

Copy of letter to Braddock Hills Council & Mayor (Public Safety Committee Report)



May 3, 2013

Robert Henkel, Council President
Borough of Braddock Hills
1300 Brinton Road
Pittsburgh, PA 15221

Dear Mr. Henkel:

We have received your letter re: contracting fire services from Forest Hills and reviewed it in our public safety committee. If you are indeed interested in contracting for services for fire protection we are willing to discuss this with you further.

Our expectation is that Braddock Hills residents would pay the same rate that the residents of Forest Hills do for fire services based on the formula that has been established for such service here. That formula includes the fire protection services fee that we currently charge borough residents and businesses as well as the dollars allocated to such service from our general fund and capital budgets. We estimate that the annual cost would be approximately \$50,000.

If that is acceptable to you we are willing to discuss this arrangement and ask that you contact borough manager, Steve Morus, with your response so that he may provide that information to our public safety committee. The committee can then move ahead with the next steps to formalize the relationship for contracting fire services.

Sincerely,

Forest Hills Council