Resolution No. 23

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENT: Health & Safety

Re: Medical Residency Program

1	WHEREAS, the delegates assembled at the 1986
2	IAFF Convention, the 2000 IAFF Convention, and
3	the 2002 IAFF Convention adopted resolutions
4	establishing and funding the IAFF Medical
5	Residency Program with Johns Hopkins University
6	(JHU); and
7	WHEREAS, these three resolutions were adopted
8	to advance fire fighter health and safety by providing
9	funds to establish a relationship with JHU medical
10	residents; and
11	WHEREAS, two cents (\$0.02) was allocated by
12	Resolution 1986 -62, one cent (\$0.01) was allocated
13	by Resolution 2000-81, and one cent (\$0.01) was
14	allocated by Resolution 2002-58, all to support the
15	IAFF Medical Residency program with JHU and
16	host an annual physicians' meeting; and
17	WHEREAS, there are many other medical
18	residency programs and other types of medical
19	training programs at the graduate, post-graduate, and
20	post-doctoral levels that would be beneficial for the
21	IAFF to explore; therefore be it
22	RESOLVED, That the IAFF Medical Residency
23	Program be re-established as a program open to
24	exploring relationships with other medical
25	institutions to increase efficacy, efficiency, and
26	accessibility to other programs that may benefit IAFF

27	members; and be it further
28	RESOLVED, That the four cents (\$0.04)
29	previously allocated to the IAFF Medical Residency
30	Program and annual physicians' meeting be retained
31	for the purpose of re-establishing this program and
32	the annual physicians' meeting.

Submitted by: IAFF Executive Board

Cost Estimate: None

Annual or Perpetual Designation: N/A

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION: Adopt

CONVENTION ACTION: Adopted