



Columbia Borough Fire Department

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MONTHLY FIRE CHIEF'S REPORT

October 2021

Incident response statistics and additional Fire Department Activities for the month of October 2021 along with Year-to-Date information.

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INCIDENT RESPONSE STATISTICS (TOTALS):

Incident Type *	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	2021 Year To Date Totals	2020 Totals
100	16	9	14	13	5	9	8	16	13	15			118	112
200	0	1	17	0	1	0	0	0	2	0			21	4
300	10	11	5	21	20	10	10	29	24	21			161	178
400	5	5	11	11	4	5	3	1	1	1			47	51
500	14	11	4	12	16	10	15	15	15	17			129	140
600	2	4	7	1	1	2	3	6	5	7			38	45
700	9	8	1	11	10	6	7	15	8	13			88	128
800	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0			1	0
900	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0			2	3
Totals:	56	49	59	70	57	42	47	82	69	74	0	0	605	661
2020	49	59	49	43	52	55	76	65	47	59	57	50		661

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.

OCTOBER INCIDENTS:

- **74** dispatched fire incidents with **994.57** volunteer man-hours.
- **\$353,000** of property was in danger of fire loss in Columbia Borough.
- **\$13,000** of property were destroyed by fire in Columbia Borough.
 - 10/11 415 Locust St \$300.00 Building Fire
 - 10/20 412 Manor St \$1,000.00 Building Fire
- **1** firefighter injuries reported.
- **0** firefighter exposures reported.
- **0** Civilian injury reported
- Response time for first arriving fire truck in Columbia Borough (from dispatch to arrival) for the month of **October** was **5:37**
- **Wednesday** was our busiest day with **17** incidents each.
- Incidents by shifts and our average number of volunteers:

- 07:00am – 02:59pm **22** incidents averaging **10.4** volunteers.
- 03:00pm – 10:59pm **33** incidents averaging **15.0** volunteers.
- 11:00pm – 06:59am **19** incidents averaging **10.3** volunteers.
- All Shifts **74** incidents averaging **12.4** volunteers.
- **Rescue** was our most dispatched incident type with **21**.
- Incidents location by Municipality:
 - Columbia Borough 29 40%
 - West Hempfield Township 16 20%
 - All others 29 40%

TRAINING STATISTICS (TOTALS):

	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	2021 Year To Date Totals	2020 Totals
Training Classes:	6	32	53	23	17	12	17	17	34	11			222	166
Volunteers Attending:	32	134	119	93	68	70	59	57	70	33			735	601
Training Hours:	87	485	499	417	345	248	211	191	260	238			2981	1883

FIRE DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES:

- Public Education Specialists had **0** events with **0** man-hours:
- Other activities for **October** totaled **2** events with **142** man-hours.

**1374 VOLUNTEER HOURS WERE SPENT IN THE MONTH OF
OCTOBER FOR OUR COMMUNITY!
44.32 VOLUNTEER MAN HOURS PER DAY!**



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Fire Report - Summarized

Alarm Date Between {10/01/2021} And {10/31/2021}

Count	Incident Type
1	Alarm Bells
1	Assist Police Department
5	Automatic Alarm - Commercial
3	Automatic Alarm - High Occupancy
2	Automatic Alarm - Industrial
2	Automatic Alarm - Nursing Home/Hospital
3	Automatic Alarm - Residential
1	Brush
1	Building - Apartment
3	Building - Commercial
5	Building - Dwelling
2	Building - Outbuilding
3	Medical Assist - Cardiac Arrest
2	CO Alarm
1	Gas Leak
2	Investigation - Fire Chief
2	Investigation - Inside
4	Medical Assist - Other
1	Rescue - Water
1	Rescue - Boat In Distress
3	Standby - In Station
3	Standby - Transfer
4	Vehicle Accident - Class 1
4	Vehicle Accident - Class 2
2	Vehicle Accident - Entrapment
1	Vehicle Accident - Fire
2	Vehicle Accident - Standby
1	Vehicle Fire
9	Fire Police
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74	Total Incident Count:
921	Total Responding Personnel:
12.4	Average Staff Per Incident:
78.51	Company Time In Service:
994.57	Total Staff Hours:
0 / 0	Civilian Injuries / Deaths:
1 / 0	Firefighter Injuries / Deaths:
\$353,000.00	Estimated Property Value:
\$1,300.00	Estimated Property Loss:



