



# Columbia Borough Fire Department

726 Manor Street

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## MONTHLY FIRE CHIEF'S REPORT

May 2016

Incident response statistics and additional Fire Department Activities for the month of May 2016 along with Year-to-Date information

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Information released by the CBFDD for informational purposes to the Columbia Borough Manager and Columbia Council members on June 6, 2016

# INCIDENT RESPONSE STATISTICS (TOTALS) :

Incident Type *	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	2016 Year To Date Totals	Aug 1 - Dec 31 2015 Totals
100	10	10	16	17	9								62	50
200	1	1	1	0	2								5	0
300	14	20	19	13	12								78	93
400	4	5	9	5	6								29	27
500	16	9	6	13	7								51	73
600	4	7	4	3	2								20	21
700	13	14	14	5	14								60	64
800	0	0	0	1	1								2	0
900	1	0	0	0	0								1	1
Totals:	63	66	69	57	53	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	308	329

## 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.

## MAY INCIDENTS:

- 53 dispatched fire incidents with 413 volunteer man-hours.
- \$171,200.00 of property was in danger of fire loss in Columbia Borough.
- \$ 20,200.00 of property was destroyed from fire in Columbia Borough.
  - Plane Street & Route 441 Accident with Fire
  - 300 Cherry Street Kitchen Fire
  - 152 North 8<sup>th</sup> Street Vehicle Fire
- 1 firefighter injury reported.
  - Fire Police member with a back injury. Due to the injury, time was lost from his full-time employment.
- 0 firefighter exposures reported.
- Response time for first arriving fire truck in Columbia Borough (from dispatch to arrival) for the month of May was 5:46.
- Tuesday and Friday were our busiest days with 11 incidents each.

