

**BOROUGH OF POTTSTOWN  
FIRE MARSHAL  
MONTHLY REPORT  
MONTH OF APRIL  
2009**

**INSPECTIONS**

DESCRIPTION	THIS MONTH	YTD
INSPECTIONS	40	169
COMPLAINTS INVESTIGATED	4	13
VIOLATIONS FOUND	9	81
ARRESTS	0	0
CONVICTIONS	0	0

**FIRE INVESTIGATIONS**

DESCRIPTION	THIS MONTH	YTD
FIRES INVESTIGATED	27	104
CAUSE DETERMINED	27	102
CAUSE UNKNOWN	0	2
INJURIES	0	1
DEATHS	0	0

**LOSS INFORMATION**

DESCRIPTION	THIS MONTH	YTD
PROPERTY	62,350	167,100
CONTENTS	30,300	83,750
TOTAL	92,650	250,850

FIRE MARSHAL



**POTTSTOWN FIRE DEPARTMENT  
FIRE CHIEF'S  
MONTHLY REPORT  
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		<b>ALARM TYPE</b>	<b>CURRENT</b>	<b>PAST MTH</b>	<b>LAST YR</b>	<b>YTD</b>
<b>T R U E</b>		<b>TELEPHONE</b>	37	36	27	142
		911	15	10	13	47
		<b>AUTOMATIC ALARM</b>	2	3	3	15
		<b>TOTAL TRUE:</b>	54	49	43	204
<b>F A L S E</b>		<b>TELEPHONE</b>	0	0	1	1
		911	0	0	0	0
		<b>AUTOMATIC ALARM</b>	15	15	16	50
		<b>TOTAL FALSE:</b>	15	15	17	51
		<b>TOTAL BORO ALARMS:</b>	66	61	60	237
		<b>TOTAL OUT OF BORO:</b>	3	3	3	18
		<b>TOTAL ALARMS:</b>	69	64	63	255

**FIRE CALLS**

<b>STRUCTURE</b>	3	3	3	19
<b>VEHICLE</b>	3	1	0	8
<b>BRUSH, GRASS, TRASH</b>	4	4	6	9
<b>MISC.</b>	25	20	15	102
<b>FALSE ALARMS</b>	15	15	17	51
<b>TOTAL:</b>	50	43	41	189

**SPECIAL SERVICE**

<b>STAND-BY</b>	3	1	1	8
<b>VEHICLE ACCIDENT</b>	3	5	5	12
<b>HAZMAT INCIDENT</b>	2	2	1	6
<b>MISC.</b>	11	13	15	40
<b>TOTAL:</b>	19	21	22	66

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Census Tract

Unknown or Undetermined

Incident #	Exp #	Incident Date and Time	Incident Type
12212	0	4/14/2009 4:15:00AM	571 Cover assignment, standby, moveup

Total For This Census Tract: 1

Census Tract

1

Incident #	Exp #	Incident Date and Time	Incident Type
12189	0	4/2/2009 10:47:00PM	746 Carbon monoxide detector activation, no CO
12192	0	4/3/2009 3:40:00PM	551 Assist police or other governmental agency
12193	0	4/3/2009 6:10:00PM	311 Medical assist, assist EMS crew
12196	0	4/6/2009 10:17:00AM	733 Smoke detector activation due to malfunction
12198	0	4/6/2009 1:24:00PM	743 Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional
12201	0	4/8/2009 2:03:00PM	735 Alarm system sounded due to malfunction
12203	0	4/8/2009 3:42:00PM	462 Aircraft standby
12206	0	4/10/2009 2:20:00PM	116 Fuel burner/boiler malfunction, fire confined
12211	0	4/12/2009 7:58:00PM	116 Fuel burner/boiler malfunction, fire confined
12213	0	4/14/2009 7:00:00AM	311 Medical assist, assist EMS crew
12217	0	4/16/2009 9:00:00AM	113 Cooking fire, confined to container
12218	0	4/16/2009 3:21:00PM	733 Smoke detector activation due to malfunction
12228	0	4/18/2009 1:07:00PM	151 Outside rubbish, trash or waste fire
12230	0	4/18/2009 8:33:00PM	561 Unauthorized burning
12231	0	4/18/2009 9:15:00PM	442 Overheated motor
12239	0	4/23/2009 3:22:00PM	113 Cooking fire, confined to container
12240	0	4/23/2009 9:19:00PM	353 Removal of victim(s) from stalled elevator
12248	0	4/27/2009 8:31:00PM	151 Outside rubbish, trash or waste fire
12255	0	4/30/2009 1:20:00PM	733 Smoke detector activation due to malfunction

