



Columbia Borough Fire Department

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MONTHLY FIRE CHIEF'S REPORT

May 2018

Incident response statistics and additional Fire Department Activities for the month of May 2018 along with Year-to-Date information.

Douglas J. Kemmerly, Fire Chief

Information released by the CBFD for informational purposes to the Columbia Borough Manager and Columbia Council members on June 1, 2018

INCIDENT RESPONSE STATISTICS (TOTALS):

Incident Type *	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	2018 Year To Date Totals	2017 Totals
100	11	5	14	11	9								50	119
200	0	0	0	0	0								0	0
300	9	11	14	10	22								66	171
400	7	5	13	4	8								37	61
500	15	7	18	9	10								59	132
600	6	2	2	7	3								20	45
700	11	9	7	3	18								48	105
800	0	0	0	0	0								0	9
900	0	0	0	0	0								0	9
Totals:	59	39	68	44	70	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	280	651

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:

- 70 dispatched fire incidents with 516 volunteer man-hours.
- \$90,000.00 of property was in danger of fire loss in Columbia Borough.
- \$0.00 of property was destroyed in Columbia Borough.
- 0 firefighter injuries reported.
- 0 firefighter exposures reported.
- Response time for first arriving fire truck in Columbia Borough (from dispatch to arrival) for the month of May was 5:55.
- Wednesday was our busiest day with 14 incidents.
- Incidents by shifts and our average number of volunteers:
 - 07:00am – 02:59pm 30 incidents averaging 10.1 volunteers.
 - 03:00pm – 10:59pm 29 incidents averaging 13.4 volunteers.
 - 11:00pm – 06:59am 11 incidents averaging 06.6 volunteers.
 - All Shifts 70 incidents averaging 10.9 volunteers.
- Automatic Fire Alarms were our most dispatched incident type with 16.

- Incidents location by Municipality:

➤ Columbia Borough	35	50%
➤ West Hempfield Township	24	34%
➤ All others	11	16%

TRAINING STATISTICS (TOTALS):

	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	2018 Year To Date Totals	2017 Totals
Training Classes:	10	35	13	22	8								88	124
Volunteers Attending:	40	177	41	58	16								332	432
Training Hours:	205	468	139	235	38								1085	1698

FIRE DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES (MAN HOURS):

- Fundraising totaled **32%** of our **May** Activity events with **106** man-hours with a total of **25** volunteers helping.
- Public Education Specialists had **2** events with **12** man-hours:
 - 5/02 Sesame Street Puppet show for Park Elementary School.
 - 5/09 Child safety seat check completed.
- Other activities for **May** totaled **13** events with **221** man-hours:
 - 5/01 Attended West Hempfield Township Board of Supervisors meeting.
 - 5/02 Attended Columbia Borough event planning meeting.
 - 5/02 Fire Department company meeting held.
 - 5/05 Provided a ladder arch for the Memorial Ride for Veterans at LCPSTC.
 - 5/11 Assisted Our Lady of Angels with a Color Run.
 - 5/17 Company Board of Directs meeting held.
 - 5/20 Fire Police assisted with Motorcycle Run.
 - 5/23 Borough employees used Engine 801 for wash down at River Park.
 - 5/26 Fire Police assisted with 5K River Run on Route 462 bridge.
 - 5/26 Attended Mount Joy's Memorial Day parade.
 - 5/26 Fire Police shut down Route 462 for the Veteran's Memorial dedication.
 - 5/28 Attended Marietta's Memorial Day parade.
 - 5/28 Attended Wrightsville's Memorial Day parade.

