



Professional Fire Fighters Union of Indiana, Inc

Affiliated with International Association of Fire Fighters
Affiliated with Indiana State AFL-CIO

The 43rd Annual Convention of the Professional Fire Fighters Union of Indiana will be held Wednesday May 29th through Friday May 31st, 2019 at the Sheraton Louisville Riverside Hotel 700 W. Riverside Drive Jeffersonville, IN 47130.

A block of rooms is available with rates from \$115.00 per night. Reservations should be made by April 29, 2019.

- Click the following link to make a reservation online:
- [Book your group rate for Professional Fire Fighters Union of Indiana Annual State Convention](#)
- Or call to make a reservation at (812) 284-6711 or (800) 325-3535
- Group Name: Professional Fire Fighters Union of Indiana Annual State Convention

The registration fee is \$25.00 if received prior to April 29, 2019 or \$50.00 thereafter, per registrant (delegate, alternate, or guest). Registration on-site will be held Tuesday May 28th and again the following morning beginning at 8:00 a.m. prior to the start of the Convention at 9:00 a.m.

Individuals are encouraged to register early and use the PAC Contribution Option of paying the registration fee by personal check as a voluntary contribution to benefit the Indiana Fire Fighters PAC.

Your Local's credentials are attached. Please print additional copies as needed. One copy of the credential for each delegate and alternate who will be attending should be returned to me by April 29, 2019. Locals are allotted an equal number of alternates for their delegates however you do not even have to send your allotted number of delegates to receive your full per capita voting strength. Votes will be divided evenly among a Local's registered delegates. **All Locals must have their per capita tax paid through the month prior to convention to be entitled to representation at the convention.**

The cutoff date to remember is April 29, 2019. You should make your hotel reservations, return your credentials, and forward any resolutions your Local wishes to introduce by this date. If your resolution is not received by this date you will need to bring 175 copies and ask the delegation's approval for introduction as a 'late' resolution. I would prefer you email me any resolutions you wish to introduce, even intended late ones.

***Pursuant to a 2018 Convention Resolution adopted, nominations and elections for the offices of 3rd District Vice-President and 6th District Vice-President shall take place in accordance with the provisions of the PFFUI Constitution and By-Laws.**

Any Local Union of 99 or less members, which does not send a delegate to the convention may be represented by giving their proxy votes to another Local Union, within their district, provided the following conditions are observed: The Local Union granting the proxy and the Local Union accepting the proxy must be in the same district of the State Union. A proxy must be authorized by a majority of the votes cast by secret ballot of the members present and in good standing of the Local Union granting the proxy(s) upon a 15-day notice of the vote. No Local Union may, in addition to its own delegation representation, accept proxies to represent Locals in excess of 100 votes. Proxy voting shall be permitted only in a roll call vote and the election of Officers and shall be cast by the Chairman of the delegation casting the votes.

It is important that your Local be represented at the convention. Please contact me if you have any questions.
Michael R. Pinkham, Secretary-Treasurer
mikepinkham@aol.com

**Professional Fire Fighters Union of Indiana
43rd Annual State Convention**

May 29 – 31, 2019
Sheraton Louisville Riverside Hotel – Jeffersonville, IN

Tentative Agenda

Tuesday May 28th

11:30 am

Jeffersonville Local 558 Convention Golf Outing
11:30 am lunch; 1:00 pm shotgun start

Elk Run Golf Course

7:30 pm – 9:00 pm

Early Registration

Lincoln Room

Wednesday May 29th

7:30 am

Registration

Lincoln Room

9:00 am

Convention Convened
Presentation of Colors, Pledge of Allegiance, Invocation
Welcome / Introductions / Local Representatives
Convention Called to Order
Adoption of Rules of Order
Guest Speakers as Schedules Permit
Call for Late Resolutions

Riverside Ballroom

12:00 pm

Luncheon

1:30 pm

Convention Reconvened
Nomination of 3rd & 6th District Vice-Presidents
Executive Board Officer's Reports
Guest Speakers as Schedules Permit

Jefferson Room

TBD

Jeffersonville Local 558 Hospitality Event

Local 558 Union Hall

Thursday May 30th

9:00 am

Convention Reconvened
Guest Speakers as Schedules Permit
Executive Board Officer's Reports
Committee Reports

Riverside Ballroom

12:00 pm

Luncheon

1:30 pm

Convention Reconvened
Election of Officers (if necessary – time TBD)
Guest Speakers as Schedules Permit

Lincoln Room

Friday May 31st

8:30 am

Convention Reconvened to the close of business
(estimate conclusion by Noon)

Riverside Ballroom



Convention

Delegate Credential

We hereby certify that at a meeting of the International Association of Fire Fighters Local # _____, the following named member in good standing was duly elected as a delegate to represent the Local at the Professional Fire Fighters Union of Indiana Annual Convention to be held in the city of Jeffersonville May 29 – 31, 2019.

