

JENKINTOWN FIRE DEPARTMENT

PIONEER FIRE COMPANY # 1 / INDEPENDENT FIRE COMPANY # 2

Annual Chief's Report
January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008

Total Alarms: 318 for the Department. (224 Alarms were within the Borough of Jenkintown and 94 were Mutual Aid Responses)

150 Automatic Alarms	6 Co Alarms	2 Assist EMS	1 Smoke in area
22 Dwelling	5 Investigations	2 Fire Police	
19 Commercial	4 Nursing Home	2 Fumes in building	
19 Stand By	4 Trash / Dumpster	2 Mulch	
18 Apartment	4 Vehicle rescue	2 Special Service	
13 Gas odor inside	3 Gas odor outside	2 Unknown Type	
9 Electrical fire outside	3 Stand-by @ accident	1 Assist Police	
9 Elevator rescue	3 Vehicle	1 Controlled burn	
8 Fast Team Assignment	3 Vehicle leaking fuel	1 Gasoline spill	

Mutual Aid Responses: 94

08-002	01/02/08	1627 Fairway	Commercial	Abington Township/ Abington District
08-003	01/03/08	Station 100	Stand-By	Abington Township/ Abington District
08-006	01/04/08	507 Valley Rd	Dwelling	Cheltenham Township/ Elkins Park District
08-008	01/08/07	100 Old York Rd	AFA	Abington Township/ McKinley District
08-012	01/08/08	100 Old York Rd	Apartment	Abington Township/ McKinley District
08-014	01/11/08	York & Rodman	Vehicle Rescue	Abington Township/ Abington District
08-016	01/14/08	7876 Spring Ave	Commercial	Cheltenham Township/ Elkins Park District
08-017	01/16/08	101 Washington Ln	AFA	Abington Township/ McKinley District
08-022	01/20/08	101 Washington Ln	AFA	Abington Township/ McKinley District
08-023	01/21/08	7516 4 th Ave	Dwelling	Cheltenham Township/ Elkins Park District
08-031	01/31/08	1308 Willow Ave	Commercial	Cheltenham Township/ Lamott District
08-032	02/01/08	Station	Stand- by	Cheltenham Township/ Ogontz District
08-033	02/01/08	101 Washington Lane	AFA	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-034	02/01/08	101 Washington Lane	AFA	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-036	02/05/08	101 Washington Lane	AFA	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-041	02/09/08	7410 4 th Avenue	Dwelling	Cheltenham Township/Elkins Park District
08-044	02/11/08	Station 100	Stand-by	Abington Township/ Abington District
08-045	02/11/08	340 Glen Way	Dwelling	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-046	02/11/08	1404 Valley Glen Road	Dwelling	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-047	02/12/08	100 Old York Road	AFA	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-049	02/13/08	7812 Tookany Creek Pkwy	Dwelling	Cheltenham Township/Elkins Park District
08-050	02/13/08	100 Old York Road	AFA	Abington Township/ McKinley District
08-052	02/15/08	100 Old York Road	GOI	Abington Township/ McKinley District
08-054	02/17/08	2027 Wharton Road	Dwelling	Abington Township/ Weldon District
08-055	02/18/08	143 Township Line Road	Dwelling	Cheltenham Township/Glenside District
08-056	02/19/08	1457 Noble Road	Dwelling	Abington Township/ Abington District
08-057	02/19/08	Station 100	Stand-by	Abington Township/ Abington District
08-065	02/27/08	240 Barker Road	Nursing home	Cheltenham Township/ Glenside District

