



HERBERTSVILLE FIRE COMPANY STATION 24



Dear Applicant,

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your interest in our fire company. I would also like to give you a little background as to what will be expected of you. The volunteer fire service has a long proud history dating back to the start of our great country. The Herbertsville Fire Company has over 75 years of great service to the Township of Brick, and it is our wish to maintain the highest level of service that we possibly can.

The standards that are required by both the State of New Jersey and the Township of Brick Board of Fire Commissioners require many hours of drilling and schooling, along with approximately 400 fire calls a year. The days of just jumping on a fire truck are over; this act now requires many hours of training. I would also like you to consider, as a taxpayer, that training and outfitting a member comes at a great expense to the fire district - with no expense to you.

I hope you consider all these matters seriously and that you also discuss this with your family, whether you are single or married. Your family will also be asked to make some sacrifices and you should be well prepared and informed before making a decision.

The demands will be great, the rewards are few. The self-satisfaction you get from helping others sometimes is all the praise you will get. I would ask you to please consider this decision one of the most important ones of your life and I hope that you will make the right one either way.

I thank you for your interest and hope that you choose to help us serve this community as a member of the Herbertsville Fire Company.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions about membership. My phone number is (732) 458-9164 and choose option 5.

Sincerely,

Paul Matula, Membership Chairman
Herbertsville Fire Company No. 1

Application Requirements

1. A \$35 application fee, payable to "Herbertsville Fire Company No. 1" must accompany this application.
2. The applicant must be a resident of Fire District 3.
3. The applicant must have been a resident for six months.