

## QUESTIONS:

- Did you know studies have shown that firefighters have a higher rate of cancer than the general public?
- Did you know there are controls for the hazards that may increase those risks of cancer within firefighters?
- Did you know each firefighter in Georgia has Cancer insurance? Did you know that this insurance provides financial benefits for any type of cancer regardless of cause?
- Did you know if you build awareness of the hazards and controls of firefighter cancer within your department, you could win a reimbursement up to \$5,000 toward the purchase of a washer extractor for your department? Learn more below.

## PROGRAM & SPONSORS:

LGRMS, working in conjunction with ACCG and GMA, wants to encourage the awareness of the hazards and controls surrounding firefighter cancer across the State of Georgia. Thus, we will award two fire departments up to \$5,000 in reimbursement, toward the purchase of equipment that will assist in the reduction of firefighter cancer risks (e.g. washer extractor, ventilation equipment, decontamination, etc.).

## ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

1. Those fire departments that applied for 2022 incentive programs but didn't win, will be included in this year's drawing. There is no need to reapply.
2. Fire department must be a member of GMA's or ACCG's Firefighters' Cancer Benefit Program.
3. Complete the application
4. The fire department must have at least one person attend the Taking Action Against Firefighter Cancers train-the-trainer course. Please contact Dan Beck for dates of virtual training.
5. Show proof of training documentation - Training must be completed for at least 80% of the department's firefighters (based on insured population).
6. Application must be submitted by October 31, 2023. Your application should be submitted electronically to Dan Beck of LGRMS [dbeck@lgrms.com](mailto:dbeck@lgrms.com).



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**FIREFIGHTER CANCER**  
**AWARENESS INCENTIVE**  
**PROGRAM**  
**2023**

## AWARD AND REIMBURSEMENT PROCESS:

1. On November 10, 2023, LGRMS will review all applications and identify those that meet all eligibility requirements.
2. All eligible departments will be separated into two categories: 1. ACCG Members and 2. GMA Members.
3. A department from each association will be randomly selected as the winner of the reimbursement up to \$5,000.
4. We will notify the winners by November 17, 2023. The winners will have until January 15, 2024 toward the purchase of equipment that will assist in the reduction of firefighter cancer risks (e.g. washer extractor, ventilation equipment, etc.) and provide purchase documentation to LGRMS. Click here to see the Firefighter Cancer 2022 Winners and 2023 Plan.
5. LGRMS will provide a reimbursement up to \$5,000, based on the purchase documentation.

## 2023 LGRMS Firefighter Cancer Awareness Incentive Program Application

ASSOCIATION (ACCG or GMA):		Member Fire Department Name:	
Member's Contact Person for Reimbursement:			
Phone#:			
E-Mail:			
By signing, I verify that those firefighters that have signed the attendance sheet have attended the two-hour training course <i>Taking Action Against Firefighter Cancers</i> .			
Fire Chief's Printed Name:		Fire Chief's Signature & Date:	
Name of person who attended: <i>Taking Action Against Firefighter Cancers</i> Train-the-Trainer Course			
Number of Firefighters within Department:		Number of Firefighters that attended the two-hour training - <i>Taking Action Against Firefighter Cancers</i>	
Please have all those that attend the course <i>Taking Action Against Firefighter Cancers</i> print and sign their name on the below attendance sheet.			
All applications should be submitted electronically to Dan Beck of LGRMS at <a href="mailto:dbeck@lgrms.com">dbeck@lgrms.com</a>			



## Taking Action Against Firefighter Cancers - Attendance Sheet

ASSOCIATION (ACCG OR GMA):

Member Fire Department Name:

Name of Trainer:

By signing below, I verify that I have attended *Taking Action Against Firefighter Cancers*.

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