

Proposed By-Law Changes

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Article 3 Section 8

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Any person eligible to membership in the association shall exercise such right within one (1) year of becoming a volunteer member of the Freeport Fire Department, or such person shall be subject to an initiation fee equal to **an amount derived by multiplying the number of whole years such person was a volunteer member of the Freeport Fire Department by the appropriate amount pursuant to the table set forth immediately below.**

<u>Number of years member of F.F.D</u>	<u>Amount</u>
1 to 5 years	\$20.00
6 to 10 years	\$30.00
11 to 15 years	\$40.00
16 to 20 years	\$50.00
Over 20 years	\$60.00

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Article 3 Section 10 Paragraph 1

Any member attaining sixty-eight (68) years of age shall be exempt from the payment of all dues and assessments and shall be a paid up life member. An appropriate membership card shall be issued in a manner prescribed by the board of trustees, as soon as practical after the anniversary date. Such life membership shall be subject to revocation by the board of trustees or members for cause.

Article 3 Section 10 Paragraph 1

Any member **in good standing** attaining sixty-eight (68) years of age, **or any member in good standing who has served on the Board of Trustees for in excess of five (5) years** shall be exempt from the payment of all dues and assessments and shall be a paid up life member. An appropriate membership card shall be issued in a manner prescribed by the board of trustees, as soon as practical after the anniversary date. Such life membership shall be subject to revocation by the board of trustees or members for cause.