

December 17, 2025

On December 16<sup>th</sup> Pierson Township received the following correspondence from the Village of Sand Lake regarding fire services:

*I am writing to advise Pierson Township that at its December 15, 2025 meeting, the Village Council for the Village of Sand Lake authorized me to communicate to the Township that the Village will no longer provide fire or first responder services to the Township after the termination of the current Agreement between the parties, i.e., after March 31, 2026.*

*Thank you for your attention to this matter.  
Mollie Doerr*

Ensley Township and Nelson Township received a similar notification. According to those in attendance at the Village of Sand Lake Council meeting on Monday, December 15, 2025, that the Village stated it is planning to merge with Cedar Springs Fire Department and will provide Fire and Rescue Services exclusively for the Village of Sand Lake.

Pierson Township board members are currently communicating with Ensley Township and Nelson Township regarding this matter. Please contact a Pierson Township Board Member or stop into the Township Hall during office hours if you have any questions or would like to discuss this matter. There will be more information coming soon.

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