

PUBLIC NOTICE

Town Hall Meeting on Proposed Fire Officer Title Revisions

Hosted by: Fire Chief Paul J. Fuller

Location: Brigantine Community School Auditorium

Date: March 8, 2025

Time: 10:00 A.M.

Fire Chief Paul Fuller is hosting a town hall meeting to discuss a proposed modernization of fire officer titles within the Brigantine Fire and EMS Department. This initiative aims to enhance leadership, improve operational efficiency, and align with national standards.

Key Benefits of the Proposal:

- ✓ **Standardization** – Aligns with national practices and enhances coordination with mutual aid partners.
- ✓ **Clearer Responsibilities** – Strengthens chain of command and emergency response effectiveness.
- ✓ **Leader Development** – Establishes a structured path for future department leaders.

Proposed Title Changes:

- **Lieutenant → Captain**
- **Captain → Battalion Chief / Deputy Chief**
- **Fire Chief** (Title remains unchanged)

Why This Matters:

- ✓ Enhances communication and leadership
- ✓ Strengthens emergency response efficiency
- ✓ Improves career development opportunities
- ✓ No additional hires or salary increases

The community is encouraged to attend, ask questions, and share feedback. Your input is vital to shaping the future of our fire and EMS services!

For more details, contact Fire Chief Paul Fuller at 609-266-3320.