Delegate's Printed Name

Local President's Signature

Delegate's Signature

Local Secretary's Signature

- Delegates must be members in good standing of the Local they represent.
- Credentials should be typed or carefully printed.
- The original is to be mailed to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Professional Fire Fighters Union of Indiana to be received no later than 30 days prior to the start of the convention.
- A copy should be carried to the convention by the delegate and presented to the Credentials Committee during registration.
- All Locals must have their per capita tax paid through the month prior to convention to be entitled to representation at the convention.
- Any Local Union of 99 or less members, which does not send a delegate to the convention may be represented by giving their proxy votes to another Local Union, within their district, provided the following conditions are observed:
 - The Local Union granting the proxy and the Local Union accepting the proxy must be in the same district of the State Union.
 - A proxy must be authorized by a majority of the votes cast by secret ballot of the members present and in good standing of the Local Union granting the proxy(s) upon a 15-day notice of the vote.
 - No Local Union may, in addition to its own delegation representation, accept proxies to represent Locals in excess of 100 votes.
 - Proxy voting shall be permitted only in a roll call vote and the election of Officers and shall be cast by the Chairman of the delegation casting the votes.

- Delegates registering with a personal check to the IN Firefighters PAC please indicate shirt size: _____
- Send Credentials & Payments to: PFFUI P.O. Box 15735 Fort Wayne, IN 46885-5735
- Office Use Only: _____



Convention

Alternate Credential

We hereby certify that at a meeting of the International Association of Fire Fighters Local # _____, the following named member in good standing was duly elected as an alternate delegate to represent the Local at the Professional Fire Fighters Union of Indiana Annual Convention to be held in the city of Jeffersonville May 29 – 31, 2019.

Alternate Delegate's Printed Name

Local President's Signature

Alternate Delegate's Signature

Local Secretary's Signature

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- A copy should be carried to the convention by the delegate and presented to the Credentials Committee during registration.
- All Locals must have their per capita tax paid through the month prior to convention to be entitled to representation at the convention.
- Any Local Union of 99 or less members, which does not send a delegate to the convention may be represented by giving their proxy votes to another Local Union, within their district, provided the following conditions are observed:
 - The Local Union granting the proxy and the Local Union accepting the proxy must be in the same district of the State Union.
 - A proxy must be authorized by a majority of the votes cast by secret ballot of the members present and in good standing of the Local Union granting the proxy(s) upon a 15-day notice of the vote.
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Proxy Credential

We hereby certify that at a meeting of the International Association of Fire Fighters Local # _____, the following named affiliated Local Union was duly elected to represent the Local by proxy at the Professional Fire Fighters Union of Indiana Annual Convention to be held in the city of Jeffersonville May 29 – 31, 2019.

Designated Local Affiliated Union

Local President's Signature

Local Secretary's Signature

- Delegates must be members in good standing of the Local they represent.
- Credentials should be typed or carefully printed.
- The original proxy credential is to be mailed to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Professional Fire Fighters Union of Indiana to be received no later than 30 days prior to the start of the convention.
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Guest Registration

We hereby certify that the following named member in good standing of Local _____, was selected as a guest of the Local to attend the Professional Fire Fighters Union of Indiana Annual Convention to be held in the city of Jeffersonville May 29 – 31, 2019.

Guest's Printed Name

Local President's Signature

Guest's Signature

Local Secretary's Signature

- Guests must be members in good standing of the Local they represent or must be approved by the PFFUI President.
- The Local must have registered delegates in attendance accompanying their guests.
- The registration fee for guests is the same as for any attendee.
- A copy of this registration form is to be mailed to the Secretary-Treasurer of the PFFUI no later than 30 days prior to the start of the convention.
- Guests have neither voice nor vote and may not substitute for registered Delegates or Alternates from their Local.
- All Locals must have their per capita tax paid through the month prior to convention to be entitled to representation, including guests, at the convention.

- **Guest registering with a personal check to the IN Firefighters PAC please indicate shirt size: _____**
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