

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

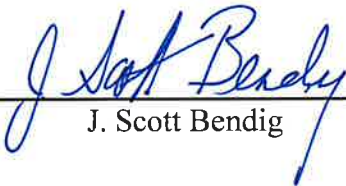
**Date:** September 21, 2022  
**Time:** 7:30 pm  
**Location:** Montgomery Township Municipal Complex  
**Attendees:**

<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>	Chief Shane Wheeler
<b><u>Public Works Department Representative:</u></b>	Not Present
<b><u>Resident Appointees:</u></b>	John O'Connor John Nolan

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

NOTE: Township residents William and Ann James attended the meeting with the intention of voicing their concerns regarding uncontrolled dogs running at large on the Zehr Fields at Windlestrae Park. This matter has been turned over to Township Staff for further examination.

The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, October 19, 2022.

  
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J. Scott Bendig

# MONTGOMERY TOWNSHIP DEPARTMENT OF FIRE SERVICES

## JUNE, JULY, AUGUST 2022

Call Type	Montgomery	Mutual Aid
Fire Alarms	59	10
CO Detectors	4	1
Appliances	1	0
Dwelling Fires	1	5
Building Fires	5	4
Fire Officer Investigations	5	0
Building Investigations	1	0
Vehicle Fires	2	2
Vehicle Rescue	0	3
Vehicle Accident Standby	7	1
Fire Police Only	4	3
Rescues (Other)	1	0
Dumpsters	0	0
Trash/Brush/Rubbish	17	3
Electrical Fire Outside	6	0
Gas Odor Outside	1	0
Gas Odor Inside	3	0
Hazardous Materials Incident	2	0
Helicopter Landings	0	0
EMS/Medical Assist	10	1
Police Assist	0	0
Rapid Intervention Team	0	0
Good Intent	0	0
Cover Assignments	0	1
<b>Mont Calls</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>34</b>
<b>Total Calls</b>		<b>163</b>



*One Department. One Mission.*

### Fire Marshal's Office

- Fire Inspections- 164
- Closeout Inspections- 25
- FM Follow Ups- 27
- Knox Boxes- 1
- Smoke Alarm Installs- 20
- Safety Inspections- 5
- Health Dept. Complaints- 6

### Training

- Classes- 66
- Total Staff Hours- 1212

### Department Operations

- FEMA Grant/Smoke Alarms
- Township COOP & EOP
- Truck Committee for Engine & Squad 18-1
- Confined Space Tech Training
- Tower 18 Housing
- Business Trainings
- County Pilot Programs
- Junior Firefighter Camp & Academy
- Hiring of Part-Time Firefighters



Custom Jun 1, 2022 - Aug 31, 2022

92%

FIRE  
Percentage of Total Incidents

8%

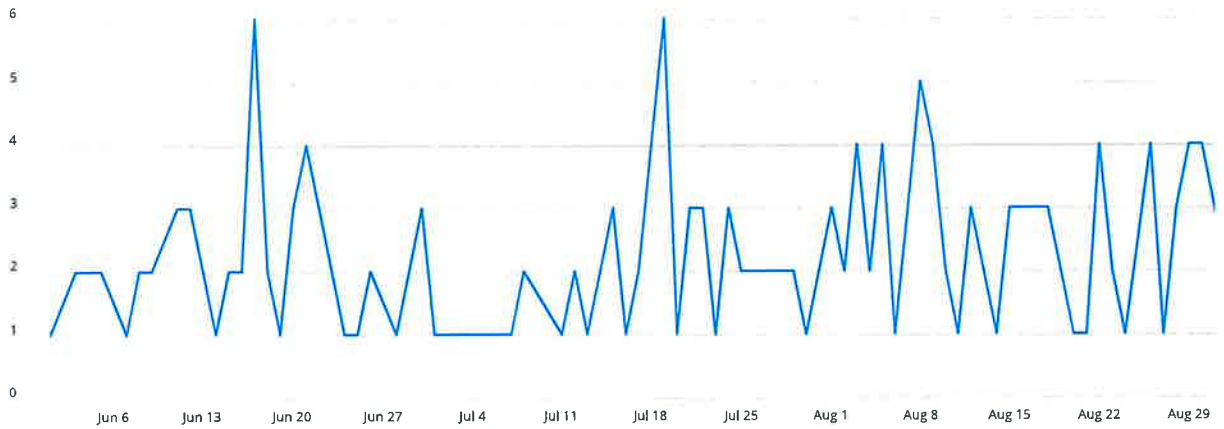
EMS  
Percentage of Total Incidents

163

INCIDENTS  
In Selected Time Slice

92

DAYS  
In Selected Time Slice



	Jun '22	Jul '22	Aug '22	Sep '22	Oct '22	Nov '22	Dec '22	Jan '23	Feb '23	Mar '23	Apr '23	May '23	Jun '23	Total
(11) Structure Fire	1	3	3											7
(13) Mobile property (vehicle) fire	1	2	1											4
(14) Natural vegetation fire	5	8	7											20
(31) Medical assist	1	1	8											10
(32) Emergency medical service (EMS) incident	1		2											3
(35) Extrication, rescue	3													3
(41) Combustible/fl. spills & leaks	2	2	2											6
(42) Chemical release, reaction, or toxic condition	1	1	1											3
(44) Electrical wiring/equipm. problem	2	4	3											9
(46) Accident, potential accident	2	1	2											5
(55) Public service assistance	2	2	3											7
(56) Unauthorized burning	2													2
(61) Dispatched and canceled en route	4	2	3											9
(65) Steam, other gas mistaken for smoke	3	1	1											5
(70) False alarm and false call, other			3											3

