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2017 Dues Notice

Dear

Happy New Year! It's **2017** and time to submit your annual dues. We have included a self-addressed envelope for your convenience.

We here at Police and Fire Retirees of Ohio hope that you all had a wonderful holiday season and will have a happy, healthy New Year. As the busy holiday season is winding down, we are transitioning into our busy time of the year. We just recently elected new officers to the State Office during our Annual General Membership Meeting held on October 16, 2016. Welcome and congratulations to Terry Baker (Cincinnati Fire) on his position as our 8th District Vice President. We also would like to congratulate those members that were re-elected to the board. Thanks to all of our new appointees and the re-elected officers for their dedicated service in the past to PFRO. We anxiously anticipate their contributions to the organization in the future.

We have accomplished a great deal, and yet there is still much we have to do. We are constantly working with the Ohio Police and Fire Pension Fund and the Legislature to ensure that all of your benefits are secure for the future. Just this last year, the OP&F took notice to our retirees at their board meetings. They allowed us to ask the board questions and voice our concerns in an open meeting. This is a step in the right direction. I encourage our members to continue to attend these board meetings.

PFRO Corporation Scholarship News: In 2009, we started our PFRO Corporation "**Scholarship fund raiser.**" We have given out (4) four \$500.00 scholarships to four students each year since it began. PFRO would like to thank everyone who purchased a ticket (or more) for this cause. The first drawing for 2017 will be held on **April 2, 2017** at our Police & Fire Retirees of Ohio Board meeting in Reynoldsburg. At this meeting **four winners** will be drawn in the amount of **\$1,000.00** per winner and the seller of each winning ticket receives **\$100.00**. The next drawings are *July 9, 2017, and October 15, 2017*. Four new winners will be drawn at each of these meetings. **The price of a ticket is only \$10.00.** This scholarship program is open to all of our members, their families, children, grandchildren and the public. (A current member must sign the scholarship application) To increase your odds, if you would like to purchase additional "tickets" or need a "scholarship form," please contact us at **1-888-309-7041 or 614-866-1352**. Scholarship forms need to be submitted by **April 1, 2017**.

In order to ensure our continued progress for your organization, we need your help. By joining our organization, **each of you** collectively creates a voice that can and will be heard. **Please take a minute to send in your 2017 annual dues.** Your dues money as well as your continued membership are important to us and will allow us as an organization to work for you and to protect your future. As a paid member, you will receive a membership card, a Quarterly newsletter, and the continued representation you deserve.

If you have recently sent your dues to the State Office, your dues card will be sent as soon as it is processed. **Also, if you belong to one of our 33 local chapters, please continue to pay your dues through them.** Please check our website for any updates at www.pfro.com. **Thank you, once again, for your continued support throughout the years.**

Fraternally,

Gary L. Monto, President

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Check # _____ \$ _____ Grand Total

Dues 2017

\$ _____ Dues - **\$25.00** Retiree/Widow/er

\$ _____ Dues - **\$25.00** Spouse

\$ _____ PFRD Donation

\$ _____ PAC Fund

\$ _____ Decals \$1.00 (no shipping)

\$ _____ **PFRD scholarship tickets \$10.00 each**

\$ _____ Angel pins Police ___ or Fire ___ **\$5.95 each**

\$ _____ Pewter Police Badge **\$5.95 each**

\$ _____ Bronze Fire Hose **\$5.95 each**

\$ _____ Blue Crystal Police Angels **\$5.95 each**

\$ _____ Blue Crystal Fire Angels **\$5.95 each**

\$ _____ **Shipping \$2.50 for total Pin order**

\$ _____ Polo **\$21.00** L XL / **\$24.00** XXL

\$ _____ Windshirt **\$40.00** L XL / **\$45.00** XXL

Pullover Zip-up (Navy only)

\$ _____ Sweatshirt **\$25.00** L XL / **\$30.00** XXL

Crew Hooded (Navy only)

\$ _____ Hat **\$15.00**

\$ _____ Insulated Mugs (14 oz) **\$7.95** Red ___ Blue ___

\$ _____ T-shirt **\$18.00** L XL / **\$22.00** XXL

___ Red Shirt ___ Navy Shirt

\$ _____ License plate frames # _____ **\$18.00**

\$ _____ **Shipping \$7.50 for Merchandise**

(hats, mugs, windshirts, sweatshirts, shirts and license plate frames)

Credit Card #: _____ Exp. Date: _____ V-code _____
 ___ Visa ___ Mastercard ___ Discover ___ American Express \$ _____ **Credit card fee \$1.00**

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Member Id: _____

Spouse: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Telephone: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____

Retired From _____ Police ___ Fire ___ Date of retirement: _____