

## Independence Fire-EMS

## **ABOUT US**

Independence Township Volunteer Fire Department is proud to be a volunteer department. We receive no compensation for the fire and rescue services we gladly provide. Our mission is to provide the citizens of Independence Township a timely and professional response to fire, medical, vehicular, and environmental emergencies. Our department is dedicated to minimizing the loss of life and property through fire suppression, rescue, training and other innovative programs.

We also house an Emergency Operations Center, which can be utilized during times of natural disaster or national emergency.

## WE NEED YOUR HELP!! Become A Social Member

As a result of the hurdles VFDs are facing today (recruitment, retention, rising cost of equipment), Social Members are desperately needed to help keep the Independence Fire Department up and running to serve the Township! If you can help organize and/or participate in fundraisers, please contact the Township Office at 724-378-3739 or check the box below to get more information.

VFDs are disappearing throughout the state and the community needs to pull together to keep ours alive and well!!!



## DONATE

Your fire department is in great need of your financial support. Every member of the Independence Volunteer Fire and Rescue Department is a volunteer. We are proud to contribute our time and ability responding to emergency calls, training, and supporting the work of the fire department without compensation, which saves the citizens of Independence Township hundreds of thousands of dollars each year.

We need your help to provide a timely response to emergencies. What if you dialed 911 and no one was able to come? Please consider supporting your fire department by detaching the bottom portion of this letter with your donation, sticking in the envelope provided and dropping in the mail today!

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