

Public Safety Meeting January 16, 2025

Bureau of Fire

1. I hope you all had a nice holiday, I wish you all a Happy and Healthy New Year and looking forward to working with you in 2025.
2. December was a very busy, crazy month for us with structure fires, car accidents and some snow storms. I would like to thank, The Emergency Services within Sullivan County for your professionalism and coordination for working together.
3. We had some serious incidents where the Critical Incident Management Team was called in for responder from fire, ems, 911 and law enforcement agencies that where on the scene.
4. Training for 2025 has begun with good attendance in the courses being offered.
5. I would like to thank DPW for the hard work they did at the training center waxing the floors they came out great.
6. The Recruitment and Retention Task force had a successful year, we are working on a seminar to be held in March to help with retention.
7. The Rehabilitation Team is geared up for winter and ready to respond to large scale incidents.
8. The Sullivan 180 Healthiest Fire Department Challenge has started on January 1, 2025 with 14 departments participating so far.
9. Attended an exercise with NYS DEP to discuss Dam failures and emergency response to the reservoirs in our area.
10. Statistics for the 2024 year will be available for the February meeting.