



# **NORTHERN CHESTER COUNTY FIRE CHIEFS ASSOCIATION**

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C/O RIDGE FIRE COMPANY  
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## **October Advisory Board Notes 10/15/2015.**

### **DES Report:**

- CAD: Moving forward on the new time table.
- Tactical Village is being used especially in the evenings.
- Octorara SD started a Pilot program to train HS students in FF1 and EMT during the day. If it is successful they will expand it to other School Districts.
- Voice Radio: The group voted to work off of portables on the Harris digital channels on 1/4/16 as the mobiles are installed. The Emergency Channel will be in position 16 on all the trunked radio banks so it can be included in that Banks scan list and provide a known channel for the user to go to in an emergency. The radio system cannot preempt someone talking on a zone channel when an emergency is declared so the system will now switch over to the emergency channel and declare the emergency which is monitored 24/7 in the radio room.
- West Grove would like to return their Rehab trailer. Looking for a new home for the trailer and DES would like to keep it in the South.

### **Districts:**

North- Brian's Beef n Beer Benefit for him at Station 68 on 11/7. Tickets are \$30 ea

South- Would like to of had more homework done on the Unity radios as there is still interoperability issues.

East- No Meeting.

West- Nothing Major.

Central- Had questions on the MDC allotment.

Fire Police- Meet next month and they are out testing the new radios.

EMS Council- Council merger talks have subsided. CC EMS Council has been recertified for 2 more years.