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An update from the office of Assemblymember Monica Wallace on opportunities for volunteer firefighters

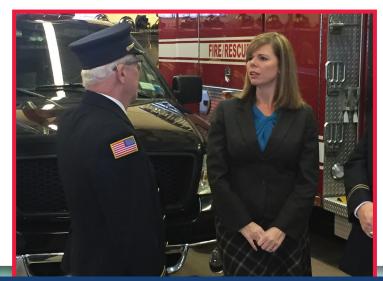


Assemblymember Monica Wallace Volunteer firefighting in New York State

As chair of the Assembly Subcommittee on Volunteer Emergency Services, I would like to thank all volunteer firefighters and first responders in our community.

Benefits to our community:

- Volunteer firefighters and emergency responders heroically serve our community.
- These brave men and women serve as a first line of defense in emergencies and provide peace of mind that help is only a phone call away.
- As volunteers, they save Erie County taxpayers more than \$228 million annually.





Consider Volunteering:

As a volunteer firefighter, you build lasting relationships and join a family that is of service to others in their greatest time of need.

Volunteer firefighters are eligible for a number of benefits, including:

- State income tax benefits
- Property tax exemption
- Free health check-ups
- Free accident insurance
- Financial assistance to pursue or finish a college degree
- Free equipment and training, including CPR and first aid
- Disability and other benefits

If you're interested in learning more about becoming a volunteer firefighter or emergency responder, please contact your local fire company or visit www.fasny.com, or sign up now at fireinyou.org/volunteer-now.html.

Is there a FIRE in you?

Your feedback is important. For questions or concerns about this or any other community issue, please contact my office at:

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