



Ohio Association of Professional Fire Fighters

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OAPFF Retiree,

Another successful year has been achieved. With our Association and in conjunction with the IAFF, cancer has been added to the Federal Public Safety Officer Benefit. The Honoring Our Fallen Heroes Act (Honor Act) was signed into law as part of the National Defense Authorization Act. The expansion of the federal PSOB program covers public safety officers who die or become permanently and totally disabled from job-related occupational cancers

Although the filing details and required documentation are still in the works, we know this will be a tremendous benefit for survivors. Carl Jordan and I are being trained to assist survivors along with an IFF District 8 coordinator. This benefit also has a 5-year look-back. We will be working closely with the IAFF to identify and help survivors.

Although the Ohio legislature has taken no action on long-term pension stability, we continue to work with the Ohio Police and Fire Pension System and other stakeholders to ensure the long-term viability and stability of our earned retirement benefits.

Please join other retired OAPFF Fire Fighters and survivors and renew your (or join for the first time) membership in the Ohio Association of Professional Fire Fighters Retirees Organization. We are an organization of retired professional fire fighters and survivors of professional fire fighters.

Dues are \$25.00 a year.

Fraternally,

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