

# **MONTGOMERY TOWNSHIP PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES**

**Date:** June 21, 2023  
**Time:** 7:30 pm  
**Location:** Montgomery Township Municipal Complex  
**Attendees:**

<b><u>Board of Supervisors Liaison:</u></b>	Supervisor Annette Long
<b><u>Township Manager:</u></b>	Not Present
<b><u>Police Department Representative:</u></b>	Chief Scott Bendig
<b><u>Fire Department Representative:</u></b>	Chief William Wiegman
<b><u>VMSC of Lansdale Representative:</u></b>	Not Present
<b><u>Public Works Department Representative:</u></b>	Not Present
<b><u>Resident Appointees:</u></b>	John Nolan Dan Gormley

**NOTE:** Simple majority of resident appointees are needed for a quorum.

**The Public Safety Meeting was held without any formal action due to failing to meet the needed quorum.**

The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, September 20, 2023.

  
J. Scott Bendig



# MONTGOMERY TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT



## Monthly Activity Report for May 2023

<b>Crime Data:</b>	Total Calls for Service:	2,902
	Total Part I Crimes:	43
	Total Part II Crimes:	131
	Total Criminal Arrests:	70
<b>Crash Data:</b>	Total Crashes:	89
	Reportable Crashes:	18
	Non Reportable Crashes:	71
	Injuries:	12
<b>Traffic Enforcement Activities:</b>	Traffic Stops:	883
	Traffic Citations:	444
	Warning Notices:	5
	Field Contact Cards:	602
	Traffic Complaints Received:	52
	Selective Enforcements:	158
<b>Other Police Activities:</b>	Assist Fire Department:	29
	Building Alarms:	106
	Direct Patrols:	364
	Lockouts:	15
	Medical Assistance:	145
	School Walk-Through:	16
	Vacant Home Checks:	13
	Training Hours:	526
<b>Speciality Unit Usage:</b>	Canine Unit:	26
	Mobile Incident Response Team:	0
	Montgomery County SWAT-CR:	0
<b>Personnel Overtime:</b>	Court Overtime:	0
	Regular Overtime:	35
	Reimbursed Highway Grant Overtime:	81
	Reimbursed Special Duty Overtime:	62
	Non-Sworn Overtime:	54
	Sworn Comp Time:	28
	Non-Sworn Comp Time:	2.5

## Monthly PW Operational Highlights – May 2023

- The entire crew attended Chainsaw Safety Training.
- The entire crew took down twelve (18) dead trees and cleaned up downed trees at various locations throughout the Township.
- Bill, Bryan & Joe began continued sweeping as part of our MS4 Stormwater program.
- Bill & Joe cleaned various drainage locations throughout the Township as part of the MS4 Stormwater requirements.
- Steve, Scott S., Joe, Bill, Bryan & Josh continued rebuilding the storm sewer inlets in preparation for the annual paving.
- Scott S. inspected various road occupancy permits throughout the month.
- Don, Larry, Dave replaced wooden pole and metal base for streetlight at 107 Forest Trail Dr. (#261). Pole was leaning, looks to have been hit.
- Don, Larry, Dave replaced wooden pole and metal base for the streetlight at 105 Veronica Ln. (#173). The light was stuck, and fixture was hanging by wires. Base cover was also replaced.
- Don, Larry, Dave disconnected power, removed fixture and arm for damaged streetlight at 224 Tudor Dr. (#632). Installed new pole and base cover.
- Don, Larry, Dave attended a Signal Control Products LLC trade show which focused on pedestrian detection & safety, as well as, detection & Econolite controllers/cabinets.
- Don, Larry, Dave attended pre-construction meeting on RRFB's for Upper State Road and Kenas Road.
- Dave, Don, Todd & Larry responded to a total of 259 PA One Calls throughout the month.
- Dave worked with Gilmore, Rhythm Engineering and Tony Still to address ongoing traffic signal issues.