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



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Fire Report - Summarized

Alarm Date Between {05/01/2018} And {05/31/2018}

Count	Incident Type
4	Alarm Bells
1	Assist Police Department
3	Automatic Alarm - Commercial
8	Automatic Alarm - High Occupancy
3	Automatic Alarm - Nursing Home/Hospital
1	Automatic Alarm - Residential
1	Brush
1	Building - Apartment
2	Building - Commercial
2	Building - Dwelling
1	Building - Outbuilding
4	Cardiac Arrest
2	CO Alarm
3	Gas Leak
4	Investigation - Inside
2	Investigation - Outside
1	Medical Assist
1	Rescue - Environmental
6	Rescue - Water
1	Rescue - Boat In Distress
2	Search Detail
1	Spill Control
1	Utility/Wires
2	Vehicle Accident - Class 1
5	Vehicle Accident - Class 2
2	Vehicle Accident - Entrapment
1	Vehicle Accident - Standby
1	Vehicle Fire
4	Fire Police
70	Total Incident Count:
768	Total Responding Personnel:
10.9	Average Staff Per Incident:
40.90	Company Time In Service:
515.82	Total Staff Hours:
6 / 1	Civilian Injuries / Deaths:
0 / 0	Firefighter Injuries / Deaths:
\$90,000.00	Estimated Property Value:
\$0.00	Estimated Property Loss:

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District and Zones Station 80

Alarm Date Between {01/01/2018} And {05/31/2018} and District = "80

Box	Box Description	Count	Percent of Incidents	Estimated Losses	Percent of Losses
4224	Southwest Columbia Borough	48	33.80 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
4220	Northeast Columbia Borough	36	25.35 %	\$750.00	71.43 %
4221	Northwest Columbia Borough	26	18.30 %	\$300.00	28.57 %
4225	Southeast Columbia Borough	12	8.45 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
4226	Route 30	8	5.63 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
4222	Non-Hydrant North Columbia Borough	7	4.92 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
4223	Non-Hydrant South Columbia Borough	2	1.40 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
4227	Route 462 Bridge	1	0.70 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
4228	Susquehanna River North of 30	1	0.70 %	\$0.00	0.00 %
4229	Susquehanna River South of 30	1	0.70 %	\$0.00	0.00 %

Total Incident Count: 142

Estimated
Losses:

\$1,050.00





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Incidents by Municipality - Summary

Alarm Date Between {05/01/2018} And {05/31/2018}

Municipality	Count	Pct of Incidents	Est Losses	Pct of Losses
Columbia Borough	35	50.00%	\$0	0.00 %
West Hempfield Township	24	34.28%	\$0	0.00 %
Conoy Township	2	2.85%	\$0	0.00 %
Hellam Township	2	2.85%	\$0	0.00 %
East Donegal Township	1	1.42%	\$0	0.00 %
Lower Windsor Township	1	1.42%	\$0	0.00 %
Marietta Borough	1	1.42%	\$0	0.00 %
Manor Township	1	1.42%	\$0	0.00 %
Mountville Borough	1	1.42%	\$0	0.00 %
Swatara Township	1	1.42%	\$0	0.00 %
Wrightsville Borough	1	1.42%	\$0	0.00 %
Total Incident Count:	70	Total Est Losses:	\$0	



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Activity Report - Summary

Date Between {05/01/2018} And {05/31/2018}

Activity Code	Staff Count	Total Hrs	Pct Hrs
Parade Activity	34	109:00	32.15 %
Bingo	18	57:00	16.81 %
Meeting - Company	26	52:00	15.33 %
Kitchen	7	49:00	14.45 %
Fire Police Detail	12	25:00	7.37 %
Duty Crew	12	21:00	6.19 %
Meeting - Officers	7	10:30	3.09 %
Public Safety Education	5	10:00	2.94 %
Meeting - Miscellaneous	2	03:30	1.03 %
Child Safety Seat	1	02:00	0.59 %
	124	339:00	



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Training Report - Summary

Class Date Between {05/01/2018} And {05/31/2018}

Classes Description	Classes	Attendees	Hours
Advance Warning	1	1	01:00
Blocking Procedures at Roadway Incidnets	1	1	01:00
Ground Ladder Refresher	1	2	06:00
Haz-Mat Awareness	1	1	04:00
Haz-Mat Operations Refresher	1	2	12:00
Intro to Fire Service Traffic Control Professional	1	1	01:00
Pump Operator Training	1	1	02:00
Water Rescue, General	1	7	10:30
Totals	8	16	37:30



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Staff Incident Participation

