

# Don't Let the Opportunity Pass...

Abington Township Fire Department is looking for **YOU!**



For more information about volunteering or to apply, contact Abington Township Fire Department by:

*Going to our website:* [www.abingtonfd.org](http://www.abingtonfd.org)

*Calling us at:* (267) 536-1055

*Connecting with us on Facebook:*

Abington Township Fire Department

*Visiting the department at*

1176 Old York Rd., Abington, PA 19001

*"Being a firefighter is a great way to help Abington, and keep it a safe and beautiful place. That's why I volunteer."*

Roslyn Fire Company  
volunteer firefighter Kevin Bryson



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*What's  
keeping you from  
the experience  
of a lifetime?*

**APPLY NOW!**

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# Dedicated VOLUNTEERS

Have you ever thought about being a volunteer within your community fire department? Of the excitement? Of the service you could provide? There's an important place for you at ATFD no matter what your ideal volunteer opportunity is.

**Abington Township Fire Department** (ATFD) is made up of five volunteer companies, centrally located in the communities they serve: Abington, McKinley, Weldon, Edge Hill and Roslyn. ATFD is the only internationally accredited all-volunteer fire department in Pennsylvania for the quality of services and programs it provides the community.



# What OPPORTUNITIES are Available?

Whether fighting fires, servicing the fire trucks, or volunteering in any other role, you would be a vital volunteer at ATFD. All volunteers keep the companies running smoothly so we can be prepared to help the community in emergencies.

- **FIREFIGHTER OPERATIONS** — These firefighters are involved in the work necessary to save lives and keep the community safe, including search and rescue, ladder placement and forcible entry.
- **RESCUE OPERATIONS** — The rescue truck responds to specialized calls, including auto accidents, carbon monoxide alarms and rescue calls.
- **FIRE POLICE** — Emergency scenes can be chaotic. It's the duty of the fire police to handle public safety, including crowd and traffic control.
- **NON-EMERGENCY OPERATIONS** — Help comes in all forms. Non-emergency volunteers help with administrative duties, operations support and community outreach, just to name a few positions.
- **JUNIOR FIREFIGHTER PROGRAM** — For those at least 16-year-olds who are interested in volunteering, there is a special program to get you ready for full membership at 18!

**What's stopping you from gearing up?**

# Renowned TRAINING to Prepare Firefighters

Volunteer firefighters are a vital part of our community. In order to keep them safe during fires, all firefighters are trained at no cost to them. Firefighters are expected to train together as a department at various times during the year as well as with their individual companies.



ATFD has its own training facility where volunteers can build their skills in simulated fire exercises, as well as gain the confidence in themselves to keep calm in emergencies. Firefighters are provided with a certified training facility for live burn evolutions, vehicle rescue training, confined space rescue training, and a state-of-the-art classroom training center.

Recognized as one of the top training programs and facilities in the area, ATFD provides its volunteers the know-how, supplies and opportunities to show their courage when others flee.



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