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District and Zones Station 80

Alarm Date Between {10/01/2021} And {10/31/2021}

Box	Box Description	Count	Percent of Incidents	Estimated Losses	Percent of Losses
80-05	Southwest Columbia Borough	11	14.86 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
67	Rohrerstown FD	6	8.10 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
80-01	Northeast Columbia Borough	5	6.75 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
80-03	Non-Hydrant North Columbia Borough	5	6.75 %	\$1,300.00	100.00 %
Y41	Wrightsville Fire Department	5	6.75 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
07-03	West Hempfield Township West area	4	5.40 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
80-02	Northwest Columbia Borough	4	5.40 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
Y89	York Area United Fire Rescue	4	5.40 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
76-03	Silver Spring & Oyster Point Area	3	4.05 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
80-06	Southeast Columbia Borough	3	4.05 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
Y21	Hellam Fire Department	3	4.05 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
07-02	Mountville Borough area	2	2.70 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
76-08	76-08	2	2.70 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
07-04	West Hempfield Township North area	1	1.35 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
07-06	Rt 30 EB West of Mountville exit	1	1.35 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
07-07	Rt 30 East of Mountville exit	1	1.35 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
07-08	West Hempfield Township South area	1	1.35 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
3600	Marietta Borough area	1	1.35 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
71	Bainbridge FD	1	1.35 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
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76-04	Farmdale Area	1	1.35 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
76-06	Route 462 & Oak Hollow Area	1	1.35 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
76-09	Stony Battery Road Area	1	1.35 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
76-14	River Bridges 30 & 462	1	1.35 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
79	Maytown-East Donegal Twp FD	1	1.35 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
80-01	Northeast Columbia Borough	1	1.35 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
905	Blue Rock - Millersville	1	1.35 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
907-01	Susquehanna River	1	1.35 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
907-03	Franklin Road area	1	1.35 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
Y41	Wrightsville Fire Department	1	1.35 %	\$0.00	0.00 %

Total Incident Count: 74

Estimated

Losses:

\$1,300.00





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Incidents by Municipality - Summary

Alarm Date Between {10/01/2021} And {10/31/2021}

Municipality	Count	Pct of Incidents	Est Losses	Pct of Losses	
Columbia Borough	29	39.18%	\$1,300	100.00	%
West Hempfield Township	16	21.62%	\$0	0.00	%
East Hempfield Township	6	8.10%	\$0	0.00	%
Hellam Township	6	8.10%	\$0	0.00	%
Springettsbury Twp	4	5.40%	\$0	0.00	%
Manor Township	3	4.05%	\$0	0.00	%
Mountville Borough	3	4.05%	\$0	0.00	%
Conoy Township	2	2.70%	\$0	0.00	%
Wrightsville Borough	2	2.70%	\$0	0.00	%
East Donegal Township	1	1.35%	\$0	0.00	%
Lower Windsor Township	1	1.35%	\$0	0.00	%
Marietta Borough	1	1.35%	\$0	0.00	%
Total Incident Count:	74		Total Est Losses:	\$1,300	



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Training Report - Summary

Class Date Between {10/01/2021} And {10/31/2021}

Classes Description	Classes	Attendees	Hours
Basic Vehicle Rescue Operations	1	1	48:00
Essentials of Firefighter Module III	2	2	13:00
Essentials of Firefighting Module IV	1	1	40:00
CPR/AED Recertification	1	2	03:00
Fire Inspector One	1	1	05:00
Fire Inspector Two	1	1	40:00
Haz-Mat Operations	1	1	24:00
Haz-Mat Operations Refresher	1	1	08:00
Rope & Knots, General	1	12	24:00
SCBA, General	1	11	33:00
Totals	11	33	238:00