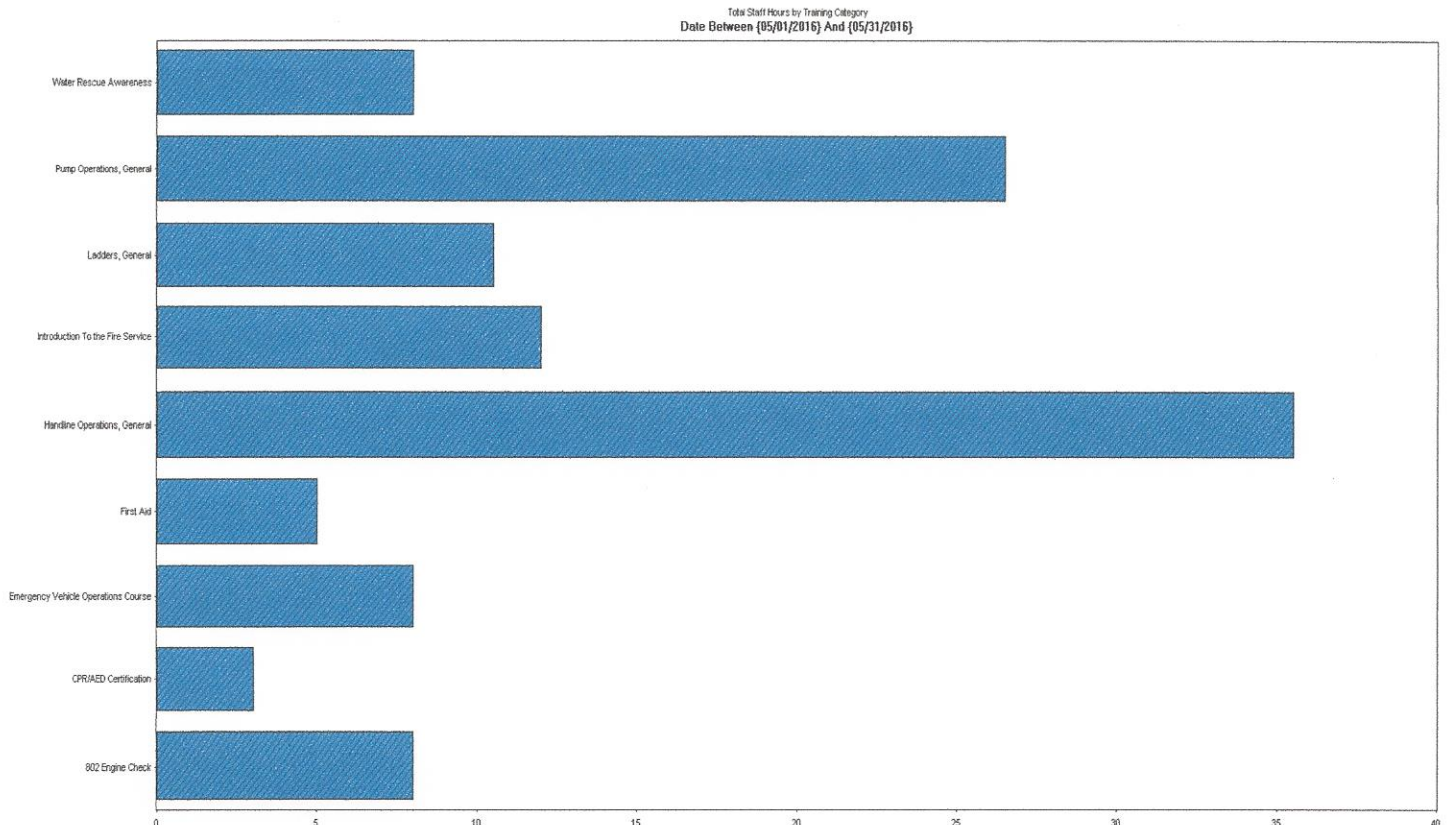


- Incidents by shifts and our average number of volunteers:
  - 07:00am - 02:59pm **16** incidents averaging **11.1** volunteers.
  - 03:00pm - 10:59pm **28** incidents averaging **13.4** volunteers.
  - 11:00pm - 06:59am **09** incidents averaging **10.1** volunteers.
  - All Shifts **53** incidents averaging **12.1** volunteers.
- **Automatic Fire Alarms** were our most dispatched incident type with **11**.
- Incidents location by Municipality:
  - Columbia Borough 29
  - West Hempfield Township 06
  - All others 18

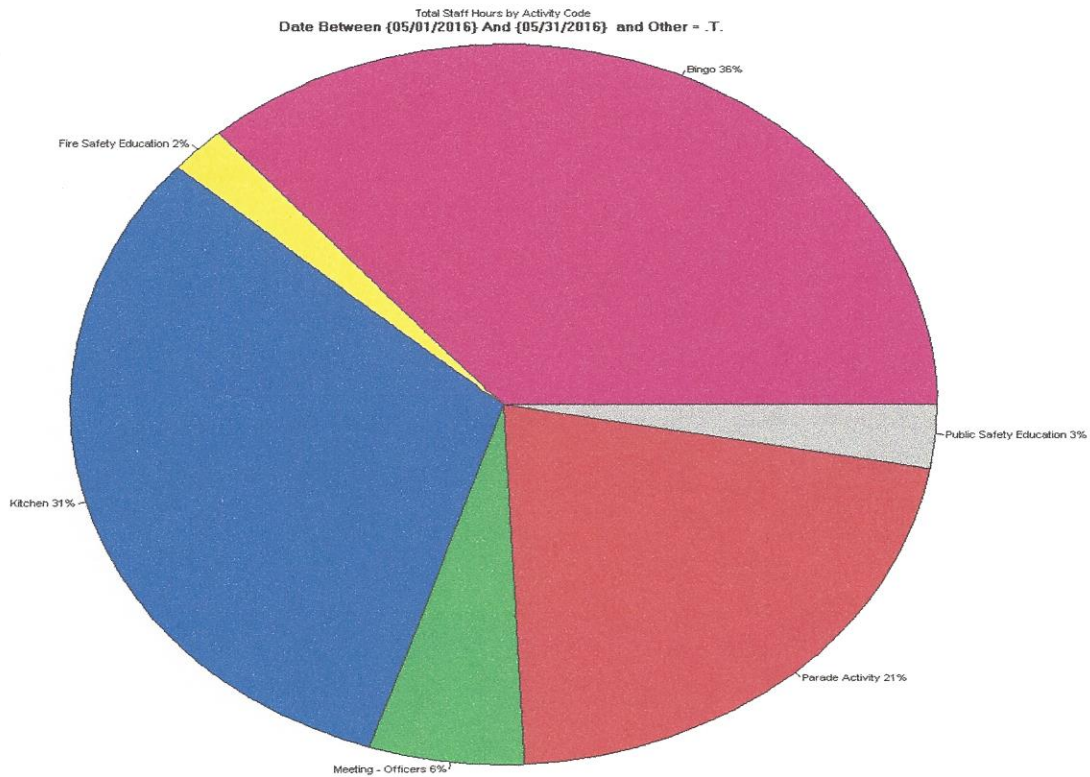
### TRAINING STATISTICS (TOTALS) :

