

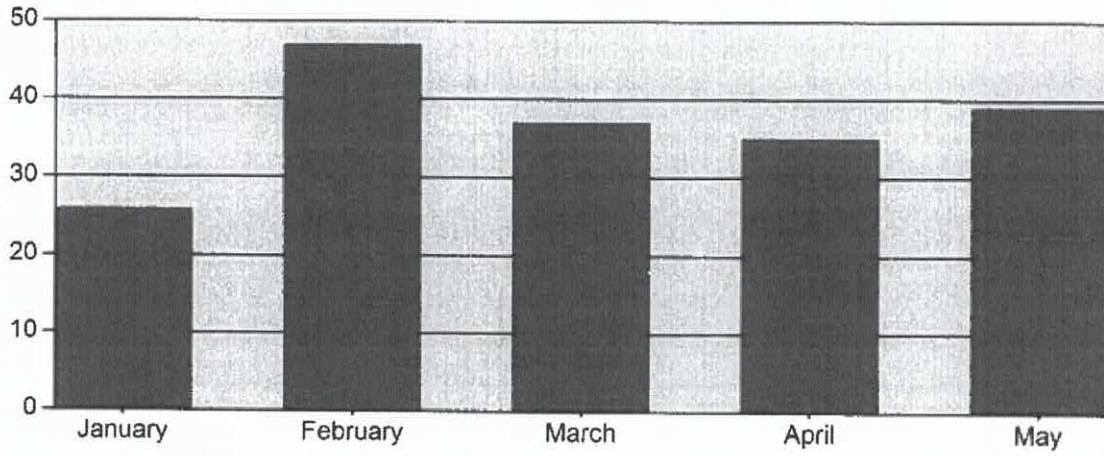
# Dewey Fire Co

Hellertown, PA



## Incidents by Month for Month Range

Start Month: January | End Month: May | Year: 2024



MONTH	INCIDENTS
January	26
February	47
March	37
April	35
May	39

Only REVIEWED incidents included



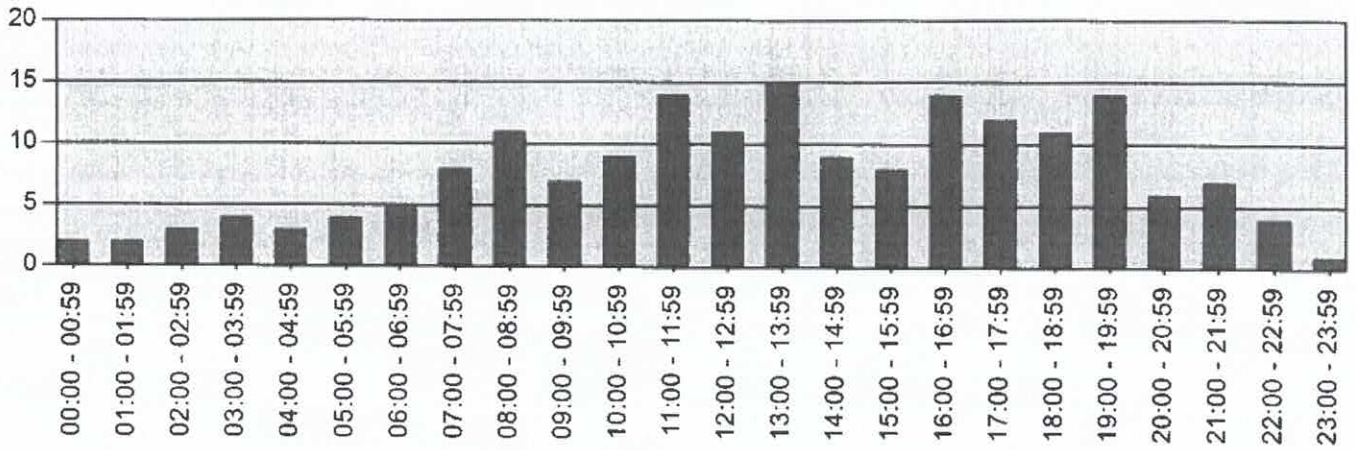
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## Incidents per Hour for Incident Type Range for Date Range

