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## **Widow of Volunteer Fireman Receives Benefits Through Municipality's Insurance**

After he had placed snow chains on the fire trucks of the borough's fire company, a volunteer fireman suffered a fatal heart attack. Knowing that volunteer firemen are considered employees of the municipality they serve, the Berks County, Pennsylvania law firm of Liever, Hyman and Potter retained a medical expert and fought for the rights of the fireman's widow. As a result, the workers' compensation judge awarded death benefits to the widow, who continues to receive those benefits to this day.

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