FIREPAC CANADA

WHAT

FIREPAC Canada is the IAFF's political action fund in Canada. It is funded by voluntary contributions and used to educate politicians, members and the public about the IAFF and our legislative priorities, and to support our federal legislative program including the annual Canadian Legislative Conference.

FIREPAC Canada is a critical resource in fighting for issues that matter to our members, our families and public safety in general.

HOW

FIREPAC Canada empowers IAFF members to build collective power by combining individual contributions into a single fund. It demonstrates solidarity and makes it possible to answer the call when important political activity occurs.

WHERE

From city hall to Parliament Hill, FIREPAC Canada supports local, provincial, and federal efforts to expand fire fighter influence across the country.

WHY

Every decision about your job is influenced by someone who was either elected or appointed. FIREPAC Canada helps fire fighters build relationships with decision makers and communicate with the voters who elect them.

As long as politicians are involved in our ability to fight fires, fire fighters must be involved in politics. Contributing to FIREPAC Canada builds a more powerful, effective union.

WHO

FIREPAC Canada helps secure and protect rights and benefits for you, your family, and your union. Contributing to FIREPAC Canada is an easy way to take action that matters. Every IAFF member is encouraged to participate.

JOIN THE FIGHT. CONTRIBUTE NOW.

Cornerstone
$1,000

Chairman's Council
$750

Leadership Trust
$500

Founder's Circle
$200

President's Club
$100

Hill Club
$50

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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

WHAT IS FIREPAC CANADA?

FIREPAC Canada is the IAFF's political action fund in Canada. It is funded by voluntary contributions, and it is used to support local and provincial candidates where applicable and to support the IAFF's federal legislative program in Ottawa and across Canada.

WHAT DOES FIREPAC CANADA HELP US FIGHT FOR?

FIREPAC Canada helps us hold and gain ground on issues that are important for fire fighters, such as, healthcare, adequate staffing, improving better tools and equipment, and securing a safe, healthy environment both on and off the job. FIREPAC Canada supports efforts to address these issues at all levels of government.

WHO CAN CONTRIBUTE TO FIREPAC CANADA?

For the program to be strong and effective, all IAFF provincial and local leaders and active and active retired members are encouraged to participate.

HOW HAS FIREPAC CANADA HELPED ME OR MY UNION?

FIREPAC Canada contributions have helped us fight for your health, safety and benefits through increasing our influence at every level of government across every part of the country. Specifically, FIREPAC Canada has helped to achieve:

- Government funding for IAFF Canada HazMat & CBRNE training initiative
- Memorial Grant Program for First Responders
- National Action Plan on Post-Traumatic Stress Injuries for First Responders
- Responding to the Interface (RTI): wildland urban interface response training using IAFF training program
- Bill C-224 – National Framework to Address Occupational Cancer in Fire Fighters
- Petition to ban PFAS from firefighting gear and foams
- Bill C-321 – Stricter penalties for assaults against on-duty fire fighters and paramedics
- M-96 – Strengthening Canada's airport firefighting regulations
- Eliminating PFAS in turnout gear and firefighting foams
- Increased pension accrual rate for fire fighters under federal Income Tax Act regulations
- Stricter Criminal Code penalties for setting traps inside illegal drug operations that put fire fighters in harm's way.

I AM NOT REALLY POLITICAL. WHY DO I NEED TO CONTRIBUTE TO FIREPAC CANADA?

At its core, FIREPAC Canada is not just about politics - it is about your job, your family, and our union. Contributing to FIREPAC Canada is an easy way to support meaningful work that improves the health, safety, and lives of fire fighters. Every leader and member is encouraged to contribute.

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