Total For This Census Tract: 19

Census Tract

10WP

Incident #	Exp #	Incident Date and Time	Incident Type
12195	0	4/4/2009 5:24:00PM	352 Extrication of victim(s) from vehicle

Total For This Census Tract: 1

Census Tract

12A

Incident #	Exp #	Incident Date and Time	Incident Type
12254	0	4/29/2009 5:53:00PM	111 Building fire

Total For This Census Tract: 1

## Census Tract

2

Incident #	Exp #	Incident Date and Time	Incident Type
12194	0	4/3/2009 10:24:00PM	444 Power line down
12208	0	4/11/2009 12:23:00PM	116 Fuel burner/boiler malfunction, fire confined
12209	0	4/11/2009 8:38:00PM	445 Arcing, shorted electrical equipment
12219	0	4/16/2009 8:27:00PM	413 Oil or other combustible liquid spill
12220	0	4/16/2009 9:02:00PM	311 Medical assist, assist EMS crew
12221	0	4/16/2009 9:37:00PM	311 Medical assist, assist EMS crew
12224	0	4/17/2009 6:07:00PM	733 Smoke detector activation due to malfunction
12232	0	4/18/2009 10:59:00PM	561 Unauthorized burning
12233	0	4/19/2009 5:50:00PM	461 Building or structure weakened or collapsed
12234	0	4/19/2009 6:33:00PM	462 Aircraft standby
12236	0	4/20/2009 4:15:00PM	113 Cooking fire, confined to container
12237	0	4/21/2009 2:47:00AM	733 Smoke detector activation due to malfunction
12238	0	4/22/2009 11:04:00PM	116 Fuel burner/boiler malfunction, fire confined
12245	0	4/26/2009 1:11:00AM	113 Cooking fire, confined to container
12250	0	4/28/2009 12:01:00PM	600 Good intent call, other

Total For This Census Tract: 15

## Census Tract

3

Incident #	Exp #	Incident Date and Time	Incident Type
12199	0	4/8/2009 11:59:00AM	116 Fuel burner/boiler malfunction, fire confined
12202	0	4/8/2009 12:00:00AM	651 Smoke scare, odor of smoke
12207	0	4/10/2009 4:00:00PM	651 Smoke scare, odor of smoke
12222	0	4/17/2009 12:17:00PM	111 Building fire
12229	0	4/18/2009 3:08:00PM	131 Passenger vehicle fire
12235	0	4/20/2009 3:00:00PM	743 Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional
12246	0	4/27/2009 1:03:00AM	154 Dumpster or other outside trash receptacle fire

Total For This Census Tract: 7

## Census Tract

4

Incident #	Exp #	Incident Date and Time	Incident Type
12191	0	4/3/2009 2:50:00PM	463 Vehicle accident, general cleanup
12200	0	4/8/2009 1:03:00PM	311 Medical assist, assist EMS crew
12253	0	4/29/2009 6:43:00AM	743 Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional

Total For This Census Tract: 3

## Census Tract

5

Incident #	Exp #	Incident Date and Time	Incident Type
12190	0	4/3/2009 3:21:00AM	445 Arcing, shorted electrical equipment
12205	0	4/9/2009 8:06:00PM	743 Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional
12210	0	4/11/2009 11:09:00PM	733 Smoke detector activation due to malfunction
12215	0	4/15/2009 10:32:00AM	424 Carbon monoxide incident
12226	0	4/17/2009 8:46:00PM	651 Smoke scare, odor of smoke

