

**MILLSTONE TOWNSHIP
AGRICULTURAL ADVISORY COUNCIL
February 5, 2007
Meeting Minutes**

The Council hosted an Equine Rescue Clinic on February 5, 2007, at the Millstone Township Fire House. Approximately 75 attendees were present.

- The presentation opened at 7:15 pm.
- Ms. Pinhas coordinated the equipment needs. The firemen provided a podium, microphone, VCR, projector, and screen. Additionally, the firemen set up the tables and chairs.
- Mr. Romano opened the program and introduced the speakers.
- Dr. Anne Pierok, DVM, provided an overview of large animals and their behavior. She also showed a Trailer Rescue video. Dr. Daniel Keenan, DVM, discussed Equine Behavior and Barn Rescue. An interactive discussion with participants and firemen provided valuable insight into these topics.
- Ms. Butch mentioned that she and Mr. Halka will visit a local farm with a smoke and heat alarm. The owner has offered the Council the opportunity to set up a field trip for interested participants to see the system. An e-mail invitation will be sent if Ms. Butch and Mr. Halka feel the system is worthwhile.
- Certificates of Attendance and refreshments were provided.
- Many participants elected to join the Agricultural Advisory mailing list.
- Several participants also volunteered to provide trailers during emergencies.
- Information from the Clinic will be posted to the Council website.
- The Clinic concluded at 10:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Kathy Naugle