Borough of Highspire
Safety Committee Meeting Minutes
March 13, 2025

Safety Committee Chairwoman Ebersole called the meeting to Order at 9:37 a.m.

Roll Call

The Roll Call indicated the following persons in attendance:

Members: Debbie Ebersole, Administrative Office (Safety Committee Chairwoman)
Chris Santiago, Police Department, (Sgt.)
Randy Kreider, Public Works, (Supervisor) - Absent
Nathaniel Zeigler, Fire Department, (Deputy Fire Chief)
Joe Peyton, Public Works, Highway
Brian Splain, Public Works, W.W.T.P

Approval of Minutes

The Minutes from the February 13, 2025 meeting were read and approved. Member Splain made the motion to approve the Minutes and Deputy Fire Chief Zeigler seconded the motion.

Under Old Business

S. C. Chair Ebersole asked if there was an update on the Salt & Dump truck upgrades, Member Peyton stated, in the absence of Supv. Kreider, that Tread tape had been applied to the bed sides and that there was an appointment set for the installation of the ladder(s).

Under New Business

There was no New Business to discuss.

Workplace Injury/Accident Investigations

There had been a minor incident involving a firefighter, the Incident Report was reviewed by the attending members and a discussion followed.

Member Concerns/Comments

Sgt. Santiago inquired of S.C. Chair, if there had been any information gotten on the "LifeVac's", a choking device aid, that had been mentioned at previous Safety meetings. S.C. Chair Ebersole said not yet, but she would look into it. After brief discussion, it was decided that she should price for getting at least ten (10). Possible funding options were also discussed.

Deputy Chief Zeigler then mentioned that the Fire Company was given some AED Devices, which was a real blessing to them.

S.C. Chair Ebersole then shared information on the upcoming SMT webinars and/or trainings. There wasn't a specific monthly webinar; however, there were three (3) live trainings offered as well as other Streamery On-Demand videos and other resources.

Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting date was then given and will be on Thursday, April 10, 2025 @ 9:30am

Adjournment

With nothing further to discuss, Safety Chair Ebersole asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting. A motion was made by Deputy Chief Zeigler and seconded by Member Peyton.

Safety Chair Ebersole adjourned the meeting at 10:14 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
Debbie H. Ebersole
Safety Committee Chairwoman

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Safety Committee Chairwoman: Signed/Dated: _____

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