



**Greenfield Township Volunteer Fire Company
(GTVFC)
Fire/EMS Station 24**

Weekly Report

August 13 – 19, 2006

Sunday, August 13

Medical Emergency

Greenfield Ambulance responded to a medical emergency on Arnold Road where Greenfield Ambulance and Cottage Paramedics transported an area woman to the Hospital.

Monday, August 14

Structure Fire, Route 6 Waymart

Greenfield Engine was requested by Waymart Fire Company to provide a Rapid Intervention Team (RIT) for a structure fire on Route 6 Noon. An RIT Team is a rescue crew that stands by for quick deployment in the event that a firefighter is in need of rescue during an incident. Greenfield Engine was cancelled en-route.

Structure Fire, Knobby Knoll Lane, Waymart

Greenfield Engine was requested by Waymart Fire Company to provide a Rapid Intervention Team (RIT) for a Structure Fire on Route 6 approximately 7:30 PM. Greenfield Engine was cancelled en-route.

Tuesday, August 15

Structure Fire, Route 106 Fell Township



Approximately 2:30 AM, Greenfield Engine and Tanker were requested along with Carbondale's Ladder, White's Crossings' Squad, Clifford Engine and Tanker, Scott Tanker and Cottage EMS to assist the Fell Township Fire Department with a Structure Fire on Route 106 near the Township line. Greenfield Engine was the first arriving unit and Greenfield Tanker helped establish a water supply to handle the incident. Greenfield returned to service at 6:00 AM.

Fire Alarm, Sickler Pond Road

Greenfield Fire Company along with Clifford Fire Company, Scott Hose Company, William Walker Rescue and Meredith Engine were dispatched to a possible structure fire on Sickler Pond Road at approximately 6 PM. As units were responding, Chief 24 B held all units in station with the exception of Greenfield Engine due to a false alarm on scene.

Meeting and Work Session

Greenfield conducted its monthly business meeting and work session on Tuesday night. There is still much work to be done on the HAZMAT vehicle and also routine maintenance that needed to be done around the station.

Hazardous Materials Response, Glenburn Pond, Clarks Summit



Approximately 10 PM, Greenfield was requested as part of Decon 35, Lackawanna County's Decon Task Force, to respond to the staging area set for a sulfur odor near the old Glenburn Pond. Greenfield's Decon Trailer and also the Township's Department of Emergency Services Car responded. Greenfield set up a decon line and decontaminated six people, two dogs, two cats, and three firefighters. The crew from Greenfield finally returned home at 2 AM after cleaning up the equipment that was used.

Wednesday, August 16

Medical Emergency

Greenfield Ambulance responded to a medical emergency on Route 106. Greenfield Ambulance and Cottage Paramedics transported an area woman to the hospital.

Rescue, Merli-Sarnoski Park

Greenfield Engine and Ambulance were dispatched for a child trapped in a vehicle at Merli-Sarnoski Park approximately 1:30 PM. Greenfield Firefighters were able to gain access to the vehicle and remove the child.

Thursday, August 17

Medical Emergency

Greenfield Ambulance responded to a morning medical emergency on Healey Hill Road. Greenfield Ambulance and Community Life Support Paramedics transported an area woman to the hospital.

Saturday, August 19

Animal Rescue, Pierce Road

Greenfield Firefighters helped rescue a curious cat from a tree.

E.M.S. Stand-by, Carbondale

Greenfield Ambulance stood by on the west side of Carbondale for the Pioneer Nights Parade in Carbondale. Greenfield Ambulance personnel were on scene for approximately two hours before returning home.

Medical Emergency

Greenfield Ambulance responded to an evening medical emergency on Kristin Lane. Greenfield Ambulance services were not needed and they obtained a patient refusal capping off an extremely busy week for our personnel.