



Columbia Borough Fire Department

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MONTHLY FIRE CHIEF'S REPORT

JULY 2020

Incident response statistics and additional Fire Department Activities for the month of July 2020 along with Year-to-Date information.

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Information released by the CBFD for informational purposes to the Columbia Borough Manager and Columbia Council members on August 2, 2020.

INCIDENT RESPONSE STATISTICS (TOTALS):

Incident Type *	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	2020 Year To Date Totals	2019 Totals
100	5	11	7	11	5	14	15						68	156
200	1	2	0	0	0	0	0						3	2
300	11	10	10	9	16	14	21						91	166
400	4	6	6	1	3	4	5						29	70
500	14	14	10	8	17	9	15						87	132
600	7	7	2	5	4	4	4						33	56
700	7	9	13	9	7	10	16						71	141
800	0	0	0	0	0	0	0						0	1
900	0	0	1	0	0	0	0						1	0
Totals:	49	59	49	43	52	55	76	0	0	0	0	0	383	724

KEY - Incident Type *

100	Fire Incidents including structures, mobile properties, vegetation and rubbish.
200	Over pressurized Incidents (No Fire) including boiler, pipelines, and process vessels.
300	Rescue/EMS Incidents including vehicle accidents, water rescue, searches, and industrial rescues.
400	Hazardous Materials Incidents including combustible spills, radioactive & biological, and electrical issues.
500	Service Incidents including water removal, smoke/odor issue, animal issue, and public service.
600	Good Intent Incidents including unknown type of alarms, controlled burns, steam mistaken for smoke.
700	False Alarm Incidents including unintentional fire alarms.
800	False Alarm Incidents including malicious alarms, bomb scares.
900	Special Incidents including citizen complaints, special types and miscellaneous incidents.

JULY INCIDENTS:

- **76** dispatched fire incidents with **991** volunteer man-hours.
- **\$281,800.00.00** of property was in danger of fire loss in Columbia Borough.
- **\$1,900.00** of property was destroyed by fire in Columbia Borough.
 - 7/03 838 Walnut Street \$200.00 Electrical
 - 7/08 131 South 3rd Street \$1,500.00 Unattended Cooking
 - 7/29 842 Houston Street \$200.00 Electrical
- **2** firefighter injuries reported.
 - 7/07 Dehydration Report Only
 - 7/22 Laceration Report Only
- **0** firefighter exposures reported.
- Response time for first arriving fire truck in Columbia Borough (from dispatch to arrival) for the month of **June** was **7:03**.
- **Wednesday** was our busiest day with **20** incidents.

- Incidents by shifts and our average number of volunteers:
 - 07:00am – 02:59pm **28** incidents averaging **09.8** volunteers.
 - 03:00pm – 10:59pm **35** incidents averaging **13.4** volunteers.
 - 11:00pm – 06:59am **13** incidents averaging **10.2** volunteers.
 - All Shifts **76** incidents averaging **11.6** volunteers.
- Automatic Fire Alarms** were our most dispatched incident type with **14**.
- Incidents location by Municipality:
 - Columbia Borough 35 46%
 - West Hempfield Township 16 21%
 - All others 25 33%

TRAINING STATISTICS (TOTALS):

	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	2020 Year To Date Totals	2019 Totals
Training Classes:	17	32	18	12	1	10	14						104	209
Volunteers Attending:	63	112	55	16	5	42	53						346	870
Training Hours:	241	497	190	32	10	102	205						1277	2620

FIRE DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES:

- Fundraising totaled **0%** of our **July** Activity events with **0** man-hours and a total of **0** volunteers assisting.
- Public Education Specialists had **1** events with **10** man-hours:
 - 7/15 Assisted Boy Scout Troop 35 with earning their Firem'n Chip certification.
- Other activities for **July** totaled **8** events with **82** man-hours:
 - 7/01 CBFDD Company Meeting.
 - 7/04 Fire Police assisted Wrightsville with annual fireworks display.
 - 7/05 Protest detail.
 - 7/11 Protest detail.
 - 7/16 CBFDD Board of Directors meeting.
 - 7/20 CBFDD Fireman's Relief meeting.
 - 7/22 Emergency Management Agency (EMA) meeting.
 - 7/29 Protest detail.