	Jun '22	Jul '22	Aug '22	Sep '22	Oct '22	Nov '22	Dec '22	Jan '23	Feb '23	Mar '23	Apr '23	May '23	Jun '23	Total
(73) System or detector malfunction	9	6	16											31
(74) Unintentional system/detect... operation (no fire)	8	12	16											36
Total	47	45	71											163

# Montgomery Township

Filters

Scene Zone MONTGOMERY - MONTGOMERY TOWNSHIP (46940)

Months in ESO Record Created Date Last Month

TOTAL ZONE CALLS: **163**

TOTAL VMSC CALLS: **976**

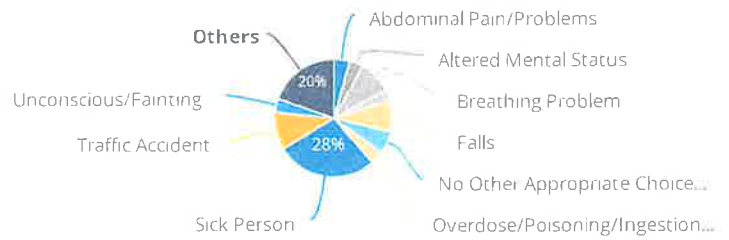
Average Chute Time: **78**

Average Response Time: **08m:20s**

## Top 5 Call Types

Type of Incident	#
Sick Person	45
Traffic Accident	17
Breathing Problem	15
Falls	14
No Other Appropriate Choice	10

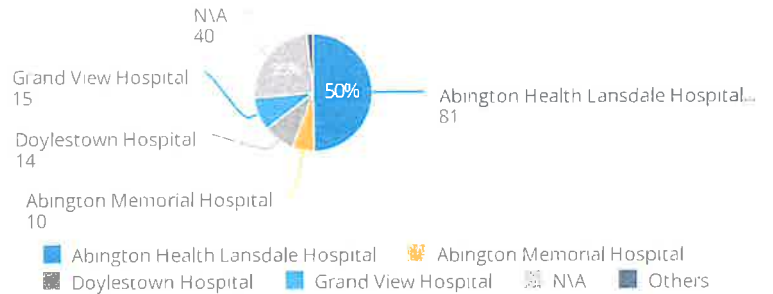
## Dispatched Complaint Percentages



## Call Disposition

Disposition	#
Transported No Lights/Siren	94
Transported Lights/Siren	29
Patient Refused Evaluation/Care (Without Transport)	19
Cancelled (No Patient Contact)	7
Cancelled on Scene/No Patient Found	6
Patient Treated, Released (per protocol)	4
Assist, Unit	2

## Hospital Transports



## Monthly PW Operation Highlights- August 2022

- Larry, Dale, Scott D. & Scott Y. built boardwalks over wet areas on the Windlestrae Park – Zehr Tract sewer line trail.
- The following tree work was done throughout the Township:
  - ✓ Larry, Dale & Scott Y. cut down a dead tree and trimmed others from Township property on Sunrise Drive.
  - ✓ J. S. Beer Tree Service took down a huge, large dying oak tree from Township property in the rear of 112 Crestwood Drive.
  - ✓ Scott D., Scott Y., Dale, Chris & Larry took down one (1) dead tree in the Township owned Natural Area, one (1) dead tree at the Administration building, and two (2) dead trees at Spring Valley Park.
  - ✓ Josh, Scott D., Dale, Chris & Larry took down one (1) dead tree from Township property in the rear of 317 Abbey Lane.
  - ✓ Josh, Scott D., Larry, Chris & Dale took down one (1) dead tree at the Bark Park.
  - ✓ Scott D., Josh, Larry, Chris & Dale took down one (1) dead tree from Township property on Claremont Drive.
- Steve, Bill, Bryan & Joe repaired several sinkholes around the Township due to failing storm water pipes.
- Scott S., Steve, Bill, Bryan & Joe dug out, stoned, and paved a parking area on Route 202 Parkway for the Police Department to monitor speeding. PennDOT assisted the project by providing traffic control to keep our employees safe.
- Steve, Scott S., Bryan, Joe, & Josh replaced a severely deteriorated storm sewer pipe crossing the road on Spur Road at Woodland Drive.
- Steve & Joe repaired several handicap ramp curb depressions at bus stops in the West Gate Development.
- Scott S., Steve, Bill, Bryan, Joe & Josh continued painting several intersections throughout the Township.
- Steve & Bryan performed miscellaneous storm sewer inlet rebuilds throughout the Township.
- Shapiro Fire Protection installed a new first aid kit in the basement for the future safe room.
- 8/6/22 – Route 202 & Connector A – On Flash – Don reset MMU
- 8/6/22 – Route 309 & Witchwood Drive – Mast Arm Struck – Dave took photos and notified Armour & Sons
- 8/25/22 – Route 309 & Garden Golf Boulevard – On Flash – Dave replaced BIU's 2 & 3 and reset MMU
- 8/28/22 – County Line Road & Route 202 Parkway – On Flash – Dave reset MMU
- 8/30/22 – Dave & Larry turned on the Montgomery Elementary School lights.
- 8/31/22 – DeKalb Pike & Knapp Road – Pedestrian signal struck by a vehicle – Dave & Larry cordoned off exposed wires, took photos, and notified Armour & Sons.
- Dave, Don & Larry responded to a total of 190 PA One Calls throughout the month.
- Dave worked with Gilmore, Rhythm Engineering, and Tony Still to address ongoing traffic signal issues.