	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	2016 Year To Date Totals	Aug 1 - Dec 31 2015 Totals
Training Classes:	22	24	13	14	13								86	62
Volunteers Attending:	71	147	78	36	42								374	130
Training Hours:	350	475	391	127	117								1460	527

- Additional break down of training please see the attached report.



## FIRE DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES (PERCENT OF MAN HOURS) :



- Fundraising totaled **67%** of our **May** Activities events with **378** man-hours.
- Public Education Specialists had **2** events with **26** man-hours:
  - 05/13 6 members along with Sesame Street puppets provided fire safety education to 117 students in kindergarten in the Columbia School district.
  - 05/26 4 members provided fire safety education to over 100 students of Our Lady of the Angels. Students went through the Lancaster County Smoke trailer.
- Other activities for **May** that our Volunteers participated in were:
  - Attended two meetings in the month of **May** to ensure our day to day operations are meeting our customers' expectations.
    - ✓ 05/16 Administration meeting
    - ✓ 05/26 Fire Line Officers meeting
  - Participated in Memorial Day Parades:
    - ✓ 05/28 Mount Joy Borough
    - ✓ 05/29 Columbia Borough
    - ✓ 05/30 Marietta Borough
    - ✓ 05/30 East Donegal Township

**1087 VOLUNTEER HOURS WERE SPENT IN THE MONTH OF  
MAY FOR OUR COMMUNITY!  
35 VOLUNTEER MAN HOURS PER DAY!**





# Columbia Borough Fire Department

## Monthly Fire Report - Summarized

Alarm Date Between {05/01/2016} And {05/31/2016}

Count	Incident Type
2	Alarm Bells
3	Automatic Alarm - Commercial
3	Automatic Alarm - High Occupancy
2	Automatic Alarm - Industrial
2	Automatic Alarm - Nursing Home/Hospital
1	Automatic Alarm - Residential
1	Building - Apartment
6	Building - Dwelling
1	Building - Outbuilding
1	Cardiac Arrest
2	Gas Leak
4	Investigation - Inside
1	Investigation - Storm Damage
2	Medical Assist
1	Person Struck
1	Rescue - Environmental
2	Rescue - Water
2	Spill Control
3	Standby - Transfer
1	Unknown Type Fire
3	Vehicle Accident - Class 1
2	Vehicle Accident - Class 2
1	Vehicle Accident - Fire
3	Vehicle Fire
3	Fire Police
<b>53</b>	<b>Total Incident Count:</b>
<b>646</b>	<b>Total Responding Personnel:</b>
<b>12.1</b>	<b>Average Staff Per Incident:</b>
<b>33.64</b>	<b>Company Time In Service:</b>
<b>413.31</b>	<b>Total Staff Hours:</b>
<b>5 / 2</b>	<b>Civilian Injuries / Deaths:</b>
<b>1 / 0</b>	<b>Firefighter Injuries / Deaths:</b>
<b>\$171,200.00</b>	<b>Estimated Property Value:</b>
<b>\$20,200.00</b>	<b>Estimated Property Loss:</b>