**1288 VOLUNTEER HOURS WERE SPENT IN THE MONTH OF
JULY FOR OUR COMMUNITY!
41.5 VOLUNTEER MAN HOURS PER DAY!**



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Fire Report - Summarized

Alarm Date Between {07/01/2020} And {07/31/2020}

Count	Incident Type
2	Alarm Bells
3	Automatic Alarm - Commercial
5	Automatic Alarm - High Occupancy
1	Automatic Alarm - Industrial
2	Automatic Alarm - Nursing Home/Hospital
3	Automatic Alarm - Residential
1	Building - Barn
1	Building - Commercial
8	Building - Dwelling
5	Cardiac Arrest
1	CO Alarm
5	Investigation - Inside
2	Investigation - Outside
4	Medical Assist
1	Public Service - Stuck Elevator
5	Rescue - Water
6	Standby - Transfer
3	Trash
2	Utility/Wires
2	Vehicle Accident - Class 1
2	Vehicle Accident - Class 2
2	Vehicle Accident - Entrapment
1	Vehicle Accident - Unknown Injury
1	Vehicle Fire - Tractor Trailer
8	Fire Police
76	Total Incident Count:
882	Total Responding Personnel:
11.6	Average Staff Per Incident:
66.08	Company Time In Service:
990.30	Total Staff Hours:
1 / 2	Civilian Injuries / Deaths:
2 / 0	Firefighter Injuries / Deaths:
\$281,800.00	Estimated Property Value:
\$1,900.00	Estimated Property Loss:



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District and Zones Station 80

Alarm Date Between {01/01/2020} And {12/31/2020} and District = "80"

Box	Box Description	Count	Percent of Incidents	Estimated Losses	Percent of Losses
80-05	Southwest Columbia Borough	67	30.04 %	\$1,974,000.00	99.00 %
80-01	Northeast Columbia Borough	63	28.25 %	\$600.00	0.03 %
80-02	Northwest Columbia Borough	57	25.56 %	\$18,800.00	0.94 %
80-06	Southeast Columbia Borough	16	7.17 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
80-07	Route 30	8	3.58 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
80-03	Non-Hydrant North Columbia Borough	6	2.69 %	\$500.00	0.03 %
80-09	Susquehanna River North of 30	3	1.34 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
80-10	Susquehanna River South of 30	3	1.34 %	\$0.00	0.00 %

Total Incident Count: 223

Estimated Losses: \$1,993,900.00





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Incidents by Municipality - Summary

Alarm Date Between {07/01/2020} And {07/31/2020}

Municipality	Count	Pct of Incidents	Est Losses	Pct of Losses	
Columbia Borough	35	46.05%	\$1,900	100.00	%
West Hempfield Township	16	21.05%	\$0	0.00	%
Manor Township	5	6.57%	\$0	0.00	%
Springettsbury Twp	4	5.26%	\$0	0.00	%
Hellam Township	3	3.94%	\$0	0.00	%
Wrightsville Borough	3	3.94%	\$0	0.00	%
East Donegal Township	2	2.63%	\$0	0.00	%
Lower Windsor Township	2	2.63%	\$0	0.00	%
Conoy Township	1	1.31%	\$0	0.00	%
Conastoga Township	1	1.31%	\$0	0.00	%
East Hempfield Township	1	1.31%	\$0	0.00	%
Hallam Borough	1	1.31%	\$0	0.00	%
Marietta Borough	1	1.31%	\$0	0.00	%
Mountville Borough	1	1.31%	\$0	0.00	%
Total Incident Count:	76	Total Est Losses:	\$1,900		