Start Incident Type: 100 | End Incident Type: 911 | Start Date: 01/01/2024 | End Date: 05/31/2024



HOUR	# of CALLS
00:00 - 00:59	2
01:00 - 01:59	2
02:00 - 02:59	3
03:00 - 03:59	4
04:00 - 04:59	3
05:00 - 05:59	4
06:00 - 06:59	5
07:00 - 07:59	8
08:00 - 08:59	11
09:00 - 09:59	7
10:00 - 10:59	9
11:00 - 11:59	14
12:00 - 12:59	11
13:00 - 13:59	15
14:00 - 14:59	9
15:00 - 15:59	8
16:00 - 16:59	14
17:00 - 17:59	12
18:00 - 18:59	11
19:00 - 19:59	14
20:00 - 20:59	6
21:00 - 21:59	7
22:00 - 22:59	4
23:00 - 23:59	1
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>184</b>

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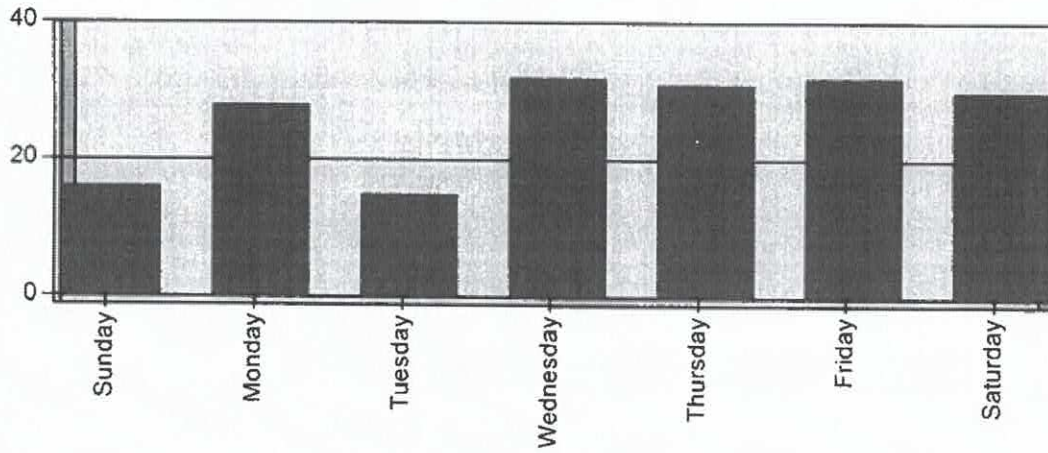
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## Incidents by Day of the Week for Date Range

Start Date: 01/01/2024 | End Date: 05/31/2024



DAY OF THE WEEK	# INCIDENTS
Sunday	16
Monday	28
Tuesday	15
Wednesday	32
Thursday	31
Friday	32
Saturday	30
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>184</b>

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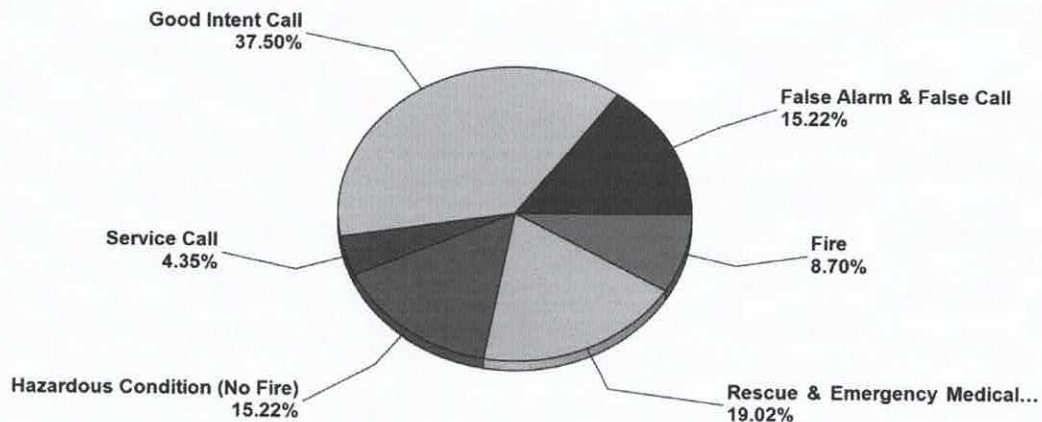
## Dewey Fire Company No. 1

502 Durham Street, Hellertown PA 18055

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### 2<sup>nd</sup> QUARTER REPORT

### 184 RESPONSES January 1, 2024 – May 31, 2024



We experienced a slight increase for the same period from the previous year. 1/1/23-5/31-23 we responded to 174 incidents.

