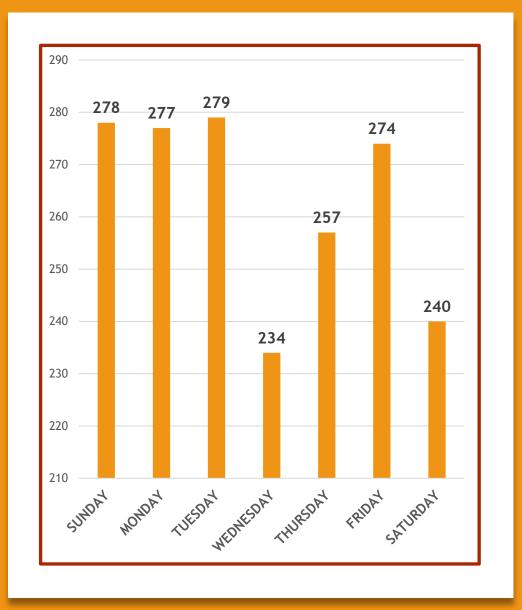


Incidents by Day of the Week



### 2023 Year-to-Date

Incidents by Day of the Week



## H.E.R.O. Helping Emergency Responders Overcome, Inc.



• Members attended H.E.R.O. training in July. H.E.R.O. is a Non-Profit initiative to help challenge the barriers of the first responder culture that create a stigma around their need for mental health and trauma support. We offer free trainings to help educate on the historic culture of the emergency responder, and how evidence today suggests they are currently at an increased risk for PTSD and Mental Health challenges and require support to manage the impact of this profession. We work to normalize that due to the workplace trauma they are exposed too daily, they can be negatively impacted in a way that leads to sometimes fatal outcomes, no one is considering what the responder lives through and works through daily and there are very limited support systems in place. We will work to raise donations to help connect emergency responders to treatment resources need for their emotional wellness. We will raise money through selling merchandise, fundraising, and grants. We are a full-service clinical team with vast knowledge and experience in the specialty of treating first responders and will also help to build partnerships with local departments, to support their internal needs, and implement strategies to support employee assistance with mental health, trauma, and substance abuse treatment. As well as work to provide intervention strategies to help those they want to intervene on and place people in treatment versus jail. This is a collaborative effort to help change the culture, breaking the stigma, challenging mistaken beliefs and perceptions, and building a new opportunity for emergency responders to seek help when in need.

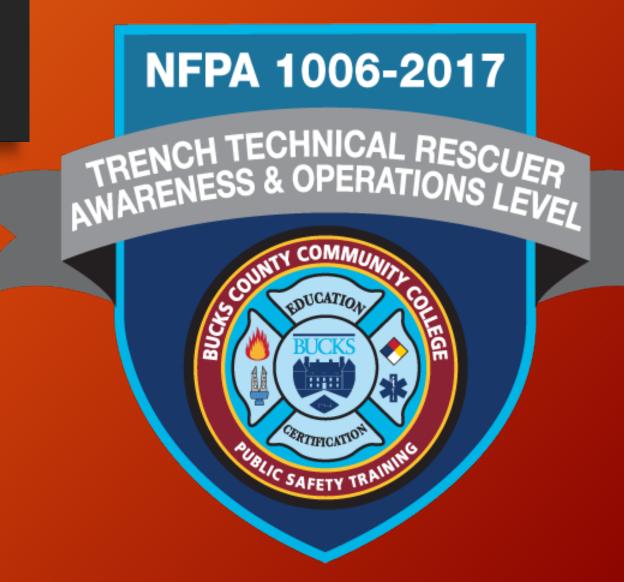
## Sprinkler and Alarm System Training

 Members of the Fire Department attended training of Sprinkler Systems and Fire Alarm Systems. This training is a refresher on the technical functions of each system and how each system is supposed to function in an emergency.



## Trench Rescue Operations Level

• Members of the department participated in a Trench Technical Rescuer Operations Level certification course in the month of July. This course trains the rescuers in trench rescue and recovery.



### Training on New Apparatus



• Members of the Department have started training on the new Engine 36 which is stationed at the Cardington-Stonehurst Fire House. Members will go through numerous hours of driver training and pump training before it is put into service. We are happy to have this new fire engine available as part of the frontline fleet protecting our citizens in Upper Darby Township.



## July 2023 Community Risk Reduction Activities



Beauty & Brains Camp Firehouse Visit

Station 36

10:30 - 11:00

Station 36 and Fire Prevention Coordinator, Justin Abraham

7/7/2023

Atkinson Place Senior Center 1300-1500

Station 37, and Fire Prevention Coordinator, Justin Abraham

7/14/2023

Academy of Academics Visit to Station 26 1000 - 1100 Station 26

7/24/2023

#### 7/12/2023

Community Helpers Week
Lansdowne YMCA

10:00 - 12:00

Station 36, Station 20, and and Fire Prevention Coordinator, Justin Abraham

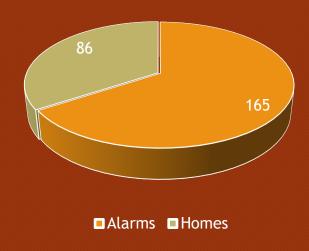
#### 7/19/2023

Highland Park Summer Camp Highland Park Elementary School 0900-1130 Station 26

## Smoke Alarm Program 2023 Year To Date



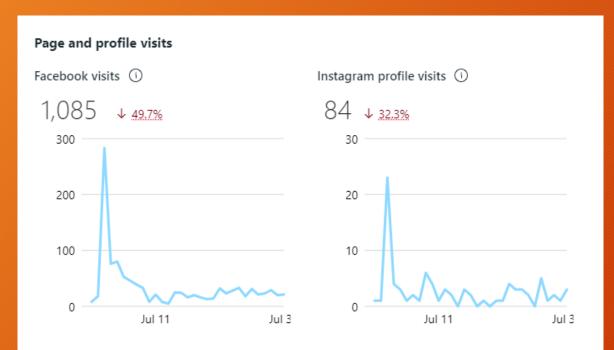
#### Smoke Alarm Installations

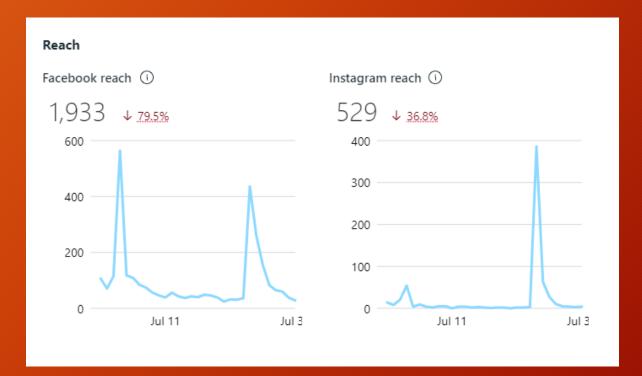


### Total smoke alarms installed: 165

- > Alarms installed in owner occupied homes: 111
- > Alarms installed in rentals: 54
- Number of homes where alarms were installed: 86
  - Average Alarms per Home: 2







Social Media Metrics July 2023