# MONTGOMERY TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT



## Monthly Activity Report for June 2022

<b>Crime Data:</b>	Total Calls for Service:	2,487
	Total Part I Crimes:	26
	Total Part II Crimes:	125
	Total Criminal Arrests:	74
<b>Crash Data:</b>	Total Crashes:	72
	Reportable Crashes:	22
	Non Reportable Crashes:	50
	Injuries:	14
<b>Traffic Enforcement Activities:</b>	Traffic Stops:	673
	Traffic Citations:	368
	Warning Notices:	13
	Field Contact Cards:	434
	Traffic Complaints Received:	46
	Selective Enforcements:	140
<b>Other Police Activities:</b>	Assist Fire Department:	23
	Building Alarms:	88
	Direct Patrols:	329
	Lockouts:	12
	Medical Assistance:	124
	School Walk-Through:	11
	Vacant Home Checks:	14
	Training Hours:	197
<b>Specialty Unit Usage:</b>	Canine Unit:	24
	Mobile Incident Response Team:	0
	Montgomery County SWAT-CR:	0
<b>Personnel Overtime:</b>	Court Overtime:	0
	Regular Overtime:	21.5
	Reimbursed Highway Grant Overtime:	53.5
	Reimbursed Special Duty Overtime:	6
	Non-Sworn Overtime:	20
	Sworn Comp Time:	30.5
	Non-Sworn Comp Time:	44



# MONTGOMERY TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT



## Monthly Activity Report for July 2022

<b>Crime Data:</b>	Total Calls for Service:	2,592
	Total Part I Crimes:	50
	Total Part II Crimes:	129
	Total Criminal Arrests:	71
<b>Crash Data:</b>	Total Crashes:	68
	Reportable Crashes:	18
	Non Reportable Crashes:	50
	Injuries:	9
<b>Traffic Enforcement Activities:</b>	Traffic Stops:	726
	Traffic Citations:	417
	Warning Notices:	4
	Field Contact Cards:	438
	Traffic Complaints Received:	44
	Selective Enforcements:	152
<b>Other Police Activities:</b>	Assist Fire Department:	32
	Building Alarms:	110
	Direct Patrols:	341
	Lockouts:	22
	Medical Assistance:	142
	School Walk-Through:	0
	Vacant Home Checks:	14
	Training Hours:	92
<b>Specialty Unit Usage:</b>	Canine Unit:	37
	Mobile Incident Response Team:	0
	Montgomery County SWAT-CR:	1
<b>Personnel Overtime:</b>	Court Overtime:	4
	Regular Overtime:	82.5
	Reimbursed Highway Grant Overtime:	94
	Reimbursed Special Duty Overtime:	0
	Non-Sworn Overtime:	104
	Sworn Comp Time:	50
	Non-Sworn Comp Time:	0





# MONTGOMERY TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT



## Monthly Activity Report for August 2022

<b>Crime Data:</b>	Total Calls for Service:	2,778
	Total Part I Crimes:	40
	Total Part II Crimes:	112
	Total Criminal Arrests:	57
<b>Crash Data:</b>	Total Crashes:	69
	Reportable Crashes:	23
	Non Reportable Crashes:	46
	Injuries:	20
<b>Traffic Enforcement Activities:</b>	Traffic Stops:	817
	Traffic Citations:	382
	Warning Notices:	10
	Field Contact Cards:	538
	Traffic Complaints Received:	34
	Selective Enforcements:	164
<b>Other Police Activities:</b>	Assist Fire Department:	41
	Building Alarms:	123
	Direct Patrols:	438
	Lockouts:	12
	Medical Assistance:	143
	School Walk-Through:	2
	Vacant Home Checks:	13
	Training Hours:	387
<b>Specality Unit Usage:</b>	Canine Unit:	4
	Mobile Incident Response Team:	0
	Montgomery County SWAT-CR:	0
<b>Personnel Overtime:</b>	Court Overtime:	4
	Regular Overtime:	37.25
	Reimbursed Highway Grant Overtime:	94
	Reimbursed Special Duty Overtime:	20.5
	Non-Sworn Overtime:	153
	Sworn Comp Time:	30.5
	Non-Sworn Comp Time:	7