Custom ▾

May 1, 2023 - May 31, 2023 ▾

79%

FIRE

FIRE percentage of total incidents

21%

EMS

EMS percentage of total incidents

67

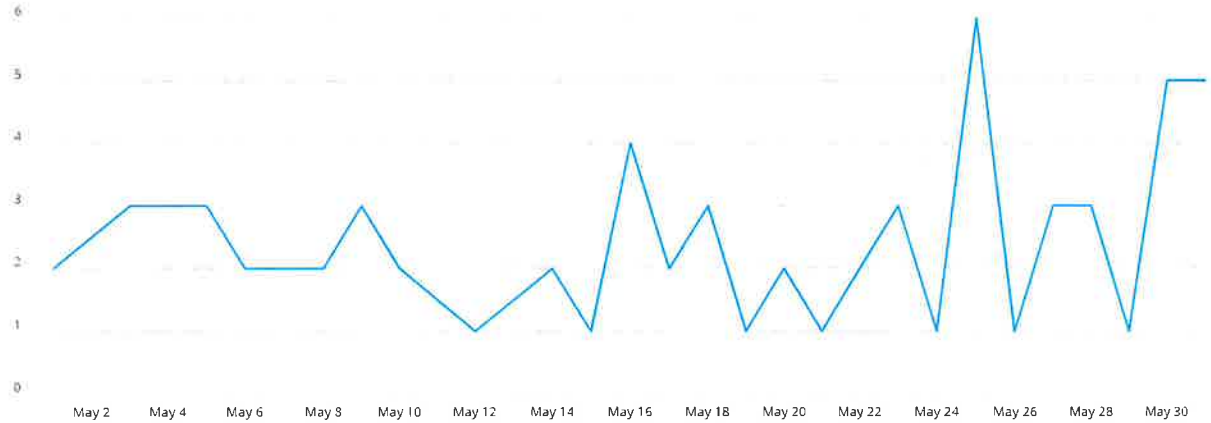
INCIDENTS

In Selected Time Span

31

DAYS

In Selected Time Span



Counts

% Rows

% Columns

% All

Week Ending	5/7/23	5/14/23	5/21/23	5/28/23	6/4/23	6/11/23	6/18/23	6/25/23	7/2/23	7/9/23	7/16/23	7/23/23	7/30/23	Total
(11) Structure Fire	4	2		3										9
(14) Natural vegetation fire		2		2	2									6
(31) Medical assist	2	3	2	3	2									12
(32) Emergency medical service (EMS) incident	1		1											2
(44) Electrical wiring/equipm. problem			1											1
(46) Accident, potential accident			1											1
(52) Water problem					1									1
(54) Animal problem or rescue			1											1
(55) Public service assistance		1	1	3										5
(56) Unauthorized burning				2										2
(57) Cover assignment, standby at fire station, move-up				1										1
(61) Dispatched and canceled en route	1	1	1		3									6
(70) False alarm and false call, other			1											1
(73) System or detector malfunction	1			2										3

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(74) Unintentional system/detect... operation (no fire)	4	1	5	3	3									16
Total	13	10	14	19	11									67

# Incident Type

Incident Type	# of Incidents			Grand Total
	Combination	Stipend	Volunteer	
Alarm system activation, no fire - unintentional	5	1	2	8
Animal rescue			1	1
Assist police or other governmental agency	1	1	3	5
Brush or brush-and-grass mixture fire	3		3	6
Building fire	3	2	3	8
Carbon monoxide detector activation, no CO			1	1
Cooking fire, confined to container			1	1
Cover assignment, standby, moveup		1		1
Detector activation, no fire - unintentional	1			1
Dispatched & canceled en route	2	2	2	6
Electrical wiring/equipment problem, other			1	1
False alarm or false call, other			1	1
Medical assist, assist EMS crew	7	2	3	12
Motor vehicle accident with injuries	1			1
Motor vehicle accident with no injuries.	1			1
Smoke detector activation due to malfunction	1			1
Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional	3		1	4
Sprinkler activation, no fire - unintentional	2			2
System malfunction, other		2		2
Unauthorized burning			2	2
Vehicle accident, general cleanup			1	1
Water or steam leak		1		1
Grand Total	30	12	25	67

## Average Response Time

Unit Name	Average Response Time Alarm To Arrival		
	Combination	Stipend	Volunteer
AC18	05m:21s		03m:29s
AC18-1			05m:23s
BC18		08m:14s	06m:33s
CH18	03m:17s		04m:43s
CT18	02m:49s		
DC18		08m:22s	05m:56s
E18		11m:26s	07m:17s
FM47-10	04m:36s		
FM47-7	04m:15s		
POV	03m:40s	07m:51s	06m:34s
SD18	05m:02s	06m:35s	04m:37s
SD18-1	05m:07s	12m:12s	06m:08s
SS18	05m:15s	11m:26s	07m:57s
STA18A	05m:24s	11m:54s	06m:32s
STA18B	03m:41s	11m:49s	05m:34s
TR18	05m:56s	09m:21s	07m:31s
TW18	04m:07s	14m:56s	08m:05s
U18			06m:55s

## Average Personnel Response

Average Personnel Response			
Combination	Stipend	Volunteer	Grand Total
	9.1	7.67	10.88
			9.5

## Automatic & Mutual Aid

Aid Given Or Received	# of unique Incident Number
Automatic aid given	24
Automatic aid received	3
Mutual aid given	8
Mutual aid received	2
None	30
# of unique Incident Number	67