

RESOLUTION 2020-09

A RESOLUTION OF DAUPHIN BOROUGH, DAUPHIN COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, RECOGNIZING DAUPHIN-MIDDLE PAXTON FIRE COMPANY No. 1, INC. AS THE OFFICIALLY RECOGNIZED FIRE COMPANY TO PROVIDE FIRE PROTECTION AND RELATED SERVICES TO THE BOROUGH AUTHORIZING ACTIVITIES OF THE FIRE COMPANY, OFFICERS, AND MEMBERS OF THE FIRE COMPANY FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEFINING PUBLIC FIREFIGHTING DUTIES AND PROVIDING ADDITIONAL PROTECTION TO FIREFIGHTERS UNDER THE PENNSYLVANIA WORKER'S COMPENSATION LAW.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of Dauphin Borough, Dauphin County, Pennsylvania:

SECTION 1. FIRE COMPANY RECOGNIZED.

The Dauphin-Middle Paxton Township Fire Company No. 1, Inc. (the "Fire Company"), organized and operating in the Township of Middle Paxton (the "Township"), Dauphin County, Pennsylvania, is hereby designated as an officially recognized Fire company for the Borough.

SECTION 2. AUTHORIZED ACTIVITIES OF THE FIRE COMPANY .

- a.** The fire company recognized by the Borough is hereby authorized to provide such services to the Borough as may be necessary for the protection of property and persons situated therein, which include, by Way of example and not of limitation, the extinguishment and prevention of loss of life and Property from fire, automobile accidents, medical emergencies, hazardous materials incidents, and other dangerous situations.
- b.** The fire company may also provide non-emergency and public service functions, such as, again by way of example and not of limitation, removing water from property after storms, and assisting in the removal, abatement and prevention of damage or injury to persons or property, whether through natural causes or man-made situations.
- c.** The fire company may also conduct and participate in such training activities and drills, either within or outside of the Borough, as may be deemed necessary by the officers of the fire company to maintain proficiency in providing service.
- d.** The fire company may also respond to calls and provide services to municipalities outside of the Borough.

Section 3. Authorized Activities of Members of the Fire Company

- a.** In addition to actually participating in the activities of the fire company as authorized above, or in going to or returning from any activity, the members of the fire company recognized by the Borough are also authorized to do the following things:
 - 1. Engage in any type of drill, training, ceremony, practice, test or parade when duly called for or authorized by an officer or officers of the fire company;
 - 2. Engage in fund-raising activities for the fire company, when authorized by an officer or

- officers of the fire company,
3. Engage in the performance of any other duty or activity authorized by any officer of the recognized fire company.

Section 4. Purpose

The purpose of this ordinance is to recognize Dauphin Middle-Paxton Fire Company No. 1, Inc. as the official company of the Borough of Dauphin and to state additional authorized activities for firefighters for workmen's compensation purposes.

Section 5. Effective Date

This ordinance shall become effective immediately.

Duly Adopted, the 8th day of December 2020, by the council of the Borough of Dauphin, Dauphin County, Pennsylvania, in lawful session duly assembled.

Attest:

David Grbich
Council President

Linda Durgin
Secretary

Michael McKenna
Mayor