

LOWER SAUCON FIRE RESCUE

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For Immediate Release:

Lower Saucon Fire Rescue receives Federal Grant for \$287,000.00.

Lower Saucon Fire Rescue is proud to announce award of a grant from the United States Department of Homeland Security's Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response (SAFER) Grant Program for Fiscal Year 2018. This competitive grant program is administered by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) in cooperation with the US Fire Administration. The SAFER grant was created to provide funding directly to fire departments to help increase or maintain the number of trained, "front line" firefighters available in their communities with a goal of enhancing response and operational capabilities.

The grant totals \$287,000.00 and will be used specifically for recruitment and retention of firefighters over the next four years.

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