

ILLINOIS PROFESSIONAL FIREFIGHTERS ASSOCIATION



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Illinois Professional Firefighters Association Members:

To more effectively represent our membership and the fire service members in Illinois, the Illinois Professional Firefighters Association has agreed to join forces with the Illinois Public Pension Fund Association (IPPFA).

The IPPFA, like the Illinois Professional Firefighters Association, seeks the enactment of sound and liberal pension laws for the retired and disabled firefighters of Illinois. They, like us, also aim to provide for the dependents of our deceased members. Unlike Illinois Professional Firefighters Association, they also represent Law Enforcement members. This should be a benefit to both groups as we will now have the opportunity to legislatively work alongside an organization with similar goals for their membership.

Through the Benefits Solution Group, the IPPFA is able to provide benefits to their members such as; long term care insurance, prescription drug savings, discount rates on dental, vision, hearing, pet care, extended home health care and much more. Illinois Professional Firefighters Association is not able to provide these benefits as a Not for Profit Organization, but now is able to direct its members in this direction.

The Illinois Professional Firefighters Association has worked with IPPFA in the past, along with other Associations, on important legislation and pension matters both locally and in Springfield. We are proud to announce a formal agreement to work together on the issues that will benefit the fire service and the law enforcement community. By joining our voices together, we should be able to have a more effective voice in Springfield.

We are asking our members for your support in working with the IPPFA and with the law enforcement officers in Illinois.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me or Glenn Stadtman at the Illinois Professional Firefighters Association office.

Sincerely,

Timothy \$. Clemens Executive Director