

Kutztown Fire & Rescue Achieves 50% Participation in the Pennsylvania State Fire Commissioner's Participating Department Recognition Program

Kutztown, PA – Kutztown Fire & Rescue is proud to announce that the department has officially achieved 50% participation in the Pennsylvania State Fire Commissioner's Participating Department Recognition Program.

This milestone represents the unwavering dedication, professionalism, and countless hours of training invested by our members. Each firefighter's commitment to advancing their education and skills directly strengthens the operational readiness of the department and enhances the quality of service delivered to the community.

About the Participating Department Program

The Participating Department Recognition Program, administered by the Pennsylvania Office of the State Fire Commissioner (OSFC), is a statewide initiative designed to elevate training standards across the fire service. The program recognizes fire departments whose members commit to meeting and maintaining nationally recognized professional certification levels.

- Establishing consistent, professional-level training for all firefighters.
- Promoting safety, operational readiness, and public confidence.
- Recognizing departments that invest in ongoing education and certification.
- Strengthening the overall fire and emergency response capability throughout the Commonwealth.

By achieving the 50% participation benchmark, Kutztown Fire & Rescue demonstrates its steadfast commitment to excellence, preparedness, and community protection.

Acknowledgment of Our Members and Community

Kutztown Fire & Rescue extends its deepest appreciation to our firefighters for their dedication and perseverance, as well as to their families and the community for their continued support. This achievement is a reflection not only of the department's commitment to progress but also of the collective effort of those who stand behind our mission.