### Personnel

Current membership profile:

18 senior/interior qualified members (8 driver qualified engine, ladder, or both) (3 qualified utility only)

5 probationary/support members

3 junior members

Of the 18 senior members 16 normally are employed during daytime hours. We do have a few members who work remotely at home a few days a week and respond to calls if not in meetings. We also have a few members who have days off during the week. In general, during daytime hours, we are severely lacking personnel.

## **Recruitment & Retention**

We are in **desperate** need of volunteers. We will be engaged in multiple recruitment events; we are in the process of producing a recruitment video we are currently in the editing process and working on a recruitment campaign.

Upcoming recruitment events:

Music in the parks, setting up our tent and doing recruitment and handing out fire prevention material.

During our annual carnival 7/9-7/13 will be doing recruitment.

Community Day will have our tent set up for recruitment and fire prevention.

Working with Lower Saucon Fire to do a joint recruitment day at the School District.

Volunteers are needed for all functions firefighting, drivers, fire police, junior firefighters, support positions, fundraising, recruitment, fire prevention, equipment maintenance, building maintenance, vehicle and building cleaning and general housekeeping, office help, website maintenance.

Would like to discuss option of enacting Volunteer Real Estate Tax Credit Program.

Allowable through Act 172 from the State of PA. (see Attached Documentation)

## **Equipment**

### **1311 Pierce Rescue Engine (purchased 2013): Miles-15110 / Hours-**

State Inspection Due in July. Pump, Ladders, & Hose due to be tested.

1311 was involved in a minor non injury accident on Sunday June 9. Minor body damage, working with insurance carrier and dealer to repair.

1311 has been experiencing a computer communication error. Working with dealer to repair. Dealer has been out several times to diagnose and repair.

### **1321 HME Ladder (purchased 2020): Miles-5142 / Hours-432**

State Inspection Due in August. Pump, Ladders, & Hose due to be tested.

1321 has had several minor issues that needed to be repaired. Went back to dealer to for repairs under warranty.

### **1341 Ford F550 Utility (purchased 2014): Miles-7860 / Hours-1095**

State Inspection completed in May. Check engine light diagnosed and repaired issues.

Changed oil and filters, changed air and fuel filters. Replaced mass air flow sensor.

Check engine light caused by long idle times.

Ladder & Hose due to be tested.

### **1343 Ford Command SUV (purchased 2023): Miles-2413 / Hours-47**

State inspection completed in March. No issues found.

There is a need to discuss funding options for future apparatus purchases. With the current capital schedule combined with recent substantial increases in apparatus costs there is a severe deficiency. (see attached updated Capital Apparatus Replacement Schedule)

## **Grants and Fundraising**

With receiving notice, we were approved by the Monroe and Northampton Gaming grants for the water remediation project, we applied for a Northampton County GROW grant to offset the funding. Announcements to go out in December.

We received the Annual Fire Grant from the State Fire Commissioner's Office for \$15,000 for 3 portable hydraulic cutting tools and portable scene lighting.

We applied for a grant for 6 sets of gear with Ricochet Manufacturing \$28,800.

We applied for a grant with National Volunteer Fire Council and Globe Manufacturing for 6 sets of gear \$28,800.

We applied for a grant for \$5,000 With Nutella

We applied for and received a \$200 with Sherwin Williams

We applied for a grant from the Wawa Foundation for \$5,000

We applied for a grant from the National Volunteer Fire Council for Helmets

We received the 2 new radios and 6 sets of wildland/vehicle rescue gear from the DCNR Grant. \$25,000

In the process of discussing a regional grant with our all fire companies in Northampton County to fund radios for the counties new 800mhz system.

We are in the process of working on several other grants.