



## Pennsylvania Fire Police Association

*"Safety Unit of the Volunteer Firemen"*

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Pennsylvania Fire Police 62<sup>nd</sup> Annual Convention  
May 16, 2009  
St. Paul Center---Warren County

The 62<sup>nd</sup> Annual Convention of the Pennsylvania Fire Police Association was hosted by the Warren County Fire Police Association at St. Paul Center in Sheffield, Pa. There were 75 people present.

Paul Diehl, the President of Warren County Fire Police, welcomed everyone. Chaplain Nelson Brenneman gave the Invocation. Everyone participated in the Pledge of Allegiance, then a delicious meal of stuffed pork chops was served.

Nancy Burton of Warren Co. introduced the guest speaker J. Robert Miller. Mr. Miller has been a firefighter for 40 years, and his son, Jarrett, has been a firefighter for 20 years. Robert Miller has been an EMT since 1977, Luzerne Twp. EMA director, President Hiller Vol. Fire Co., Safety officer Hiller Vol. fire co., fire police captain Hiller Vol. fire co., President Fayette Co. fire police Assoc., Fayette Co. Sheriffs Search & Rescue Team captain, Pennsylvania State Fire Academy Local Level I instructor, IFSAC Accredited, and Special Fire Police officer I. Mr. Miller spoke on the beginning of Special Fire Police. He said you had to be "special" to serve the fire company, and public, and respond in all kinds of weather (snow, rain, dark, & heat) like fire police do. He said Special fire police provide security, direct traffic, counsel persons in/around scenes, protect firemen, gear, and equipment. Fire police are in public relations. Public, municipality, and families may rely on fire police. Mr. Miller said that the families who stand behind the fire police are also Special People.

President of Warren Co. Fire Police, Paul Diehl, introduced his officers.

The entertainment was Warren Barbershoppers. They performed several times during the evening, and were quite good at singing, & telling a few jokes.

Door prizes were then given away.

Respectfully  
Recording Secretary  
Helen J Thomas