

Fire Chiefs' & Fire Fighters' Association of York County, Inc.

330 Emig Road
York, PA 17406



Monthly Meeting
3rd Monday

General Membership Meeting Minutes

09/15/2025

Members in attendance

<u>NAME</u>	<u>STATION</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>STATION</u>
Bob Bowman	20	Brad Dunham	11
Dan Hoff	89	Richard Halpin	20
Clif Laughman	50	Jim Pritchard	20
Barry Myers	13	Phil Golden	55
John Senft	20	John Sanford	92
Eric Strittmatter	21	Craig Lipinski	18
Guy Hettinger	911	Chris Weidenhammer	OEM
Martiz Yohe	89	Joan Yohe	89
Daniel Santoemma	91	Tony Clouser	79
Jacob Bush	22	Nicholas Mann	50
Roy Gentzler	50	Tony Myers	61
Adam Smith	99	Rick Witten	31
Brandon Schnur	9	Michael McCoy	9
Justin Eberly	9	Chris Hoagland	9
Eric Hawkins	68	Rob Bissey	89

CALL TO ORDER (Vice President Brad Dunham)

Vice President Brad Dunham called the monthly meeting of the York County Fire Chiefs and Firefighters Association to order at 19:02 hours. The call to order was followed by a pledge to the flag and a moment of silence.

PRESENTATIONS

Chief Christopher Hoagland provided the welcome on behalf of the Dover Township Volunteer Fire Department. Chief Hoagland advised that after the meeting if anyone wants a tour of the renovated station, he is more than happy to provide one.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Vice President Dunham asked if there were any corrections to last month’s minutes. With no corrections, a motion to approve by Barry Myers, second by Richard Halpin and the motion carried.

REPORTS

Treasurer (Bob Bowman)

Treasurer Bob Bowman presented the following report: Beginning balance \$41,548.50 with an ending balance of \$11,451.25.

Vice President Dunham asked for a motion to approve the Treasurer’s Report. Phil Golden made a motion to approve, Rick Witten seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Board of Governors (Brad Dunham – BOG@group.ycfs.us)

The Board met this evening prior to this meeting and discussed finances for 2026 and the RACP progress.

Fire School Administrator (Jim Pritchard – james@ycfs.us)

Gave the August Fire School Training Report.

Advised the EL-22 program is being replaced with the new EL-26 Program to meet the NFPA 1010 standard.

Tree Stand Rescue class Canceled

2026 Subscription’s ready Oct. 1st

2026 Class schedule out Hopefully Oct. 1st

Hosting a pumps class at Station 13

Bucks	0
Hacc	0
Sherriff Dept	56
State Parole	0
Adult Probation	20
Combat Challenge	0
Fire Dept. facility non Burning	42
Fire School Classes	56
CERT	0
York County Quick Response Team	8
Wellspan	0
Police Departments	8
Company Burns	0
York County Dist Atty Office	0
Proctor Exams	0
State Police	4
Seminars	0
PAFCO	0
Community Life Team EMS	0
Misc	2
TOTAL HOURS:	196

AUGUST	4	Intro to Fire Service	23		16	360	R
	16	CPR/AED	0		0	0	C
	20	Fire Ground Support	16		32	512	R
	23	Fire Attack in Basements	17		8	136	R
Totals			56		56	1008	

PENNSYLVANIA ENTRY LEVEL FIRE TRAINING EL-26

- Current EL-22
- Introduction to the Fire Service (ELIS)
 - Mod Test
- Fire Ground Support (ELFG)
 - Mod Test
- Exterior Firefighter (ELEF)
 - Mod Test
- Interior Firefighter (ELIF)
 - Mod Test
 - Firefighter I Proboard Test Optional
- July 2026 – Meets NFPA 1010
- Introduction to the Fire Service (ELIS)
 - Mod Test
- Fire Ground Support (ELFG)
 - Exterior Firefighter Test
- Firefighter I (ELFFI) 17 yrs +
 - Firefighter I Test (Not Certification Test)
 - Firefighter I Proboard Test Optional

OTHER AGENCY REPORTS

911 Center/YCDES (Guy Hettinger)

Finishing up training with the current class and should get them out onto the floor in the very near future.

Uprtrained some of the recent new hires to be training on some additional boards. Staffing going well.

ATR (John Sanford - yc.atr@comcast.net)

The ATR team had 5 calls for the month; 40 calls for the year.

OEM (Chris Weidenhammer)

Discussed response criteria with the committee along with Line Officer Requirements.

On October 7th from 9am – 12pm will be holding the annual Fall Community Exercise.

EOC planning and getting ready for the General Election. EOC will be open from 6a-8p on the day of the election.

Haz-Mat (Dan Santoemma)

The Haz-Mat team had 16 calls for the month; 171 calls for the year.

Fire Police (Bud Yohe)

Currently completing another Fire Police Class. Should have more FP on the street soon.

In June of 2026 will be hosting a "Town Hall" Fire Police Session

Fire Fighter's Association (Terry Fix)

No Report

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Radio/Communications (Joe Madzellan – radio@group.ycfs.us)

Committee met on 8/28 discussed some items but had no resolutions to report. Discussed putting a lot of items on hold due to possible re-engineering of the CAD system in the very near future.

Station 110 now Station 32-3

Fire School Committee (Jim Pritchard)

Committee meeting at the end of the month.

Apparatus Inspection (Brad Dunham/Tony Myers – rescue@group.ycfs.us)

Tony advised the following rescues still need inspected- 42, 59, and 79.

Brad advised a lot of stations are currently doing their pump testing. Reminded everyone to get those turned in electronically when they are done. Paper copies won't be accepted they must be electronic.

Policy Committee (Brad Dunham)

No Report

Bylaws Committee (Dan Hoff)

No Report

Public Safety Policy Board (Tony Clouser)

No Report

Strategic Planning (John Senft - SPC@group.ycfs.us)

No Report

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- Proposal for policy changes
 - Response checks and replacement equipment on non-working incidents (i.e. fire alarms, etc.), still in progress.

NEW BUSINESS

None

REMARKS FOR THE GOOD OF THE ASSOCIATION

The next meetings will be held;

- October 20th, 2025, meeting will be held and West Manchester Township, Station 502 at 2190 Carlisle Road, York, with dinner being served at 1815 hours.
- November 17th, 2025, meeting will be held at the Mt Wolf Station 22, 54 Center St, Mt Wolf, with dinner being served at 1815 hours.
- December 15th, 2025, meeting will be held at Fairview Township, Station 68-1 at 340 Lewisberry Rd, New Cumberland, with dinner being served at 1815 hours.
- January 19th, 2026, meeting will be held at the Manchester Fire Company Station 23, 201 York St, Manchester, with dinner being served at 1815 hours.

ADJOURNMENT

Vice President Dunham asked for a motion for adjournment, Bob Bowman made a motion, Tony Myers seconded the motion and the motion carried at 19:26 hours.

Respectfully Recorded,

Clifton Laughman

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Board Member