Total For This Census Tract: 5

## Census Tract

6

Incident #	Exp #	Incident Date and Time	Incident Type
12187	0	4/2/2009 2:24:00PM	353 Removal of victim(s) from stalled elevator
12188	0	4/2/2009 2:37:00PM	745 Alarm system sounded, no fire - unintentional
12204	0	4/9/2009 8:50:00AM	116 Fuel burner/boiler malfunction, fire confined
12214	0	4/14/2009 2:05:00PM	743 Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional
12216	0	4/15/2009 10:07:00PM	411 Gasoline or other flammable liquid spill
12223	0	4/17/2009 1:04:00PM	553 Public service
12225	0	4/17/2009 6:22:00PM	140 Natural vegetation fire, other
12241	0	4/24/2009 4:04:00PM	111 Building fire
12242	0	4/24/2009 9:07:00PM	132 Road freight or transport vehicle fire
12249	0	4/27/2009 8:55:00PM	131 Passenger vehicle fire
12251	0	4/28/2009 9:12:00PM	651 Smoke scare, odor of smoke
12252	0	4/29/2009 12:12:00AM	733 Smoke detector activation due to malfunction

Total For This Census Tract: 12

## Census Tract

7

Incident #	Exp #	Incident Date and Time	Incident Type
12227	0	4/18/2009 12:37:00PM	113 Cooking fire, confined to container
12243	0	4/27/2009 6:55:00PM	311 Medical assist, assist EMS crew
12244	0	4/25/2009 12:00:00AM	561 Unauthorized burning
12247	0	4/27/2009 3:14:00PM	463 Vehicle accident, general cleanup

Total For This Census Tract: 4

## Census Tract

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Incident #	Exp #	Incident Date and Time	Incident Type
12197	0	4/6/2009 11:32:00AM	353 Removal of victim(s) from stalled elevator

Total For This Census Tract: 1

Print Date: 5/1/2009

Grand Total: 69

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<b>Incident Type</b>	<b>Total Incidents:</b>
111 Building fire	3
113 Cooking fire, confined to container	5
116 Fuel burner/boiler malfunction, fire confined	6
131 Passenger vehicle fire	2
132 Road freight or transport vehicle fire	1
140 Natural vegetation fire, other	1
151 Outside rubbish, trash or waste fire	2
154 Dumpster or other outside trash receptacle fire	1
311 Medical assist, assist EMS crew	6
352 Extrication of victim(s) from vehicle	1
353 Removal of victim(s) from stalled elevator	3
411 Gasoline or other flammable liquid spill	1
413 Oil or other combustible liquid spill	1
424 Carbon monoxide incident	1
442 Overheated motor	1
444 Power line down	1
445 Arcing, shorted electrical equipment	2
461 Building or structure weakened or collapsed	1
462 Aircraft standby	2
463 Vehicle accident, general cleanup	2
551 Assist police or other governmental agency	1
553 Public service	1
561 Unauthorized burning	3
571 Cover assignment, standby, moveup	1
600 Good intent call, other	1
651 Smoke scare, odor of smoke	4
733 Smoke detector activation due to malfunction	7
735 Alarm system sounded due to malfunction	1
743 Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional	5
745 Alarm system sounded, no fire - unintentional	1
746 Carbon monoxide detector activation, no CO	1

**Total Number of Incidents: 69**  
**Total Number of Incident Types: 31**

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## Fixed Property Use

## Total Incidents:

131	Church, mosque, synagogue, temple, chapel	2
161	Restaurant or cafeteria	2
311	24-hour care Nursing homes, 4 or more persons	1
331	Hospital - medical or psychiatric	1
419	1 or 2 family dwelling	26
429	Multifamily dwellings	10
449	Hotel/motel, commercial	1
459	Residential board and care	1
599	Business office	1
700	Manufacturing, processing	2
808	Outbuilding or shed	1
888	Fire station	1
951	Railroad right of way	1
961	Highway or divided highway	1
962	Residential street, road or residential driveway	8
963	Street or road in commercial area	4
965	Vehicle parking area	5
974	Aircraft loading area	1

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Incident Report By Date Summary

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Incident Date	Incidents:
4/2/2009	3
4/3/2009	5
4/4/2009	1
4/6/2009	3
4/8/2009	5
4/9/2009	2
4/10/2009	2
4/11/2009	3
4/12/2009	1
4/14/2009	3
4/15/2009	2
4/16/2009	5
4/17/2009	5
4/18/2009	6
4/19/2009	2
4/20/2009	2
4/21/2009	1
4/22/2009	1
4/23/2009	2
4/24/2009	2
4/25/2009	1
4/26/2009	1
4/27/2009	5
4/28/2009	2
4/29/2009	3
4/30/2009	1

Grand Total of Incidents: 69  
Total Count of Dates: 26

Print Date: 5/1/2009