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## **A Poem for the Fire Police Officer**

Beneath the twinkle of  
winter's light,  
The streets are busy, crisp  
and bright.  
Red and green not just on the  
tree,  
But in the signals for all to  
see.  
A whistle sings through  
frosty air,  
Directing drivers here and  
there.  
Gloved hands wave with  
gentle cheer,  
Keeping the holidays safe  
each year.  
Through snowflakes swirling,  
cars slow down,  
Shoppers smile in the  
bustling town.  
For every journey, short or  
far,  
A guiding light is who you  
are.  
So, here's to those who stand  
the cold,  
With steady hearts and spirits  
bold—  
You keep the season smooth  
and clear, ensuring every  
traveler's path is safe and  
filled with cheer,  
Merry traffic magic, year to  
year.

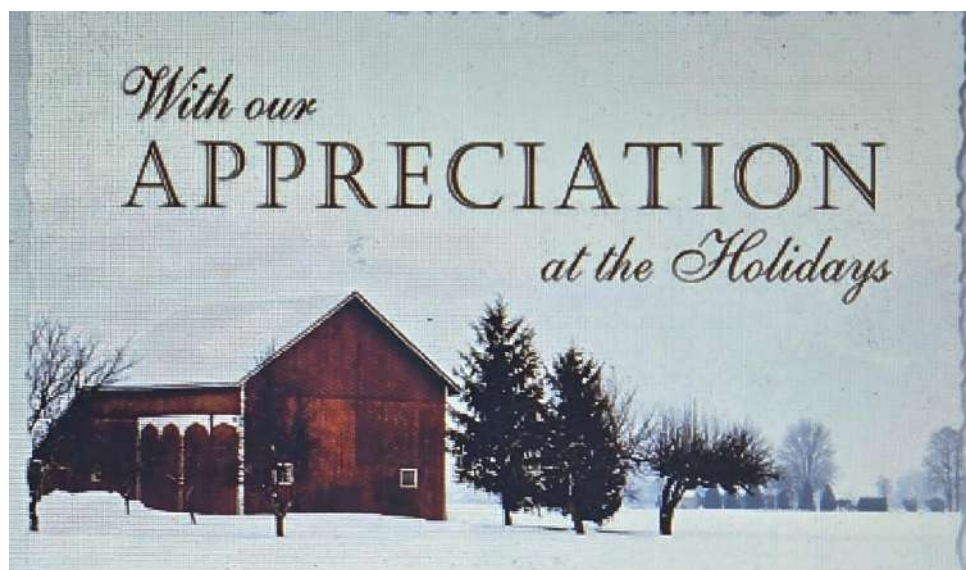
# **PA. Fire Police Association**

## **HOLIDAY EDITION 2025**

### **From Our President: Jim Hoerner**

As 2025 comes to an end I want to remind everyone to stay safe and vigilant while out there working the Roadways. Many of us have already experienced the First rounds of winter weather, with probably a lot more to come. A reminder to be sure to keep your winter gear Handy. Watch your Backs and the backs of your fellow Fire police and Emergency Responders. We find ourselves out on the roadways that nobody should be out on in the bad weather, we find ourselves trying to make it safer for the Emergency responders that are out there answering the call. So, our # 1 Goal should be that everyone goes Home at the end of the call.

Wishing Everyone a Very MERRY CHRISTMAS and a Happy and prosperous New Year. I Wish all the new Fire Police Officers the Best as we take new offices in one of the most trying seasons of the Year.



**From the Pennsylvania Fire Police  
Association Board Members**

Emergency Health Services Federation

# COMPASSIONATE OVERDOSE RESPONSE EDUCATION

FOR FIRST RESPONDERS



## TRAINING INCLUDES:

- ✓ Understanding Addiction
- ✓ Recognizing and Reducing Stigma
- ✓ Motivational Interviewing Basics
- ✓ Responder Compassion Fatigue
- ✓ Lived Experience Perspective
- ✓ Recovery Oriented Resources

*Discussions led by Behavioral Health Experts,  
Recovery Specialists & EMS Providers*

SCAN QR CODE TO REGISTER



**JANUARY 10, 2026 | 9:00 AM - 2:30 PM**

**YORK COUNTY OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT  
120 DAVIES DR, YORK, PA 17402**



C.O.R.E. is part of a larger initiative aimed at addressing substance use disorder stigma within the first responder community, establishing clear recovery pathways, and reducing both opioid overdose calls and provider burnout.

**LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED**



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Please check out our website: [pafirepolice.org](http://pafirepolice.org)  
You will find the New Grant application,  
Training being held, and so much more. If you  
want to add an event or a training opportunity,  
please use the forms on the website.

### Upcoming Training

## Advanced Fire Police

6:00pm - 10:00pm at Tylersport Fire Company at 125 Ridge Road  
Tylersport PA 18971

This class teaches the fire police officer about leadership and being able to think ahead when at scenes, along with engaging the brain on different scenarios. This class is being held on four evenings starting at 18:00 hrs. January 20, 22, 27, & 29. All registration for this class must be done with the students Campus account through Bucks County Community College-Public Safety.

**Basic Fire Police** 8:00am - 4:30pm at Plumsteadville Fire  
Company at 5064 Stump Rd. Plumsteadville PA 18974

Basic Fire Police class will cover the essentials when starting out as a fire police officer. Classroom and hands on. This class is being held through the Bucks County Community College-Public Safety. All classes through the Bucks County Community College the student needs to register through their own Campus account.



**Basic Fire Police**  
**January 17 / 18, 2026**  
**Needmore Vol Fire**  
**8328 Great Cove Road**  
**Needmore, PA**  
**Fulton County**

Prerequisites for taking the class are:  
 You Must be 18, have NIMS 700,  
 HazMat Awareness, be registered on Acadis  
 and have your FFMA SID #

to register for the class, contact:  
 Flexcia @ flexciad@gmail.com





**"May your season be filled with light, love, and laughter — Happy Hanukkah and Merry Christmas to all who celebrate!"**

**And Happy New Year!**

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## More Training

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**JANUARY 24, 2026 | 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM**  
**HARRISBURG VENUE TBD**



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OUR COMMUNITY COMMITMENT

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**"In the calm of training, we prepare for the chaos of crisis — because every second saved can mean a life preserved."**