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Activity Report - Summary

Date Between {10/01/2021} And {10/31/2021}

Activity Code	Staff Count	Total Hrs	Pct Hrs
Facility Tour	41	82:00	57.74 %
Parade Activity	30	60:00	42.25 %
	71	142:00	



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Staff Incident Participation

Activity Date Between {01/01/2021} And {10/31/2021}

Staff Id/Name	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total	Percent
ACKER, MAXIMILIAN M.	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	4	0.66
ANDERSON, JR., RICKY W.	10	5	8	9	5	3	2	3	1	1	0	0	47	7.76
Annas, Stephen Farrell	0	0	0	0	3	8	1	9	15	13	0	0	49	8.09
ARMOLD, MICHAEL P.	32	31	27	38	30	20	16	33	40	26	0	0	293	48.42
BARCLAY, JASON M.	1	5	2	3	0	1	0	4	9	0	0	0	25	4.13
BARNINGER, JARED R.	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	4	0.66
Bouder Jr, Charles J	0	0	0	0	0	7	5	9	14	17	0	0	52	8.59
BOYLES, TODD M.	7	1	5	9	5	1	3	11	3	0	0	0	45	7.43
BRAUNGARD, EMILY M.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.16
BROOME, JOHN S.	0	0	0	1	2	1	1	1	3	2	0	0	11	1.81
BROWNSBERGER, FLOYD K	22	31	40	42	20	16	26	29	27	39	0	0	292	48.26
BUDESHEIM, ISAAH T	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.16
CONRAD, CHRISTOPHER L.	6	15	12	15	7	6	4	15	8	11	0	0	99	16.36
COX, JAMES	4	15	21	19	8	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	70	11.57
FALCON, KEN M.	0	4	5	2	3	4	2	4	4	3	0	0	31	5.12
FINEGAN, MICKENZIE M.	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	10	2	1	0	0	16	2.64
FINEGAN, TIMOTHY M.	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	10	2	1	0	0	16	2.64
FISHER, JASON S.	14	18	24	18	16	9	13	28	20	20	0	0	180	29.75
FOEHLINGER, MILDRED E.	9	4	6	7	1	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	32	5.28
FRITZ, KEITH A.	3	12	5	18	11	18	7	14	16	16	0	0	120	19.83
FRITZ, KRYSTAL A.	9	9	20	15	10	5	12	2	0	4	0	0	86	14.21
FRITZ, KYLE N.	13	15	25	22	18	10	6	23	25	14	0	0	171	28.26
FRITZ, LAUREN A.	9	19	5	10	2	9	6	7	9	21	0	0	97	16.03
FRITZ, LESLIE A.	0	0	1	2	2	1	0	1	0	3	0	0	10	1.65
FRITZ, MARK A.	16	34	36	46	22	11	17	23	31	30	0	0	266	43.96
GOMEZ, LORENZO C.	6	9	3	5	2	4	4	9	16	5	0	0	63	10.41
GOODMAN, JORDAN M.	18	13	15	17	16	22	19	20	36	27	0	0	203	33.55
GREENYA, ALFRED A.	25	13	31	23	19	22	15	24	10	37	0	0	219	36.19
HELTON, BLAKE E	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.16
HERSHEY, DAVID P.	11	14	11	28	12	8	0	4	10	9	0	0	107	17.68
HERSHEY, DENNY P.	30	19	34	39	21	16	29	46	39	30	0	0	303	50.08
HERSHEY, DERRICK P	0	0	0	0	0	1	21	43	28	28	0	0	121	20.00
HINKLE, RYAN J.	15	11	14	36	21	15	17	32	29	32	0	0	222	36.69
JARVIS, JORDAN T.	34	21	0	19	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	77	12.72
KEMMERLY, DOUGLAS J.	2	3	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	1.65
KEYSER, BRENT M.	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	7	1.15
KEYSER, BRYAN E.	14	10	22	24	11	12	11	15	18	19	0	0	156	25.78
KEYSER, KEVIN A.	19	20	22	28	22	19	23	31	20	34	0	0	238	39.33
KUHN, RYAN M.	0	0	0	1	7	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	1.65
LIGHTCAP, JOHN A.	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.16
LIGHTCAP, JOSHUA S.	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.16
LIGHTCAP, SR., TODD M.	6	4	4	4	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	23	3.80
LONG, JEFFREY G.	0	1	1	7	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	13	2.14



