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(York) -- Several York County police departments, including the City of York's, could merge in the coming years. York City Council members have approved a feasibility study into the possibility of consolidating municipal police forces into a metropolitan department. Dan Fink, spokesman for the nonprofit [YorkCounts](#), says he understands that some residents may be hesitant to accept this kind of change. "There's a lot of people who are very comfortable with the notion that, 'I have my township or borough police department right down the street,'" he says. "I know who they are, and they know this community." But Fink says a merger could improve coordination among officers and lead to standardized computer equipment and record sharing. YorkCounts will pay for half of the \$78,000, six-month study, which will be conducted by the Washington, DC-based firm, [Police Executive Research Forum](#). State grants will cover the rest of the cost. The Borough of Tamaqua is also considering combining police forces from several surrounding municipalities.



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