

**City of Norwich  
Volunteer Firefighters' Relief Fund  
Application for Membership**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Soc. Sec. No. \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Year of Membership \_\_\_\_\_

Department \_\_\_\_\_

**Part I**

\_\_\_\_ Check here if you are enrolling in the Plan for the first time.

\_\_\_\_ Check here if you are re-enrolling.

\_\_\_\_ Check here if you are re-enrolling after a break in your contribution.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

**Part II**

I agree to pay to the Volunteer Firefighters' Relief Fund the sum of \$360, or such other amount that is required through future amendments to the Volunteer Firefighters' Relief Fund Plan, for each year for which I will receive credit under this plan.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

**Important Notice**

Under the terms of the Plan, you are entitled to name a beneficiary to receive benefits in the event of your death. It is important that a current Beneficiary Designation Form be on file at all times. When enrolling in the Plan, be sure to complete and file a Beneficiary Designation Form.

**See next page for important information**

## **Important Information about Your Membership**

### **If you decide to contribute:**

The City of Norwich Volunteer Firefighters Relief Fund requires that you make contributions in order to receive credit in calculating your benefits and determining eligibility for benefits under this Plan. Once you have completed twelve months of continuous Volunteer service, you are eligible to join on the following January 1.

You must elect to contribute to the Plan for each year for which you receive credit for benefits.

### **If you decide not to contribute:**

If you do not wish to contribute to the Plan at this time, you may do so in the future. To begin contributing and earning service, submit an Application for Membership effective for any future January 1.

If you are eligible to contribute, but elect not to do so, you may later join the Plan. In this case, you may not buy back any service for periods when you elected not to contribute.