

Dear Prospective Member;

People that were interested in firefighting, especially in the greater metropolitan Indianapolis area formed the Indianapolis Fire Buffs in the early 1960's. Since that time, The Indianapolis Fire Buffs has grown to include many out-of-town and state members.

We provide Rehad Support Service (RSU) for fireground personnel (including township departments, when called), acquire and maintain antique fire equipment for parades, demonstrations and/or shows, plus many other things that are too numerous to list here. We have use of Reserve IFD Station #12, located at 339 N. Sherman Dr., which is an early 1900's horse-drawn firehouse, when first opened.

The membership to The Indianapolis Fire Buffs is as follows;

Active: \$30.00 per year, which allows you to vote on club business, hold a club office or chair a committee and be actively involved in club activities.

Associate: \$15.00 per year. You can participate in all club activities, be involved in committees, but can not vote on club business or hold a club office or chair a committee.

Both levels in IFB allows you other benefits, too numerous to detail within this brief letter.

When applying for Active membership, you will need to fill out an application form and return it with a \$5.00 application fee (non-refundable). Then you must attend 3 regular monthly meetings of The Indianapolis Fire Buffs. During that time, your application will be reviewed and investigated. At the 3rd meeting, your application for membership will be voted upon.

If applying for Associate membership, you will need to fill out an application form and return it with \$15.00 for your dues (no application fee applies to Associate membership). Your application will be voted upon at the next regular monthly meeting.

As an Active or Associate member, you may qualify to participate in the IFB Cell Texting program.

The IFB Cell Texting Program allows an IFB Member to receive IFD informational pages on your cell phone as text messages. This will help keep you in touch and up-to-date with what is going on 'on the street' with the fire departments in the Metropolitan Indianapolis area without the costs of a radio/scanner. The cost of this program is very inexpensive, considering what services you receive. To qualify for participation in the IFB pager program, you must be current on your dues, and remain as a member in good standing of IFB.

Come on and join with your fellow brothers and sisters who are directly involved with or support fire fighting in all aspects.

Enclosed is the IFB membership application. Please complete the requested information, include the proper amount of money for membership (see above) and return it to the address shown below.

Make any checks or money orders payable to; ***Indianapolis Fire Buffs***

Return application to;
Indianapolis Fire Buffs - Membership
2205 East 58th St.
Indianapolis, IN 46220

Application for Membership Indianapolis Fire Buffs

I, _____, hereby make application for

___ Active Membership

Indicate Which

___ Associate Membership

Membership Desired

in The Indianapolis Fire Buffs. It is understood that by making application it does not necessarily guarantee acceptance. For an Active membership, an application fee of five dollars (\$5.00, non-refundable) must accompany this form. If application is for Associate membership, fifteen dollars (\$15.00) for dues must accompany this form. It is understood that any dues will be refunded, if this application is not approved by the membership committee and/or majority vote of membership present at any called meeting.

First Name: _____ Middle Initial: _____

Last Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____

Zip Code: _____ - _____ E-Mail Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Employer's Name: _____

Your Occupation: _____

Fire Department & Engine/Truck Company: _____

For how long? _____ years. Shift: A B C

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Application presented by: _____

Investigating Committee remarks: _____

Action Taken: Approved _____

Meetings Attended (for Active)

Disapproved _____