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Training Report - Summary

Class Date Between {07/01/2020} And {07/31/2020}

Classes Description	Classes	Attendees	Hours
CPR/AED Certification	1	1	04:00
Factory Training - MSA G1 SCBA	1	1	01:30
Haz-Mat Operations	5	25	120:00
Interior Firefighter	1	2	08:00
Rapid Intervention Teams	1	4	20:00
SCBA, General	1	2	03:00
Facility Tour	1	5	05:00
Truck Company Operations 1	2	2	16:00
Vertical Ventilation	1	11	27:30
Totals	14	53	205:00



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Activity Report - Summary

Date Between {07/01/2020} And {07/31/2020}

Activity Code	Staff Count	Total Hrs	Pct Hrs
Meeting - Company	25	25:00	30.03 %
Fire Police Detail	11	24:00	28.82 %
Duty Crew	2	10:00	12.01 %
Public Safety Education	5	10:00	12.01 %
Meeting - Fireman's Relief	5	07:30	9.00 %
Meeting - Officers	7	05:15	6.30 %
Meeting - Miscellaneous	1	01:30	1.80 %
	56	83:15	



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Staff Incident Participation

Activity Date Between {01/01/2020} And {07/31/2020}

Staff Id/Name	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total	Percent
ACKER, MAXIMILIAN M.	3	3	0	0	3	13	17	0	0	0	0	0	39	10.31
ANDERSON, JR., RICKY W.	6	5	10	7	9	10	4	0	0	0	0	0	51	13.49
ARMOLD, MICHAEL P.	19	22	20	28	20	30	31	0	0	0	0	0	170	44.97
BARCLAY, JASON M.	0	0	0	4	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	7	1.85
BARNINGER, JARED R.	5	8	5	5	0	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	30	7.93
BOYLES, TODD M.	11	11	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	7.67
BRAUNGARD, EMILY M.	16	1	2	0	3	4	6	0	0	0	0	0	32	8.46
BROWNSBERGER, FLOYD K	1	4	0	0	2	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	12	3.17
DEETS, HUNTER T.	0	5	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	10	2.64
FINEGAN, MICKENZIE M.	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	1.58
FINEGAN, TIMOTHY M.	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	1.58
FISHER, JASON S.	5	25	20	22	18	6	12	0	0	0	0	0	108	28.57
FOEHLINGER, MILDRED E.	21	30	27	19	21	22	18	0	0	0	0	0	158	41.79
FRITZ, KEITH A.	8	9	10	0	7	22	34	0	0	0	0	0	90	23.80
FRITZ, KRYSTAL A.	12	13	20	24	25	17	29	0	0	0	0	0	140	37.03
FRITZ, KYLE N.	12	12	14	11	12	13	25	0	0	0	0	0	99	26.19
FRITZ, LAUREN A.	7	16	19	20	12	15	19	0	0	0	0	0	108	28.57
FRITZ, MARK A.	15	24	25	23	28	24	51	0	0	0	0	0	190	50.26
GOMEZ, LORENZO C.	3	2	4	3	7	11	6	0	0	0	0	0	36	9.52
GOODMAN, JORDAN M.	11	18	13	13	7	11	15	0	0	0	0	0	88	23.28
GREENYA, ALFRED A.	13	31	20	16	21	17	12	0	0	0	0	0	130	34.39
HARTMAN, JESSICA L.	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1.32
HERSHEY, DAVID P.	0	8	10	6	12	10	15	0	0	0	0	0	61	16.13
HERSHEY, DENNY P.	10	12	15	14	16	11	17	0	0	0	0	0	95	25.13
HETTER, ADAM M.	23	38	20	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	86	22.75
HINKLE, RYAN J.	20	18	21	25	16	28	26	0	0	0	0	0	154	40.74
JARVIS, JORDAN T.	30	31	21	22	28	24	25	0	0	0	0	0	181	47.88
KEMMERLY, DOUGLAS J.	19	35	21	21	17	23	42	0	0	0	0	0	178	47.09
KEYSER, BRENT M.	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.52
KEYSER, BRYAN E.	9	12	6	11	5	7	12	0	0	0	0	0	62	16.40
KEYSER, KEVIN A.	22	29	23	20	25	29	36	0	0	0	0	0	184	48.67
LIGHTCAP, JOHN A.	10	8	4	0	3	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	35	9.25
LIGHTCAP, JOSHUA S.	6	4	2	0	0	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	20	5.29
LIGHTCAP, JR., TODD M.	3	7	3	2	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	20	5.29
LIGHTCAP, SR., TODD M.	8	5	0	6	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	21	5.55
LONG, JEFFREY G.	11	30	16	21	12	25	27	0	0	0	0	0	142	37.56
MANLEY, RONALD L.	11	11	13	4	8	13	9	0	0	0	0	0	69	18.25
MARTIN, NICK D.	11	16	22	15	18	0	20	0	0	0	0	0	102	26.98
MENTZER, JR., BRIAN K.	3	8	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	15	3.96
MEYERS, WILLIAM L.	19	20	13	16	16	14	17	0	0	0	0	0	115	30.42
MILES, PAUL A.	0	14	9	22	8	11	9	0	0	0	0	0	73	19.31
MISAL, JUSTIN S.	13	33	21	24	22	15	24	0	0	0	0	0	152	40.21
MONTGOMERY, SEAN M.	17	16	2	8	3	5	6	0	0	0	0	0	57	15.07