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## Incidents by Township - Summary

Alarm Date Between {05/01/2016} And {05/31/2016}

Township	Count	Pct of Incidents	Est Losses	Pct of Losses	
Columbia Borough	29	54.71%	\$20,200	100.00	%
Conoy Township	1	1.88%	\$0	0.00	%
East Donegal Township	4	7.54%	\$0	0.00	%
East Hempfield Township	1	1.88%	\$0	0.00	%
Hallam Borough	3	5.66%	\$0	0.00	%
Hellam Township	1	1.88%	\$0	0.00	%
Lower Windsor Township	2	3.77%	\$0	0.00	%
Marietta Borough	3	5.66%	\$0	0.00	%
Mountville Borough	2	3.77%	\$0	0.00	%
West Hempfield Township	6	11.32%	\$0	0.00	%
Wrightsville Borough	1	1.88%	\$0	0.00	%
<b>Total Incident Count:</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>Total Est Losses:</b>	<b>\$20,200</b>		



# Columbia Borough Fire Department

## Monthly Activity Report

Date Between {05/01/2016} And {05/31/2016}

Activity Code	Staff Count	Total Hrs	Pct Hrs
Bingo	57	203:00	36.44 %
Fire Safety Education	6	12:00	2.15 %
Kitchen	25	175:00	31.41 %
Meeting - Officers	17	34:00	6.10 %
Parade Activity	37	119:00	21.36 %
Public Safety Education	4	14:00	2.51 %
	<b>146</b>	<b>557:00</b>	



# Columbia Borough Fire Department

## Monthly Training Report

Class Date Between {05/01/2016} And {05/31/2016}

Classes Description	Classes	Attendees	Hours
802 Engine Check	1	1	08:00
First Aid	1	1	05:00
CPR/AED Certification	1	1	03:00
Emergency Vehicle Operations Course	1	1	08:00
Handline Operations, General	2	17	35:30
Ladders, General	1	7	10:30
Introduction To the Fire Service	3	3	12:00
Pump Operations, General	2	9	26:30
Water Rescue Awareness	1	2	08:00
<b>Totals</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>116:30</b>





# Columbia Borough Fire Department

## Staff Incident Participation

Activity Date Between {01/01/2016} And {05/31/2016}

Staff Id/Name	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total	Percent
016 ANDERSON, DEVON M.	1	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1.62
108 ANDERSON, MIKE S.	7	2	11	8	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	36	11.68
109 ANDERSON, NIKKI R.	14	4	6	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27	8.76
107 ANDERSON, RICKY W.	15	7	10	5	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	43	13.96
119 ARMOLD, MICHAEL P.	19	28	16	18	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	93	30.19
115 BARNETT, AUTUMN L.	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	2.59
025 BARNINGER, JARED R.	10	10	11	11	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	50	16.23
055 BOYLES, TODD M.	30	13	40	42	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	145	47.07
IA33 DREWEN, CHRISTOPHER L	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.64
80-90 EVANS, JACK W.	13	22	33	24	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	112	36.36
117 FALCON, KEN M.	2	2	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	2.59
123 FELTENBERGER, ALEXIS M.	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.32
113 FELUS, JOSEPH S.	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1.29
030 FISHER, JASON S.	17	18	16	10	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	73	23.70
017 FRITZ, KEITH A.	21	34	24	21	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	118	38.31
082 FRITZ, KYLE N.	22	22	32	19	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	110	35.71
008 FRITZ, LAUREN A.	13	2	21	1	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	53	17.20
006 FRITZ, MARK A.	40	41	47	26	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	180	58.44
125 GARDILL, RYAN J.	0	0	0	8	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	6.49
087 GOMEZ, LORENZO C.	0	1	4	5	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	6.16
011 GRAHAM, BRETT A.	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.64
124 HANK, BENJAMIN J.	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.32
122 HANK, JAKE M.	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.64
047 HELSEL, ANTHONY W.	7	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	4.22
100 HERSHEY, DENNY P.	34	30	41	18	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	143	46.42
014 HETTER, ADAM M.	39	54	47	39	43	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	222	72.07
052 HETTER, ROBERT J.	8	10	10	5	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	42	13.63
105 HILGERT, PAT A.	1	4	1	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	3.57
020 KEMMERLY, DOUGLAS J.	27	30	28	18	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	127	41.23
075 KEYSER, BRENT M.	1	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	1.94
040 KEYSER, BRYAN E.	16	23	28	23	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	107	34.74
074 KEYSER, KEVIN A.	28	39	37	24	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	153	49.67
097 KUHN, RYAN M.	11	10	7	5	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	42	13.63
80-94 LIGHTCAP, JOHN A.	2	2	7	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	6.16
110 LIGHTCAP, TODD M.	7	5	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	5.51
111 LIGHTCAP, TODD M.	5	7	8	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	7.46
80-82 MANLEY, RONALD L.	15	22	17	8	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	65	21.10
048 MARTIN, NICK D.	2	13	5	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	8.11
80-96 MCCAULEY, EDWARD J.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.32
037 MCCORD, MICHAEL S.	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1.29



