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2019 Dues Notice

Dear

Happy New Year! It's **2019** and time to submit your annual dues. 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 had our elections to our State Office during our Annual General Membership Meeting held on October 14, 2018. Congratulations to William Biasella, 1st Vice President; Chester Ashton, 2nd Vice President; Richard Anthony, Financial Secretary; Charlie Campbell, Secretary; Judy Allen, Sgt-At-Arms; Bob Allen, Trustee; and John Lassiter, Trustee. Thank you to all of our 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 of 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 2019 will be held on **April 14, 2019** 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 14, 2019, and October 13, 2019*. 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, 2019**.

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 2019 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, lobbying representation, Association Member Benefits (AMBA) special group rates/merchant discounts 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 2019

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

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

\$ _____ PFRO Donation

\$ _____ PAC Fund

\$ _____ Decals \$1.00 (no shipping)

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

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

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

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

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

\$ _____ Charm Bracelets Police ___ or Fire ___ **\$14.95 each**

\$ _____ Shipping **\$3.50 for total Pin and Bracelet order**

\$ _____ Polo w/logo **\$21.00** M L XL / **\$24.00** XXL

\$ _____ Polo w/PFRO **\$21.00** M L XL / **\$24.00** XXL

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

Pullover Zip-up (Navy only)

\$ _____ Fall/Spring Jacket **\$40.00** L XL / **\$45.00** XXL

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

Crew Hooded (Navy only)

\$ _____ Hat **\$15.00**

\$ _____ New Black Stainless Steel Mugs (20 oz) **\$15.00 each**

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

Red Navy

\$ _____ T-shirt long sleeve **\$22.00** M L XL / **\$26.00** XXL Navy only

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

\$ _____ Shipping **\$8.00 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: _____