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Staff Incident Participation

Activity Date Between {01/01/2020} And {07/31/2020}

Staff Id/Name	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total	Percent
MORRISON, HUNTER L.	3	8	0	5	0	4	11	0	0	0	0	0	31	8.20
MOSTELLER, JARED D.	17	28	22	19	18	11	27	0	0	0	0	0	142	37.56
PETERS, AUSTIN E.	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.52
REIFSNYDER, ROBERT M.	5	14	18	24	14	23	18	0	0	0	0	0	116	30.68
RHOADES, BRYCE J.	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.52
RHODES, JORDAN M.	28	35	37	29	20	25	30	0	0	0	0	0	204	53.96
RHODES, MICHAEL E.	22	32	26	15	25	19	27	0	0	0	0	0	166	43.91
RIGGS, JONATHAN R.	19	31	26	20	22	22	32	0	0	0	0	0	172	45.50
RYNO, SCOTT K.	9	23	21	30	32	18	45	0	0	0	0	0	178	47.09
SCHMITT, EUGENE V.	4	3	2	9	0	7	20	0	0	0	0	0	45	11.90
SCHOELKOPH, JR., LESTER R.	2	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	1.58
SCHOELKOPH, SR., LESTER R.	3	8	6	2	4	7	9	0	0	0	0	0	39	10.31
SHAEFFER, CRYSTAL A.	1	7	4	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	15	3.96
SHAEFFER, JOHN M.	6	17	9	2	1	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	42	11.11
SPLAIN, MICHAEL A.	20	24	8	11	7	12	13	0	0	0	0	0	95	25.13
STOCK, MICHAEL D.	2	7	1	4	3	6	10	0	0	0	0	0	33	8.73
TORBERT, DEBORAH L.	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1.05
WAGNER, TODD A.	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0.79
WARNER, JUSTIN M.	1	8	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	4.76
WINE, ADRIAN G.	2	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	1.32
ZERCHER, JOHN M.	23	33	33	31	35	42	41	0	0	0	0	0	238	62.96

Total Runs by Month											
Jan	48	Feb	58	Mar	49	Apr	40	May	51	Jun	56
Jul	76	Aug	0	Sep	0	Oct	0	Nov	0	Dec	0

Grand Total Runs: 378