Activity Date Between {01/01/2018} And {05/31/2018}

Staff Id/Name	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total	Percent
ACOSTA, ANTONIO	0	0	0	10	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	6.78
ANDERSON, JR., RICKY W.	17	8	7	5	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	47	16.78
ARMOLD, MICHAEL P.	17	16	22	19	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	89	31.78
BARNINGER, JARED R.	13	5	14	11	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	54	19.28
BOYLES, TODD M.	9	7	17	13	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	54	19.28
BRAUNGARD, EMILY M.	10	6	19	14	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	63	22.50
COPPENHAVER, JOHN R.	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.35
FISHER, JASON S.	17	4	26	7	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	59	21.07
FRITZ, KEITH A.	21	12	15	6	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	72	25.71
FRITZ, KRYSTAL A.	19	14	24	6	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	73	26.07
FRITZ, KYLE N.	20	14	16	13	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	78	27.85
FRITZ, LAUREN A.	20	6	9	6	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	63	22.50
FRITZ, MARK A.	35	26	43	17	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	154	55.00
GOMEZ, LORENZO C.	5	3	4	5	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	32	11.42
GOODMAN, JORDAN M.	22	9	35	21	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	115	41.07
GRAHAM, BRETT A.	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.71
HERSHEY, DAVID P.	27	21	32	23	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	130	46.42
HERSHEY, DENNY P.	25	15	20	21	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	102	36.42
HETTER, ADAM M.	2	10	23	14	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	70	25.00
HETTER, ROBERT J.	0	2	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	2.14
HILGERT, PAT A.	5	3	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	4.28
HINKLE, RYAN J.	14	16	31	10	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	73	26.07
KEMMERLY, DOUGLAS J.	28	20	34	17	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	117	41.78
KEYSER, BRENT M.	0	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	2.14
KEYSER, BRYAN E.	9	16	15	18	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	80	28.57
KEYSER, KEVIN A.	25	21	33	26	44	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	149	53.21
LIGHTCAP, JOHN A.	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1.07
LIGHTCAP, JR., TODD M.	2	2	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	2.85
LIGHTCAP, SR., TODD M.	0	2	1	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	2.85
LONG, JEFFREY G.	0	0	20	19	34	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	73	26.07
MANLEY, RONALD L.	4	7	15	2	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	41	14.64
MARTIN, NICK D.	23	13	32	13	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	104	37.14
MENTZER, JR., BRIAN K.	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1.42
MEYERS, WILLIAM L.	17	16	26	16	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	102	36.42
MISAL, JUSTIN S.	15	9	29	16	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	98	35.00
MONTGOMERY, SEAN M.	7	7	19	4	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	64	22.85
MOSTELLER, JARED D.	22	21	32	26	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	134	47.85
ODOMS, ZACHARY J.	0	0	0	3	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	7.50
PAULSEN, PAUL R.	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.35
PETERS, AUSTIN E.	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.71
REIFSNYDER, ROBERT M.	14	5	18	16	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	70	25.00



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RHOADS, JORDAN M.	0	1	31	24	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	83	29.64
RHODES, MICHAEL E.	4	5	9	11	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	61	21.78
RIDE ALONG, #1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.35
RIGGS, JONATHAN R.	2	3	5	5	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	6.78
ROLAND, DOMINIQ A.	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.35
RYNO, SCOTT K.	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.71
SCHMITT, EUGENE V.	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1.07
SCHOELKOPH, SR., LESTER R.	3	4	7	5	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	10.71
SHAEFFER, JOHN M.	5	2	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	4.64
SMALL, GARY M.	8	2	4	4	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	8.57
SMITH, CODY B.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1.07
SPLAIN, MICHAEL A.	10	11	26	9	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	61	21.78
STOCK, MICHAEL D.	16	10	15	14	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	77	27.50
TORBERT, DEBORAH L.	17	8	21	4	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	68	24.28
TORBERT, JR., JOHN E.	18	9	16	5	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	54	19.28
WARNER, JUSTIN M.	1	1	4	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	3.92
WISEMAN, GARRY L.	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.35
ZERCHER, JOHN M.	35	23	45	19	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	151	53.92

Total Runs by Month

Jan	58	Feb	40	Mar	68	Apr	44	May	70	Jun	0
Jul	0	Aug	0	Sep	0	Oct	0	Nov	0	Dec	0

Grand Total Runs: 280