FAWN GROVE BOROUGH
YORK COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-01

A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING PROGRAM CRITERIA FOR THE VOLUNTEER SERVICE CREDIT PROGRAM

WHEREAS, Fawn Grove Borough Council, on the 4th day of December 2018 adopted an Ordinance creating a program to provide for a Volunteer Service Credit Program; and

WHEREAS, The Volunteer Service Credit Program Ordinance outlined the need to adopt a Resolution to identify the criteria that shall be used to determine volunteer eligibility in the Volunteer Service Credit Program; and

WHEREAS, Fawn Grove Borough Council adopted Resolution No. 2018-03 establishing criteria for the Volunteer Service Credit Program; and

WHEREAS, Fawn Grove Council desires to update the criteria for the Volunteer Service Credit Program to encourage membership in the in volunteer fire companies and volunteer emergency service agencies.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by Fawn Grove Borough Council, that the following program criteria is hereby established for the Volunteer Service Credit Program:

VOLUNTEER SERVICE CREDIT PROGRAM CRITERIA

A. The member must be an active member of the fire department or nonprofit emergency medical service agency, off probation and in good standing for the duration of the Eligibility Period.

B. An Active Volunteer shall accrue a minimum of 50- 100 points within a calendar year to be an eligible participant of the Program.

C. The point system under which the required 50-100 points can be accumulated is as follows:

1. Emergency Responses (Fire or Ambulance Call)
    a. 1 Point per emergency response

2. Training

a. Department Training — 5 Points per training
b. Certified Training- 5 Points per 8 hours
c. Hazardous Materials Refresher — 5 Points
d. Annual Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus — 2 Points
e. Annual Driver Recertification — 4 Points

3. Meetings

a. Fire Department Meetings — 4 Points per meeting
b. Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Meetings — 4 Points per meeting
c. Committee Meetings 2 Points per meeting
d. Board of Officers/Relief Officer's Meetings — 2 Points per meeting
e. Relief Meeting — 2 Points per meeting

4. Work Details

a. Scheduled Work Details — 5 Points per detail

5. Fire Prevention/Public Education Activities

a. Fire Prevention Activities — 5 Points per event
b. Public Education Events (Parades, Carnivals, etc.) — 3 Points per event.

D. In the event of questions arise with regard to the applicability of points in general or for a specific event, the Fire Company President or the Supervisor of the Nonprofit Emergency Medical Service Agency shall make the final determination, unless it involves the President's activities, in which case, the Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer; shall decide the matter by majority decision.

ORDAINED AND RESOLVED, this _____day of_____2023.

ATTEST: **FAWN GROVE BOROUGH COUNCIL**

By: _____ By: _____

Secretary President