

Monroe Township Fire Department

District #1

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Monthly Report: August 11, 2021

Money: See attached

Inspections: See attached

Fire Prevention:

National Night Out: Provided literature and kids handouts. Both Pat and I answered fire prevention questions. Thanks to the Fire Company for their help.

Bureau contacted schools regarding fire prevention. They reported they are not conducting assemblies including outdoors as well.

Working on an inter-faith community group (local places of worship) for adults in October for Fire Prevention. I am hoping to conduct "Operation Holy Smokes" on Thursday October 20, 2021. I am requesting use of the Fire House meeting room if available. Note: Training could be presented on Zoom if dictated by Covid protocols.

**Investigations: 08/10/2021 Shed fire 4 Tara Court
Note: Neighbor 4 Tara Court may file complaint as Fire
apparatus parked in driveway damaged driveway tar.**

Enforcement:

**Follow up regarding difficulties maneuvering fire apparatus at
Monroe Parke around parked cars.**

Progress:

**Home Owners Association is working with Bureau for
enforcement both in issuing fines for violators and towing
vehicles.**

**Further, when meeting with Monroe Parke about future
development, they discussed possibly requesting Title 39
Ordinance for Police enforcement.**

Plan Review:

**The Bureau completed a plan for Monroe Parke - Section 2
(PB#1229-200). A subsequent Zoom meeting was conducted
on August 4th to go over issues, and a written response is
forthcoming.**

Issues at the Lofts at Monroe following a fire call:

**Letter sent and Bureau is working with Edgewood Properties
to correct deficiencies.**

**Update: Georgetown Estates: Bureau continues to follow the
Construction that has been started.**

Website: Amanda via Zoom with Joe completed Email migration.

**Meetings: (in addition to the ones previously reported).
July 22 County Fire Protection Meeting**

District property possible tax issue:

During a recent property search using the Township records, it was discovered that the following (attached) properties in Fire District I are paying fire taxes in Fire District III. Please advise.

Registrations:

Life Hazard: 43
 Local: 101
 Closed: 123
 Total: 267

	Regist. fees	Inspect. fees	Permit fees	Penalty fees
Priors, payment:	0 0.00	0 0.00	0 0.00	0 0.00
Priors, waived:	0 0.00	0 0.00	0 0.00	0 0.00
Billed this per:	1 100.00	0 0.00	0 0.00	1 200.00
Payments:	0 0.00	0 0.00	0 0.00	0 0.00
Waived:	0 0.00	0 0.00	0 0.00	0 0.00
Due:	1 100.00	0 0.00	0 0.00	1 200.00

	Ded. Penalty
Priors, payment:	0 0.00
Priors, waived:	0 0.00
Billed this per:	0 0.00
Payments:	0 0.00
Waived:	0 0.00
Due:	0 0.00

Inspections:	Local	LHU	Smoke Detector Insp:	16	675.00
Periodic:	0	1	Misc. Permits:	0	0.00
Re-inspect:	2	2	Other Misc. Fees:	2	1,458.88
Complaint:	0	0	Annual Permits:	0	0.00
Follow-up:	0	0	Misc. Penalties:	1	200.00
Other:	0	0			
Total:	2	3	Correspondence:	19	

Note: Amounts paid and waived include partial payments and fee reductions.

Correspondence form description	Number sent
Certificate of Inspection	4
Violations list, no notice, no explanation	2
Notice of Violations, with list and explanation	9
Order to Pay Penalty and Abate Violations	1
Order to Pay Penalty - Recurring Violations	1
Invoice/Statement of Payments Due	2