

AGENDA
FIRE & POLICE COMMITTEE
Monday, May 22, 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 May 2023 To Date Report
 - b) Review the April 2023 Expanded Report
- 4) Western Berks Ambulance:
 - a) Review the April 2023 Monthly Report
 - b) Discuss any COVID related updates
- 5) Police Department:
 - a) Discuss the BARTA bus sign placement at Lake and Penn Avenues and the inability to see oncoming traffic clearly when vehicles are parked from the intersection to the bus sign
 - b) Discuss upcoming scheduled active shooter trainings
 - c) Discuss the Police hiring status
 - d) Traffic Signals at 8th and Penn
 - i. West Reading is requesting the Borough split the cost to install retro-reflective backplates on all four signals at the intersection of Penn and 8th Avenue at a total cost of \$2,768, of which the Borough would pay \$1,384. The Borough owns the signal.
 - A motion is needed to approve, table or deny installing retro-reflective backplates on all four signals at the intersection of Penn and 8th, with the cost being split between West Reading and Wyomissing Boroughs, each paying \$1,384
- 6) West Side Emergency Management
 - a) Emergency Management updates
- 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