

**AGENDA**  
**FIRE & POLICE COMMITTEE**  
**Monday, February 27, 2023 – 12:00 p.m.**

- 1) Call to Order
- 2) Public Comment- All public comments shall be related to the subject matter jurisdiction of the Borough Council, Committee, or Board conducting the public meeting, and shall be limited to matters of public concern, official action, or deliberations that are, or may come, before the Borough Council, Committee, or Board.
- 3) Fire Department:
  - a) Review the February 2023 To Date Report
  - b) Review the January 2023 Expanded Report
  - c) Berks County Dispatching Fees
    - A separate invoice was requested and received from the County for the fire dispatching service fee of \$24,911.56. The fee can be paid by the Fire Department Relief Association
    - The fire dispatching invoice has been submitted to the Relief Association for payment in April
    - The balance of dispatching fees for police and EMS total \$108,490.13 and will be paid by the Borough.
- 4) Western Berks Ambulance:
  - a) Review the January 2023 Monthly Report
  - b) Discuss any COVID related updates
- 5) Police Department:
  - a) Discuss safety measures for Lawndale Road and adjoining streets
  - b) Discuss the Safe Berks Walk for No More scheduled for June 17, 2023
    - A motion is needed to table, approve, or deny the Safe Berks Walk for No More scheduled for June 17, 2023
  - c) Discuss the removal of handicap sign at 1536 Dauphin Avenue
    - A motion is needed to table, approve, or deny removing the handicap sign at 1536 Dauphin Avenue
- 6) West Side Emergency Management
  - a) Emergency Management updates
  - b) Review and discuss the Emergency Management Railroad Incident Action Plan
- 7) Old Business- Any agenda items being proposed for discussion that are not listed under the “Old Business” section, must have a motion made to add the item to the agenda to be further discussed and action taken if needed.
- 8) New Business- Any agenda items being proposed for discussion that are not listed under the “New Business” section, must have a motion made to add the item to the agenda to be further discussed and action taken if needed.
- 9) Executive session as necessary