08-067	02/29/08	101 Washington Lane	AFA	Abington Township/ McKinley District
08-078	03/10/08	Station 5	Stand- by	Cheltenham Township/ Ogontz District
08-082	03/11/08	Station 5	Stand- by	Cheltenham Township/ Ogontz District
08-087	03/15/08	Station 5	Stand- by	Cheltenham Township/ Ogontz District
08-089	03/17/08	146 Fernbrook Avenue	Fast Team	Cheltenham Township/ Glenside District
08-095	03/27/08	Runnymede & Cloverly	Vehicle Rescue	Abington Township/ Abington District
08-099	04/03/08	Station 100	Stand- by	Abington Township/ Abington District
08-101	04/04/08	101 Washington Lane	AFA	Abington Township/ McKinley District
08-103	04/07/08	638 Los Angles Ave	Dwelling	Abington Township/ McKinley District
08-112	04/26/08	1245 W. Church Road	Nursing Home	Cheltenham Township/ Glenside District
08-129	05/22/08	101 Washington Lane	AFA	Abington Township/ McKinley District
08-132	05/23/08	2925 Myers Avenue	Fast	Abington Township/Edge Hill District
08-137	05/27/08	1490 Noble Road	Dwelling	Abington Township/ Abington District
08-139	05/30/08	387 Stewart Road	Fast	Abington Township/ Weldon District
08-144	06/07/08	100 Old York Road	Commercial	Abington Township/ McKinley District
08-150	06/10/08	544 Melody Lane	Dwelling	Abington Township/Weldon District
08-162	06/25/08	1401 Cheltenham Ave	Fast Team	Cheltenham Township/ Lamott District
08-168	07/03/08	261 Old York Road	AFA	Abington Township/ McKinley District
08-172	07/12/08	100 Old York Road	AFA	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-173	07/13/08	101 Washington Lane	AFA	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-174	07/14/08	105 Shelmire Street	Dwelling	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-177	07/14/08	101 Washington Lane	AFA	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-178	07/16/08	885 Easton Road	FAST	Abington Township/Weldon District
08-184	07/23/08	887 Douglas Avenue	FAST	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-185	07/23/08	Station 2	Stand-by	Cheltenham Township/ Lamott District
08-186	07/23/08	Station 2	Stand-by	Cheltenham Township/ Lamott District
08-187	07/23/08	Station 2	Stand-by	Cheltenham Township/ Lamott District
08-188	07/23/08	7806 Penrose Avenue	Apartment	Cheltenham Township/ Lamott District
08-190	07/23/08	Station 2	Stand-by	Cheltenham Township/ Lamott District
08-191	07/23/08	2113 S. John Russell Circle	Apartment	Cheltenham Township/ Lamott District
08-194	07/25/08	100 Old York Road	AFA	Abington Township/ McKinley District
08-198	07/30/08	100 Old York Road	AFA	Abington Township/ McKinley District
08-208	08/13/08	Station 700	Stand by	Spring Field Township
08-210	08/20/08	Station 100	Stand by	Abington Township/Abington District
08-219	08/31/08	Station 5	Stand by	Cheltenham Township/Ogontz District
08-220	08/31/08	105 S. Keswick Ave	Fast Team	Cheltenham Township/Glenside District
08-224	09/04/08	101 Washington Ln	G.O.I	Abington Township/ McKinley District
08-230	09/16/08	291 Keswick Ave	FAST	Abington Township/ Weldon District
08-231	09/19/08	261 Old York Road	G.O.I	Abington Township/ McKinley District
08-238	10/03/08	Station 100	Stand-by	Abington Township/Abington District
08-239	10/03/08	101 Washington Ln.	AFA	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-240	10/04/08	490 Tyson Ave	Fast	Abington Township/Weldon District
08-245	10/12/08	7735 Wagnor Way	Apart.	Cheltenham Township/ Lamott District
08-248	10/16/08	100 Old York Road	Apart.	Abington Township/ McKinley District
08-250	10/17/08	101 Washington Ln	AFA	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-251	10/17/08	1308 Willow Ave	Apart.	Cheltenham Township/Lamott District
08-260	10/22/08	240 Barker Road	Commercial	Cheltenham Township/Glenside District
08-265	10/25/08	101 Washington Ln	AFA	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-269	10/29/08	101 Washington Ln	G.O.I	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-272	11/02/08	Station 100	Stand-by	Abington Township/Abington District

