

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

330 Emig Road
York, PA 17406



Monthly Meeting
3rd Monday

General Membership Meeting Minutes

05/18/2026

Members in attendance

<u>NAME</u>	<u>STATION</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>STATION</u>
Brad Dunham	11	Dan Hoff	89
Chris Krichten	63	Bob Bowman	20
Richard Halpin	20	Jim Pritchard	20
Clif Laughman	50	Phil Golden	55
Chad Deardorff	50	John Senft	20
Tony Myers	92	Joe Madzellan	89
Rob Bissey	89	Glen Jansen	92
Guy Hettinger	911	Nick Mann	50
Tony Clouser	79	Eric Brown	79
Craig Lipinski	18	Brad Dauberman	61
Rick Witten	31	Larry Anderson	66
Bill Kurtz	56	Chris Weidenhammer	91
Dan Santoemma	91	Kevin Westover	99

CALL TO ORDER (President Brad Dunham)

President Brad Dunham called the monthly meeting of the York County Fire Chiefs and Firefighters Association to order at 1903 hours. The call to order was followed by a pledge to the flag and a moment of silence.

PRESENTATIONS

Welcome by host Nashville FD rep Deputy Chief Doyle.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

President Dunham asked if there were any corrections to last month’s minutes. **With no corrections, a motion to approve by Tony Myers second by Clif Laughman and the motion was approved.**

REPORTS

Treasurer (Bob Bowman)

Treasurer Bob Bowman presented the following report: Beginning balance \$39,918.19 with an ending balance of \$12,943.44.

President Dunham asked for a motion to approve the Treasurer’s Report. Clif Laughman made a motion, Chad Deardorff seconded the motion and the motion was approved.

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

The Board met this evening prior to this meeting and discussed business. We received our first county allotment for the year and doing well financially so far this year.

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

Fire School Training Report for April 2026 was given.

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Total
Bucks					0
Hacc					0
Sherriff Dept			40		40
Adult Probation					0
Combat Challenge					0
Company Burns	8	12	8	8	36
Fire School Classes	30	30	30	29	119
CERT					0
York County Quick Response Team		8	8		16
Wellspring			8		8
UPMC				16	16
Police Departments					0
Company Training	16	8	16	16	56
Proctor Exams					0
State Police					0
Seminars					0
PAFCO					0
Misc	8			2	10
TOTAL HOURS:	62	58	110	71	301

Apr-26

1	APRIL	2	Common Passenger Vehicle Rescue	25		24	600	R
2		2	ELIS/SBS	25		64	1600	R
3		2	EMT Bridge	12		40	480	R
4		7	Truck Company II	17		16	272	R
5		7	Advance Fire Police	7		16	112	R
6		12	Fire Office III	6		24	144	R
7		13	Urban Flooding	10		4	40	R
8		25	Truck II / SBSR	17		8	136	R
9	Totals			119		315	3384	

OTHER AGENCY REPORTS

911 Center/YCDES (Guy Hettinger)

Newest class of hires now completing the current class. Will be continuing with more training. Next round of new hires will start in September. Radio manual will be ready by this Thursday.

ATR (Tony Myers – Chief92@ycatr.com)

-14 Calls to date

-355 member hours in team training to date this year

-Participated in a joint operation with Lower Windsor Twp PD and Search 93 with a missing person cold case. Boat assets and personnel were in use.

-Met with several county department Chiefs to answer questions about ATR

-Anyone needing information about YC ATR please contact Chief Tony Myers at Chief92@ycatr.com. We are available to do a brief presentation at your department if needed.

OEM (Chris Weidenhammer)

Completed the Peach Bottom survey in April with one minor finding.

Full scale exercise this past weekend with 17 agencies and multiple support from community members.

Starting 4th CERT class in June. Goal for 2026 is 100+ members.

Haz-Mat (Dan Santoemma)

The Haz-Mat team had 51 calls for the year.

Last month had railroad class with 8 agencies involved.

Fire Police (Bud Yohe)

No report

Fire Fighter's Association (Terry Fix)

No report

COMMITTEE REPORTS

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

Met last month continued to discuss old business with no update. Bulk discussion revolved around EMS chief designations and then rolled into the discussion of renumbering the EMS agencies. Will continue the conversation.

If you put in for a bulk radio order, the price came out from Scott this past week. Scott will work to get a better price.

Joe asked for more EMSA rep meeting at the radio meeting next week.

Fire School Committee (Bob Sells)

No report

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

The following rescues are due for inspection in 2026. Please contact Tony Myers at Tony@ycfs.us to set up your inspection. 50, 13-1, 19, 33, 39, E52-2, 54

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)

Current focus is the facility addition and the grant and working with the architect.

CAD (Eric Strittmatter)

No report

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

No report

NEW BUSINESS

No report

REMARKS FOR THE GOOD OF THE ASSOCIATION

Chad Deardorff was contacted by past County Commissioner President regarding a Memorial Day event. They need two ladder trucks from 1015 to 1230. If interested, please contact Chad Deardorff ASAP. Dan Hoff reported that the grants opened today and the window closes June 22, 2026.

- Next Monthly Meeting: June 15th, 2026, at Airville FD, 3576 Delta Road, Airville, dinner at 1815 hours and meeting at 1900 hours.
- The July meeting will be July 20th, 2026, at 1900 hours at the York County Public Safety Training Center.

ADJOURNMENT

President Dunham asked for a motion for adjournment, Clif Laughma made a motion, Bob Bowman seconded the motion and the motion was approved at 1921 hours.

Respectfully Recorded,

Christopher Krichten

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Board Secretary