



ROCHESTER FIRE DEPARTMENT

STATION 23

Proudly Serving the Borough of Rochester, Borough of East Rochester, and Township of Rochester

Last year, the Rochester Fire Department (RFD) had another successful year thanks to its members' hard work and dedication. In 2019, the RFD had its busiest year on record by responding to 426 calls for service and providing over 2,100 man hours of service to the community. The RFD could not respond to those calls and provide that many hours without the hard work and sacrifice from the men and women that volunteer.

The RFD strives to provide the residents, merchants, and visitors of the Rochester Area with a fully trained, staffed, equipped, and efficient fire department to meet all the public safety needs of the community. To achieve this, we are again asking for assistance to help provide the type of fire protection that the community so justly deserves by making a tax-deductible donation to the Rochester Fire Department of \$24.00, only \$2.00 a month, and return it in the envelope provided. Alternatively, online donations, with a credit card, can be made by visiting www.RochesterFD.com. Any amount that can be donated is greatly appreciated and will help the Department's efforts.

In addition to fundraising, the RFD continues to seek grant funding to offset anticipated future expenses. In 2019, the RFD was fortunate to have received grants from Office of The Pennsylvania State Fire Commissioner and Assistance to Firefighters Grant (FEMA). These grants have allowed us to purchase much needed personal protective equipment, mid-rise firefighting equipment. As in years past, the RFD continues to commit itself as a community partner, providing educational opportunities to Rochester Area School District students and area daycares during Fire Prevention Week and being a proud sponsor of Rochester area youth sports.

The members of the RFD welcome the public to visit the fire stations anytime throughout the year for a tour of the facilities and equipment to see how donations are being used. Also, the RFD is continually searching for new members and encourages anyone interested to apply. Please visit www.RochesterFD.com for more information on becoming a member.

Once again, we are truly grateful of the overwhelming support received to help meet the demands of firefighting and public safety in a prudent manner. We would like to extend our wishes for a very safe and happy 2020.

Sincerely,

ROCHESTER FIRE DEPARTMENT

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Brandon Dishler, President

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mike Mamone III".

Mike Mamone III, Fire Chief

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