08-273	11/04/08	101 Washington Ln.	AFA	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-281	11/15/08	101 Washington Ln	AFA	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-284	11/21/08	100 Old York Rd	AFA	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-285	11/22/08	100 Old York Road	AFA	Abington Township/ McKinley District
08-286	11/24/08	Station 100	Stand-by	Abington Township/Abington District
08-290	11/25/08	Station 5	Stand-by	Cheltenham Township/Ogontz District
08-291	11/25/08	204 Lenape Avenue	Dwelling	Cheltenham Township/ElkinsPark District
08-297	12/04/08	101 Washington Ln.	AFA	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-298	12/05/08	100 Old York Rd.	Apartment	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-309	12/19/08	101 Washington Ln	AFA	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-311	12/21/08	101 Washington Ln.	AFA	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-312	12/21/08	101 Washington Ln.	AFA	Abington Township/ McKinley District
08-313	12/23/08	100 Old York Rd.	AFA	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-314	12/25/08	100 Old York Rd	AFA	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-315	12/25/08	101 Washington Ln.	AFA	Abington Township/McKinley District
08-317	12/26/08	100 Old York Rd.	AFA	Abington Township/McKinley District

Mutual Aid Response Summary:

Cheltenham Township: 28 Times

- Glenside District 6 Times
- Lamott District 10 Times
- Elkins Park District 6 Times
- Ogontz District 6 Times

Abington Township: 65 Times

- Abington District 13 Times
- McKinley District 45 Times
- Weldon District 6 Times
- Edgehill District 1 Time

Spring Field Township: 1 Time

Mutual Aid Received: 43

08-019	01/18/08	101 Greenwood Ave	AFA	Ladder 100
08-024	01/21/08	445 Hillside Ave	Dwelling	Ladder & Squirt 100, Eng. 300
08-029	01/28/08	501 Washington Ln	Elevator Rescue	Rescue 300
08-048	02/12/08	100 West Avenue	Apartment	Ladder & Squirt 100, Engine 300
08-058	02/20/08	116 Walnut Street	Dwelling	Station 100, Engine, Rescue & Air 300, Ladder 3, Special Service 400, Rescue 9, Abington Fire Marshalls, State Police Fire Marshalls, County Fire Marshalls, Second Alarmers
08-069	03/03/08	115 West Avenue	Fumes	Ladder & Squirt 100, Engine 300
08-096	03/28/08	169 Greenwood Ave.	Elevator Rescue	Rescue 300
08-098	04/02/08	100 West Avenue	Gas Odor Inside	Squirt/Ladder 100, Engine 300
08-100	04/04/08	95 West Avenue	Commercial	Squirt/Ladder 100, Engine 300 Special Service 400
08-104	04/07/08	500 York Road	AFA	Engine 5

