



## IMPERIAL VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

### **FIRE-RESCUE**

111 Pine Street  
Imperial, PA 15126

**EMERGENCY NUMBER: 724-695-7777**

**BUSINESS NUMBER: 724-695-8845**



Township of Findlay

June, 2021

Dear Findlay Community Member,

Another year has passed and it is time again for our annual appeal. As you know, the Imperial Volunteer Fire Department, which provides fire and rescue service for all of Findlay Township, depends on your financial support to continue to operate. While we devote a significant amount of time on fundraising activities, such as the Fish Fry, we still depend on your financial support with our annual direct mailing campaign. For us to continue to provide the level of service you have come to expect and depend on in our growing township, we need your help!

This past year has been as bewildering and stressful for us as it has for you. With the COVID-19 epidemic, additional demands have been placed on the Fire Department as we strive to continue to provide superior service while minimizing exposure to the virus. In 2020, the Fire Department responded to 226 calls. We also concluded our multi-year effort to replace our 1992 rescue engine. With the delivery of our new rescue engine, we look forward to taking advantage of some newer technologies to enhance our rescue and fire fighting operations for the future.

Thank you for taking the time from your busy day to consider our request. Remember that our volunteer members devote a tremendous amount of time to protect you, your family, your friends, and your property. We are here for you 24 hours per day, 7 days per week, 365 days per! Please support us with your contribution today!

Sincerely,

Imperial Volunteer Fire Department

***Please help us help you!*** Imagine an emergency at your place and the first responders passing by because the house number can't be read. Please help speed our arrival by making sure your house number is clearly visible from the street.

Can we reach you via email in the future? Please include your email address on the donation form.

Want to learn more about us, check us out at  
[www.imperialvfd.org](http://www.imperialvfd.org) or on our Facebook page:



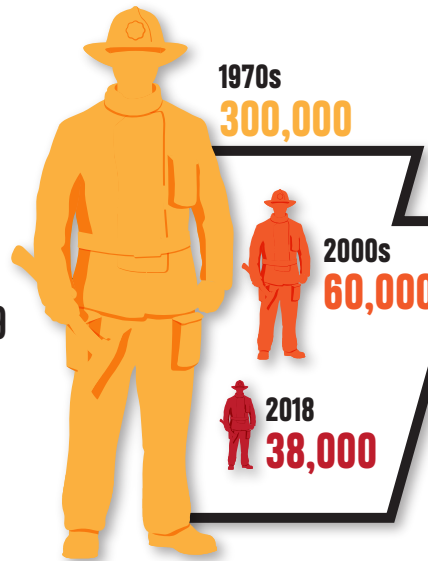


# PROTECTING ALL OF FINDLAY TOWNSHIP

The Imperial Volunteer Fire Department is **100% volunteer** staffed and relies on your generous donations to preserve the safety of our community. **We stand ready around the clock to respond at a moment's notice to all kinds of emergencies.**

## Your Time to Escape a House Fire is Decreasing

Toxic chemicals used in many modern building materials and home furnishings burn hotter and faster, reducing escape times.



There are fewer people to save you.

Active Volunteer Firefighters in Pennsylvania  
(since 1970s)

## WE ARE HERE TO HELP, BUT WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT...



Your volunteer firefighters are continually training to maintain skills and readiness for all types of emergencies. **But the time they spend fundraising is time NOT spent on training.** Please donate generously so Imperial VFD can continue to provide peace of mind to your community.

### 200 HOURS

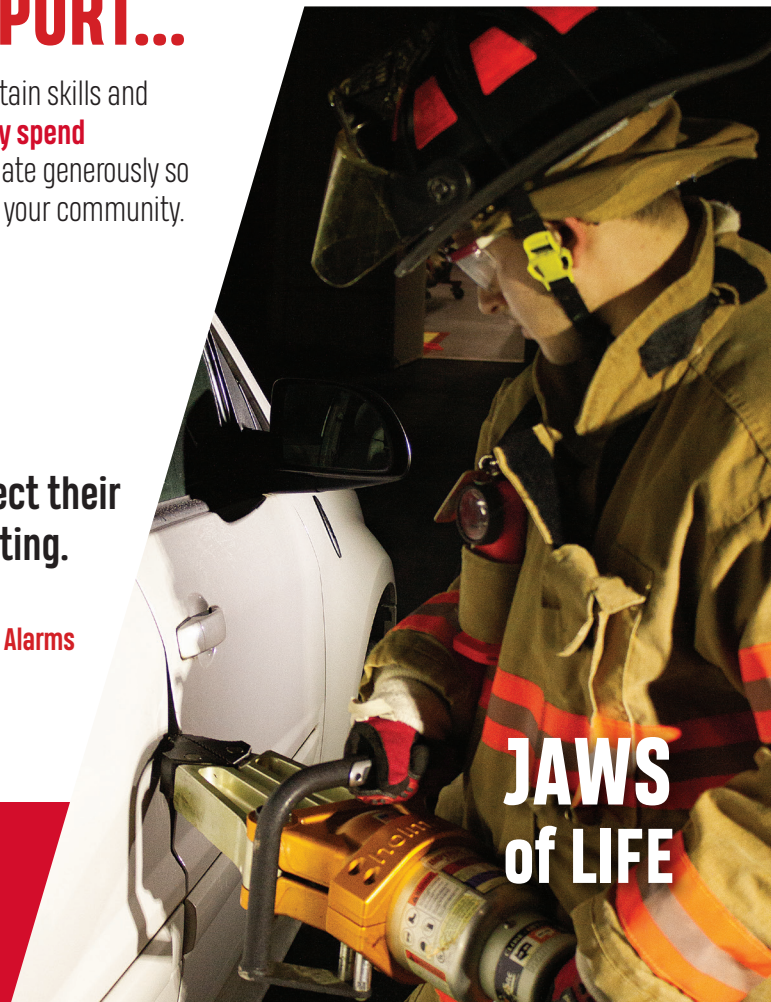
OF TRAINING IS REQUIRED BEFORE ENTERING BURNING STRUCTURE

Volunteer fire departments across the nation protect their communities in many more ways than just firefighting.

- Vehicle Accidents
- Flood Response
- Community Education
- Well Sites/Pump Stations
- Hazardous Materials
- Elevator Rescue
- High Angle Rope Rescue
- Mutual Aid to other Fire Departments
- Water Rescue
- Carbon Monoxide Alarms
- Utility issues

## PLEASE DONATE TODAY

SO WE CAN CONTINUE TO SERVE OUR COMMUNITY EFFECTIVELY



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