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Staff Incident Participation

Activity Date Between {01/01/2021} And {10/31/2021}

Staff Id/Name	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total	Percent
MANLEY, RONALD L.	5	15	21	27	14	7	8	9	7	34	0	0	147	24.29
MARTIN, NICK D.	1	4	5	2	7	10	11	21	5	7	0	0	73	12.06
MEISENBACH, JAMES	0	0	13	27	25	23	18	38	32	38	0	0	214	35.37
MEYERS, WILLIAM L.	13	11	20	25	22	15	10	21	12	18	0	0	167	27.60
MILES, PAUL A.	16	28	17	18	6	6	12	15	13	12	0	0	143	23.63
MISAL, JUSTIN S.	23	36	37	35	12	17	23	44	31	42	0	0	300	49.58
MONTGOMERY, SEAN M.	2	8	2	2	4	3	0	2	1	3	0	0	27	4.46
MORRISON, HUNTER L.	9	13	32	31	18	10	17	28	27	20	0	0	205	33.88
MOSTELLER, JARED D.	16	12	17	2	8	2	7	5	7	11	0	0	87	14.38
MYERS, MEGAN J.	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0.66
PETERS, AUSTIN E.	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.16
REIFSNYDER, ROBERT M.	15	15	11	11	11	10	9	7	18	28	0	0	135	22.31
RHOADS, JORDAN M.	37	30	36	15	28	0	18	60	27	25	0	0	276	45.61
RHODES, MICHAEL E.	30	36	36	47	20	25	31	39	29	39	0	0	332	54.87
RIGGS, JONATHAN R.	10	22	33	27	24	15	23	32	32	30	0	0	248	40.99
RINKUS, ROBERT W.	22	13	21	22	23	19	19	31	22	29	0	0	221	36.52
RYNO, SCOTT K.	44	34	42	44	36	18	21	28	58	52	0	0	377	62.31
SCHMITT, EUGENE V.	10	15	14	18	9	12	4	1	0	1	0	0	84	13.88
SCHOELKOPH, JR., LESTER R.	4	4	2	5	8	5	5	5	7	2	0	0	47	7.76
SCHOELKOPH, SR., LESTER R.	0	0	14	1	7	16	13	15	8	6	0	0	80	13.22
SHAEFFER, CRYSTAL A.	0	0	8	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	1.81
SHAEFFER, JOHN M.	9	6	13	7	8	4	2	0	7	11	0	0	67	11.07
SPLAIN, MICHAEL A.	16	7	13	3	2	3	6	12	10	2	0	0	74	12.23
STOCK, MICHAEL D.	5	6	23	15	12	3	7	17	21	11	0	0	120	19.83
UHLRICH, KATHERINE C.	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	3	0	0	7	1.15
WARFEL, ROBERT E.	14	29	32	21	11	16	11	26	27	14	0	0	201	33.22
WINE, ADRIAN G.	4	3	3	2	2	0	1	10	0	3	0	0	28	4.62
WISEMAN, GARRY L.	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	4	0.66
ZERCHER, JOHN M.	37	30	43	39	39	28	17	46	41	34	0	0	354	58.51

Total Runs by Month											
Jan	56	Feb	49	Mar	59	Apr	70	May	57	Jun	42
Jul	47	Aug	82	Sep	69	Oct	74	Nov	0	Dec	0

Grand Total Runs: 605