08-108	04/14/08	415 Cottman St.	Dwelling	Squirt/Ladder 100, Engine 300 Special Service 400
08-109	04/17/08	721 West Ave	Gas Odor Inside	Squirt/Ladder 100, Engine 300
08-117	05/01/08	309 Florence Ave	GOI	Squirt/Ladder 100, Engine 300
08-118	05/02/08	169 Greenwood Ave	Elevator Res.	Rescue 300
08-120	05/07/08	309 Florence Ave	Elevator Res.	Rescue 300
		100 Florence Ave	Elevator Res.	Rescue 300
08-122	05/12/08	309 Florence Ave	Elevator Res.	Rescue 300
08-123	05/14/08	501 Washington Ln	Elevator Res.	Rescue 300
08-124	05/17/08	100 West Avenue	GOI	Squirt/Ladder 100, Engine 300
08-126	05/19/08	501 Washington Ln	Elevator Res.	Rescue 300
08-131	05/22/08	306 York Road	Commercial	Squirt/Ladder 100, Engine 300
08-136	05/27/08	York & Greenwood	Commercial	Squirt/Ladder 100, Engine 300
08-160	06/19/08	307 Leedom Street	Apartment	Squirt /Ladder 100, Engine 300
08-176	07/14/08	100 West Ave	Apartment	Squirt/Ladder 100, Engine /Resuce300 Special Service 400
08-195	07/25/08	100 West Avenue	Apartment	Engine 5, Ladder 100, Engine 300
08-204	08/08/08	418 Cedar Street	Dwelling	Squirt & Ladder 100
08-211	08/20/08	119 York Road	Commercial	Squirt & Ladder 100, Eng 200
08-213	08/25/08	132 Walnut Street	Gas odor inside	Squirt & Ladder 100
08-223	09/04/08	95 York Rd.	Commercial	Sqt & Ldr 100, Eng & Res 300, SS 400
08-234	09/23/08	326 Greenwood Ave	Dwelling	Squirt & Ladder 100
08-243	10/08/08	300 West Ave.	Elev. Rescue	Rescue 300
08-244	10/09/08	424 Maple Street	Vehicle Rescue	Rescue 300
08-249	10/17/08	515 York Rd	Vehicle Rescue	Rescue 300
08-252	10/18/08	204 Walnut Street	Dwelling	Squirt & Ladder 100
08-276	11/06/08	426 Newbold Rd	Co Detector	Ladder 100
08-277	11/07/08	100 West Avenue	Apartment	Ladder & Squirt 100, Engine 300, Ladder 3
08-279	11/09/08	209 York Rd	AFA	Ladder 100
08-280	11/14/08	207 Leedom Street	AFA	Ladder 100
08-282	11/19/08	327 York Road	Commercial	Ladder & Squirt 100, Engine 200, Engine 300
08-283	11/20/08	315 York Road	Commercial	Ladder & Squirt 100, Engine 200
08-287	11/24/08	610 York Road	AFA	Engine 200
08-288	11/24/08	708 West Avenue	AFA	Engine 200
08-289	11/25/08	440 York Road	Nursing Home	Ladder & Squirt 100, Engine & Rescue 300, Special Service 400
08-294	11/27/08	604 Shoemaker Ave	Dwelling	Ladder & Squirt 100

Mutual Aid Apparatus Summary:

Ladder 100 Responded 30 Times
Squirt 100 Responded 25 Times
Squad 100 Responded 1 Times
Engine 200 Responded 5 Times
Engine 300 Responded 19 Times
Air 300 Responded 1 Time

Special Service 400 Responded 6 Times
Ladder 3 Responded 2 Times
Engine 5 Responded 2 Times
Rescue 9 Responded 1 Times
Rescue 300 Responded 15 Times

**Independent Fire Company had 1995 Volunteers in Service for 102 hrs and 35 min. for 226 alarms
Pioneer Fire Company had 4175 Volunteer in Service for 158 hrs and 47 min. for 316 alarms**

EQUIPMENT:

656 Air Packs, Various Hand tools and lights, 4-gas meter, cribbing, Thermal Imaging Camera, Heat Gun, ash cans, rescue tool, extinguishers, PPV fans, smoke ejectors.

HOSE:

850' of 1" hand line
2950' of 1 ¼" hand line
450' of 2" hand line
50' of 3" supply line
1300' of 5" supply line

LADDERS RAISED:

262' of ground ladders
462' of main ladder

FUEL:

Quint 16 used 370.8 gallons of diesel
Special Service 16 used 103.6 gallons of gasoline
Engine 96 used 386.8 gallons of diesel
Engine 96-1 Used 318 gallons of diesel
Special Service 96 used 99.5 gallons of gasoline

Dollar Loss:

Estimated dollar loss for the year: \$305,500.00

Injuries:

1 Civilian transported to Abington Memorial Hospital via the Second Alarmers from 116 Walnut Street

Respectfully Submitted
Kenneth J. Lynch
Chief