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Staff Id/Name	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total	Percent
091 MENTZER, BRIAN K.	20	16	6	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	51	16.55
035 MEYERS, WILLIAM L.	29	44	42	28	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	183	59.41
106 MILES, PAUL A.	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1.29
044 MISAL, JUSTIN S.	32	17	34	26	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	131	42.53
077 MONTGOMERY, SEAN M.	14	18	27	24	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	97	31.49
038 MOSTELLER, JARED D.	32	28	21	27	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	130	42.20
051 MOYER, THEODORE R.	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.64
112 MURPHY, JOHN V.	3	5	5	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	5.19
116 NISSLEY, AUSTIN M.	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.64
041 PARIS, MACKENZIE L.	0	9	14	7	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	37	12.01
080 REESE, HANNAH J.	0	1	7	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	4.22
120 REIFSNYDER, ROBERT M.	15	22	19	13	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	78	25.32
80-80 RHODES, MICHAEL E.	24	23	25	22	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	108	35.06
RIDEALONG RIDE ALONG, #1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.32
101 RYNO, SCOTT K.	41	42	42	26	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	183	59.41
005 SCHMITT, EUGENE V.	0	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	2.59
80-88 SCHOELKOPF, LESTER R.	17	18	19	8	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	77	25.00
029 SCHOELKOPH, LESTER R.	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1.29
80-87 SHAEFFER, CRYSTAL A.	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	1.94
80-85 SHAEFFER, JOHN M.	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	2.59
118 SHEARER, CURTIS L.	14	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	6.49
090 SPLAIN, MICHAEL A.	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0.97
80-83 STARK, JERRY F.	4	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	2.27
081 STOCK, MICHAEL D.	28	24	41	21	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	132	42.85
121 THOMPSON, CURTIS J.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.32
094 THOMPSON, GINA A.	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.64
80-99 TORBERT, DEBORAH L.	5	4	14	10	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	12.98
80-86 TORBERT, JOHN E.	4	1	11	7	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	8.44
80-98 TORBERT, PAULINE M.	0	0	1	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	2.59
103 VEACH, SIMON L.	42	33	43	41	34	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	193	62.66
114 WARNER, JUSTIN M.	14	20	3	5	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	53	17.20
089 WEBER, GARY L.	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1.62
012 WISEMAN, GARRY L.	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.32
018 ZERCHER, JOHN M.	24	35	47	21	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	155	50.32

Total Runs by Month											
Jan	63	Feb	66	Mar	69	Apr	57	May	53	Jun	0
Jul	0	Aug	0	Sep	0	Oct	0	Nov	0	Dec	0

Grand Total Runs: 308